Spotted Lanternfly Training Course for Christmas Tree Growers in Maryland, West Virginia and Virginia.

9AM-12PM

September 10, 2021

MidAtlantic Farm Credit

125 Prosperity Drive, Winchester, VA 22602

Sponsored by:

Virginia Cooperative Extension, Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Christmas Tree Promotion Board, Virginia Tech

Category 90-91 Pesticide Recertification Credits are available for this Course Agenda

9:00 - Introduction to the Spotted Lanternfly Training Course

Kyle Peer, Superintendent Reynold Homestead FRRC, Christmas Tree Extension Specialist Virginia Tech

9:15 - Phenology, Identification, and IPM of the Spotted Lanternfly

Eric Day, Manager of the Insect Identification Lab, Virginia Tech

10:00 - Current Range Map and Response

Mark Sutphin, Extension Agent, Agriculture and Natural Resources Horticulture, Frederick County

10:30 BREAK

10:45 Resources for Christmas Tree Growers

Kyle Peer, Superintendent Reynold Homestead FRRC, Christmas Tree Extension Specialist Virginia Tech

11:00 Spotted Lanternfly Look-alikes

Theresa Dellinger, Insect Identification Lab. Virginia Tech

11:15 Regulatory Updates

Kyle Rhodes, Spotted Lanternfly Crew Supervisor, Va. Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer Services

12:00 Wrap up and Questions

This is no fee for this workshop but registration is recommended.

To register or for additional information contact: Kyle Peer, krpeer@vt.edu, 276-694-4135