

December 20, 2023 Turf Nutrient Management Conference

Location: CMREC, 11975 Homewood Road, Ellicott City, 21042. At this location, attendance is limited to 25 people, first come, first served.

(If, by chance, we are in our new building around the corner, we can open up registration to more people. We won't know until at least the first week of December.)

3 PFA CEUs for Turf Available

9:20 - 9:40	Check-in
9:40 – 10:30	Utilizing Enhanced Efficiency Control Release Fertilizers. Are they an option? Speaker: Chuck Schuster, UME-Retired
10:30 – 11:20	How Effective are Organic Fertilizers and Composts in Delivering Nutrients to Turf? New research from UMD examined the nitrogen and phosphorus release rates of compost, including biosolids and how This talk will discuss what was discovered. Speaker: Andrew Ristvey, Extension Specialist in Horticulture and Nutrient Management
11:20 – 12:10	Introduction to Topics in Soil Health. Soil health has been a phrase in agriculture and green industries for some time; though more recently has become added to the household vernacular. Agronomists, nursery growers, landscapers, policy makers and advocates alike have used the term with growing frequency, but what does the term actually mean? Where did it come from and how can we understand soil health in our context? This presentation will offer an overview of the concepts fundamental to understanding "healthy soils" and how they may be applied to our work. Speaker: Mark Townsend, Frederick County, University of Maryland Extension
12:10	LUNCH
12:10 →	Sign attendance sheets before leaving

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If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in any event or activity, please contact Suzanne Klick at sklick@umd.edu on or before December 4, 2023.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Space is limited and is on a first come first served basis. More space will be available if our new building is open by this time.

Lunch not guaranteed after December 15, 2023. No refunds after December 18, 2023.

To register by credit card, go to the Eventbrite website at https://2023Turfnutrientmanagement.eventbrite.com. Eventbrite fees will not be refunded.

Cost: \$40 per person.		
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