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ATLANTA AUDUBON TO HOST TREE TALK IN NORTH ATLANTA ON APRIL 30

(Atlanta, GA.) April 18, 2019 – Atlanta Audubon, Trees Atlanta, The Tree Next Door, and other partners will host a Tree Talk at Atlanta International School on Tuesday, April 30 from 6:30 to 8:30 PM. One of several being held around metro Atlanta this spring, this Tree Talk is an opportunity to learn about the importance of protecting Atlanta’s incredible tree canopy and to give residents a voice in the City of Atlanta’s rewrite of the current Tree Protection Ordinance. This summer, the City of Atlanta will rewrite, update, and vote on a new Tree Protection Ordinance, which will determine the future of Atlanta’s tree canopy.

Doors will open at 6:30 PM for networking and sandwiches, provided by the host organizations. The presentation will begin at 7:00 PM with presentations from Nikki Belmonte, Atlanta Audubon executive director; Robby Astrove, East Atlanta resident and citizen forester; deLille Anthony, community advocate, Tree Canopy Committee Chair, Buckhead Council of Neighborhoods, and Co-Founder of The Tree Next Door; and George Dusenbury, Trust for Public Land.

The event will be held at Atlanta International School, 2890 North Fulton Drive, Atlanta, GA 30305. For planning purposes, participants are asked to register at <https://www.atlantaaudubon.org/tree-talks.html>.

This series of community meetings is made possible through the collaboration and support of a growing roster of partners, including Atlanta Audubon Society, Atlanta Beltline Partnership, Atlanta Botanical Garden, Atlanta History Center, Buckhead Council of Neighborhoods, Cabbagetown Neighborhood Improvement Association, Chattahoochee Riverkeeper, City in the Forest, Georgia Forestry Commission, Park Pride, Poncey-Highland Neighborhood Association, Reynoldstown Civic Improvement League, The Conservation Fund, The Georgia Conservancy, The Nature Conservancy, The Trust for Public Land, Tree Next Door, Trees Atlanta, and West Atlanta Watershed Alliance.

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