



Total Years of Experience: 15

Years with UFS: 1.5

Education:

MS, Forest resources, University of Washington, 2007

BS, Biology (Ecology, Evolution, Conservation) University of Washington, 1999

Professional Registrations:

ISA Certified Arborist®, International Society of Arboriculture - 2006;
Board certified master arborist - 2015

ISA Certified Tree Risk Assessment Qualified, - 2007

ECO pro sustainable landscape professional, Washington state nursery and landscape Association - 2013

Washington State Licensed Public Pesticide Applicator and Public Consultant - 2007

Anna Marie Heckman, Associate Consulting Arborist

Anna's experience with municipalities brings an understanding of policy, funding and partnership requirements that are integral to successful urban natural area management. She is a specialist in urban Forest protection and rehabilitation and communicating the connection between tree health, and water, soil and air quality is her passion. At Urban Forestry Services, she has worked on tree inventories and construction oversight for tree protection and installations. She participates on multiple boards and advisory committees that allow her to integrate her arboriculture experience with other specializations in natural resource management.

Project Experience

City of Everett – Parks, Recreation and Community services Urban forester (2015-2018)

- **Urban forestry Program manager** – Supervised park arborists. Oversaw tree care operations and prioritized tree and natural areas management. Developed tree maintenance database. Managed tree work contracts and volunteer partnerships
- **Everett Park Landscape Tree Inventory** – Project lead and author. Developed a Park landscape tree pruning rotation and maintenance plan.

King county road maintenance (2011-2015)

- **Roadside hazard tree risk assessment and management planning** – Tree inventory, risk assessments, and management for road maintenance managed area.
- **Invasive Knotweed Best management practice** Project lead, author, and speaker for the development and implementation of a control program for right-of-ways

Transportation corridor Integrated Vegetation management plan development Snohomish County – (2007-2011)

- **Riparian projects** – Stilliguamish Big trees, North meander reconnection, Kuhlman and Mosure creek channel restoration – planting plans, nursery tree production, vegetation monitoring, analysis, author.
- **Tree risk assessor/Tree Protection**– Mays pond, Max Blue Spruce NGPA, Cottonwood Floodfencing, Public Works solid waste facilities forest edge assessments

Urban Forestry Services, Inc - (2006-2007)

- **Snoqualmie ridge development Plat20 and Parcel D:** Monitoring and inspections for landscape installations

University of Washington, College of forest resources - (1998-2006)

- **Soil Changes Associated with English Ivy in Urban Forests:** M.S. Thesis
- **Research Technician** – Mercer Island Open Space Vegetation Plan, English Ivy distribution through the ROW, Canopy architecture of hybrid poplar, light and auxin induced leaf growth, air quality instrument technician.

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