



*Native Plant Society of Texas*  
**SPRING SYMPOSIUM AGENDA**

Saturday, March 12, 2016  
at the **Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center**  
8:45 am – 3:45 pm

8:00 am	CHECK IN BEGINS
8:45 am – 9:00 am	<u>WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS</u>
9:00 am – 9:50 am	<u>BUILDING EFFECTIVE NETWORKS</u> Brandi Clark Burton – Founder of Austin EcoNetwork
9:50 am – 10:05	Break
10:05 am – 10:55 am	<u>IT AIN'T EASY BEING GREEN – THE NATURE CONSERVANCY IN TEXAS</u> John Herron – Senior Director of Conservation Programs, The Nature Conservancy of TX
10:55 am – 11:10 am	Break
11:10 am – 12:00 pm	<u>BRING BACK THE MONARCHS TO TEXAS!</u> Cathy Downs – Bring Back the Monarchs to Texas Chair, Native Plant Society of Texas
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	LUNCH
1:00 pm – 1:50 pm	<u>CONSERVATION IN THE HILL COUNTRY</u> Linda Campbell – Board Vice President, Hill Country Land Trust
1:50 pm – 2:05 pm	Break
2:05 pm – 2:55 pm	<u>NATIVE PRAIRIES ASSOC. OF TEXAS PRESERVES MADDIN PRAIRIE &amp; MORE!</u> Pat Merkord – Executive Director, Native Prairies Association of Texas
2:55 pm – 3:30 pm	<u>TEXAS RARE PLANTS &amp; ROADS: OPPORTUNITIES FOR CONSERVATION</u> Laura Zebehazy – CWB, Transportation Conservation Coordinator, TPWD
3:30 pm – 3:45 pm	DOOR PRIZE/ CLOSING REMARKS

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