



# Arbor Day Celebration and Tree Giveaway

January 15<sup>th</sup>

## JONES SWAMP WETLAND PRESERVE

Escambia County Water Quality and Land Management Division will celebrate Florida's Arbor Day on January 15th from 12:30 to 3:30 in Warrington at the Jones Swamp Trail entrance at 198 Patton Drive near Brigadier Drive. Parking is also available in the back of PIC Warrington Campus on Hwy 98.

There will be a seedling tree giveaway along with UF/IFAS County Extension Master Gardeners to answer any tree questions. Other festivities include environmental educational booths, information highlighting "Right Plant Right Place", water quality issues and information on the Jones Swamp Wetland Preserve and the Southwest Greenway Trail System. Maps of the Jones Swamp trail will also be available. Tree giveaway funded by USDA Forest Service and Florida Division of Forestry, Urban and Community Forest Grant.

Arbor Day literally means "tree day". Trees provide many benefits for our community including improving air quality, reducing storm water runoff and erosion, lowering air temperature, helping to conserve energy use, and creating habitat for plants and animals.

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Come join us and learn about Escambia County's Natural Environment.