

## Tree Warden Workshop

# THURSDAY, OCT 27

9:15-1:00

Large Meeting Room  
Cranston Central Library  
140 Sockanosset Cross Road, Cranston, RI

*Park in upper lot only – SEE MAP*

*Library opens at 9, so don't be too early*



## No-cost workshop

Please respond if you plan to attend

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- 9:15-9:30**     **Sign-in/registration**
- 9:25-9:30**     **Welcome and Introduction** – U&CF Coordinator Lou Allard  
Schedule, speakers, self
- 9:30-10:30**    **Resilient Right-of-Ways: A guide to community stewardship of Vermont backroads**  
Joanne Garton, VT Department of Forests, Parks and Recreation  
<https://vtcommunityforestry.org/program/technical-assistance/resilient-right-of-ways>
- 10:30-11:15**   **No longer National Grid**  
Chris Rooney, Rhode Island Energy  
Changes in working relationships, contacts, priorities in RI
- 11:15-11:30**    **BREAK**
- 11:30-12:00**   **City Set-Back Tree Program**  
John Campanini, RI Tree Council  
Helping municipalities plant trees in the right places
- 12:00-12:15**   **Urban Tree Inventories**  
Johanna Walczak, City of East Providence  
Using the AUTI program to start managing municipal street trees
- 12:15-12:30**   **Urban Tree Inventories**  
Nancy Stairs, DEM-DFE  
Using the inventory data to access other resource opportunities, EAB and GIC
- 12:30-1:00**    **Wrap-up and discussion**  
Updates to U&CF program, grant application process, website changes  
Topics for future discussions?? Feedback forms

