



# Urban Forest Management Plan (UFMP)

## Tree Commission Workgroup

### Meeting Agenda

Public Works Conference Room

May 16, 2025 / 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM

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| 1:30        | Call meeting to Order: Chairmen Tree Commission                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 1:40 – 2:15 | Welcome: Valerie Feinberg<br>Program Overview: Valerie Feinberg<br>Meeting Goals and Discussion Format: Anne Coglianese<br>Intersection of UFMP with Resilient Jacksonville: Anne Coglianese<br>Present Findings from Technical, Policy and Community Workgroups<br>Scheduled for May 12 <sup>th</sup> and 13 <sup>th</sup> |
| 2:15 – 3:15 | Facilitated Discussion with Tree Commissioners                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| 3:15        | Closing Remarks and Next Steps: Valerie Feinberg                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |

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## Tree Commission Discussion Prompts

### General

Developing an Urban Forest Management Plan was identified as a priority by the Tree Commission and was included in the *Resilient Jacksonville* strategy. The Office of Resilience has initiated the process of developing a UFMP for Jacksonville and is seeking input from key stakeholders, including subject matter experts and members of the Tree Commission. This meeting will be an opportunity for Tree Commission members to guide the development of the UFMP.

### Technical

Currently, the Tree Commission's Task Force for Urban Tree Planting Best Practices has invested time and resources reviewing standards and specifications needed for tree planting. Likewise, the UFMP will provide recommendations and best practices for tree planting. Coordination is necessary to avoid duplication of effort or contradictory recommendations. This meeting will provide an opportunity to discuss and align these on-going efforts.

### Policy

The Tree Commission is legislatively mandated to fulfil a number of responsibilities. This meeting will provide a forum for discussing opportunities and constraints on the Tree Commission based on current policies. Additionally, Tree Commission members will be encouraged to discuss potential policy changes that could improve current processes.