



## ***Education and Qualifications***

- 1982 *Bachelors of Science in Forestry, Dept of Natural Resources  
Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana*
- 1983 *Licensed Certified Applicator - Texas Department of Agriculture*
- 1984 *Certified in IPM (accredited program from Davey Institute of Tree Science)*
- 1985 *Graduate Certified Arborist - Davey Institute of Tree Science  
Davey Tree's most complete and oldest classroom program. Consists of five weeks of intensive, all-inclusive tree care. Subjects covered include: dendrology, entomology, pathology, physiology, IPM, plant nutrition, cabling & bracing, pruning, equipment, marketing and safety. Agronomy and Botany Accredited professors included: Dr. Mog, Boa Roa, Roger Funk and Gilbertson*
- 1986 *Graduate Certified Horticulturist – Davey Institute of Horticulture Sciences  
Integrated pest and disease management with techniques utilized in residential and commercial care of lawns and trees. Program focuses on entomology, pathology, identification of trees and turfs, plant nutrition, pesticide awareness and customer relations.*
- 1990 *Certified Applicator Structural Pest Control Board of Texas License# 7928L  
This certified applicator license allows us to prescribe and perform treatments legally.*
- 1990 *TCIA Member, National Arborist Association  
The membership of Tree Care Industry Association (TCIA) is composed of commercial tree care businesses and the firms that provide supplies, services, and equipment to the tree care industry. All employees are members through a company membership. TCIA develops a wide range of tree care safety and training programs, industry standards of practice, government compliance and business management, information, plus a host of other services to assist business owners in the successful growth of their business.*
- 1990 *Member, International Society of Arboriculture #15030  
The International Society of Arboriculture has been working hard with its members to raise the standard of professional tree care. The decision to choose the right arborist is very important. Trees are a lifelong investment and you want to protect that investment.*



- 1990 *Established Advanced Tree & Shrub Care, Fairview, Texas*
- 1995 *Candidate member, American Society of Consulting Arborists*
- 1996 *Graduate, Arboricultural Consulting Academy*  
*The Arboricultural Consulting Academy's curriculum follows a case study format and is taught by a nationally recognized faculty. Its courses investigate four key areas of consultation skills: technical writing and report presentation; training as an expert witness; consulting ethics; and practice management.*
- 1996 *City Arborist, Allen, Texas*
- 1997 *Member Parks and Recreation Board, Fairview, Texas*
- 2003  *ISA Certified Arborist, #3241A*  
*This is the largest group of credential holders. These professional arborists have a minimum of three years experience in some aspect of tree care and have passed an exam developed by an international panel of experts. The exam extensively covers every aspect of tree care and the individuals must have an acceptable level of knowledge in all areas of arboriculture.*
- 2003  *ASCA Registered Consulting Arborist #416*  
*There is neither a higher authority nor a more objective voice in the arboricultural profession than a Registered Consulting Arborist (RCA) on matters involving the legal, environmental and aesthetic considerations of trees and plants. Those who earn the RCA designation are routinely called upon for expert testimony, damage assessment and appraisal, municipal and commercial landscape planning and development, tree preservation, hazard assessment, and other situations requiring expert knowledge and experience in the arboricultural industry.*
- Registered Consulting Arborists must meet stringent requirements for technical education and experience, successfully complete the requirements of ASCA's rigorous Consulting Academy program, and produce a series of consulting reports that meet strict professional review standards.*
- 2005  *Board Certified Master Arborist (BCMA) #TX3241-B*  
*Board-Certified Master Arborist-This credential is designed for arborists who have reached the pinnacle of their profession. To sit for the exam, individuals must be a Certified Arborist in good standing and have obtained other prerequisites, or "points" defined by ISA. A minimum of eight points is required, obtained through measurable experience, formal education, related credentials, or professional experience. The computer-based exam covers science, practice and management.*
- 2014 *Environmental Committee Member, Town of Fairview, Texas*

## ***Legal and Insurance Consultation Projects***

1990-2011      *Numerous Mitigations, Appraisals, Evaluations, Consultations, and Trespass Cases*

## ***Professional Experience***

2000 - Present      *Advanced Tree & Shrub Care Inc., Fairview, Texas, Board Certified Master Arborist & CEO*  
*Positioned the company in the Dallas area as a leader specializing in "Saving Sick Trees." By recognizing the major issues affecting trees in the area, (ie. construction, oak wilt, decline, borers, etc.) and addressing these issues with field leading technology. Instituted preventative programs such as "Treessentials" that provide quality care that is cost effective throughout the year. Programs are customized to both new and established landscapes to achieve not only the desired results for plant health care, but for excellence in customer service as well.*

*Presently one of four Registered Consulting Arborists and Board Certified Master Arborists that are licensed to both prescribe and perform treatment on trees and shrubs in the state of Texas. Court Certified Soils Expert and Certified Arboricultural Expert.*

*36 years of experience in the Arboricultural field as follows:*

- *Project Supervision*
- *Trees and Landscape Protection*
- *Hazardous Tree Evaluation and Preservation*
- *Dispute Resolution/Mitigation*
- *Education and Training*
- *Tree Survey/Inventories*
- *Report Writing*
- *Appraisals, Diagnostics and Forensics*
- *Expert Witness*
- *Plant Health Care & Saving Trees*
- *Pruning and Cultural Practices*
- *Structure Protection*
- *Removals & Stump Grinding*

1990-2000      *Advanced Tree & Shrub Care, Fairview, Texas, Owner & Arborist*  
*Provided a quality, customer-oriented, and affordable service to the public. Through consistent follow-up and the utilization of new products and techniques, was able to contribute to tree preservation in the North Dallas Region. Developed tree maintenance plan for new clientele, trained crews to assist in providing tree care, surgery and all related arboricultural needs.*

1982 -1990      *Davey Tree, Dallas, Texas, Assistant to Manager of Operations*  
*Eight (8) years of progressive tree care operations. Positions included climber/technician, coordinator, master foreman and assistant to manager. Developed and maintained client relations, sales, scheduling, contracts, proposals and programs, personnel- training, and equipment maintenance.*