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Speaker & Professional title:

Shane McQuillan, City Forester for Des Moines City of Des Moines

Speaker Biography:

Hailing from New Zealand, and now seven years in the Midwest, my background is centered in forestry, both plantation and now urban forestry. I am the City Forester for the City of Des Moines, and oversee 50,000 street trees, 15 staff, working with all departments throughout the City. Outside of work I like cycling on the many bike trails in Des Moines with my children, eating out, and engaging with green infrastructure related groups and projects.