



Ottawa Forests and Greenspace
Advisory Committee

The Urban Forest

In partnership with the Ottawa Art Gallery

Artists have produced some of the most powerful records of the Canadian wilderness. Join OFGAC's guest speaker Ken Farr, author of *The Forests of Canada*, as we explore the beauty and drama of the trees that dot the Canadian urban landscape.

Our walk through downtown Ottawa will cover such topics as tree identification, urban tree stress, the value of greenspace, and invasive species. Arrive early and take in the works of some of the most famous Canadian wilderness painters, now on view in the Deep Roots Exhibition at the Ottawa Art Gallery. Hosted by the Ottawa Forests and Greenspace Advisory Committee and the Ottawa Art Gallery.

Date and time: Saturday, April 26, 1:00-3:00 pm

Rendez-vous: The Ottawa Art Gallery, "Deep Roots" Exhibition. Arts Court, 2 Daly Avenue, Ottawa.

What to bring: Comfortable walking shoes, water bottle, and other weather-appropriate attire.

For more information: ofgac@ottawaforests.ca

Transportation to and from OFGAC Events: Trees and greenspace aren't the only things that can help control our greenhouse gas emissions! Thank you for using public transit or carpooling to our events. Transit trip planners and schedules at www.octranspo.com.

The Ottawa Forests and Greenspace Advisory Committee (OFGAC) was established in 2001 to advise Ottawa City Council and to provide a forum for citizens on issues related to forests and greenspace. The Committee has 15 members, appointed by Council, from all areas of the City of Ottawa.

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