

# Urban Forestry Commission / Urban Forest Interdepartmental Team Joint Meeting

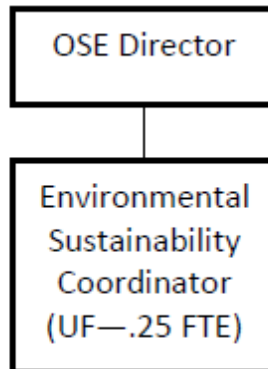
October 12, 2011  
Camp Long, 1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**Department:** Office of Sustainability and Environment

**Urban forestry Role:** leads the City's Urban Forest interdepartmental team, oversees implementation of the UFMP, monitors performance against the UFMP goals and leads development of updates, and staffs the Urban Forestry Commission

**Urban forestry vision:** Seattle's urban forest is a thriving and sustainable mix of tree species and ages that creates a contiguous and healthy ecosystem that is valued and cared for by the City and all of its citizens as an essential environmental, economic, and community asset

**Organization:**



**Priorities:**

- Staff Urban Forestry Commission
- Lead Urban Forest Interdepartmental team
- Oversee implementation of the UFMP
  - o Monitor performance against UFMP goals
  - o Coordinate UFMP updates
  - o Create five-year implementation strategies

**Regulatory role:** OSE has a policy and coordinating role on urban forestry issues city-wide

**Budget/funding sources:** N/A. Besides providing resources for the staff person, OSE does not have other funds for urban forestry in 2012.