

# News Release

City of Mansfield

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## For Immediate Release

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**Subject: City of Mansfield Shade Tree Commission to host an  
Informational Public Meeting, Thursday, October 6, 2016.  
"2016 Cicada Damage, Diseases, and How to Care for Your Trees."**

Mansfield, Ohio –The city of Mansfield Shade Tree Commission is pleased to announce an informational public meeting to be held on Thursday, October 6, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. at the North Lake Park Pavilion.

In their ongoing commitment to providing service and educational opportunities to the residents of Mansfield, the members of the Shade Tree Commission are pleased to offer this free, educational session.

The agenda for the evening is multifaceted and includes members of the Shade Tree Commission explaining the role of the Shade Tree Commission in Mansfield, and procedures for contacting them.

The Shade Tree Commission is pleased to announce **Mr. Leonard Dolce, Certified Arborist and Co-Owner of Dolce's Tree Service will serve as our Keynote Address. Mr. Dolce will discuss the impact of the 2016 cicada damage to trees, diseases of trees, and how to care for trees.**

Following our keynote address, Mr. Jon Stierhoff, Landscape Designer & Director of Operations, Rex's Landscape & Construction will discuss the Subway Improvement planning project, how this project can enhance our community and the benefits of trees in an urban setting.

There will be a question and answer session to discuss local resources and planting standards.

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