In Case of Emergency, Plant Trees:
Reducing Mortality Risk in the Face of LA's Hotter, Drier Future

Tuesday, March 25
8:00 am to 12:30 pm
Los Angeles City Hall
Parking Provided

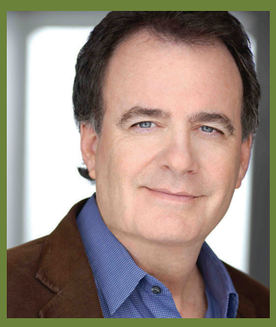
Nigel Tapper
Cooperative Research Centre for Water Sensitive Cities, Monash University Melbourne, AU

As Southern California faces a hotter, drier future with longer periods of sustained heat, its cities and residents face new challenges to ensuring urban safety. Recent research shows heat-related mortality increasing under this "new normal" – and it shows urban tree canopy is critical in protecting people and communities.

Join us for an interactive conversation about the critical link between urban tree canopy and the life-threatening impacts of severe heat. Dr. Nigel Tapper will share cutting-edge research on lessons learned from Australia's record-breaking heat waves and devastating 12-year drought.

Discuss with Los Angeles leaders how to achieve the shifts necessary in urban planning, policy and public health to protect communities from severe heat and ensure a resilient future for the region.

Andy Lipkis
TreePeople



Jonathan Parfrey
Climate Resolve

Jonathan Fielding
LA County Department of Public Health

Beate Ritz
Center for Occupational and Environmental Health, UCLA FSPH

The event is free, but space is limited. Registration Required.

To register or for more information, contact plipkis@treepeople.org.

Visit www.treepeople.org/event/in-case-of-emergency for schedule and speaker bios.

Who Should Attend: Representatives from government, non-profit, and private organizations with an interest in sustainability, public health, urban planning, urban forestry, and local water supply. We encourage you to share with colleagues accordingly.

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