

**Registration fee: \$35.00 per person**

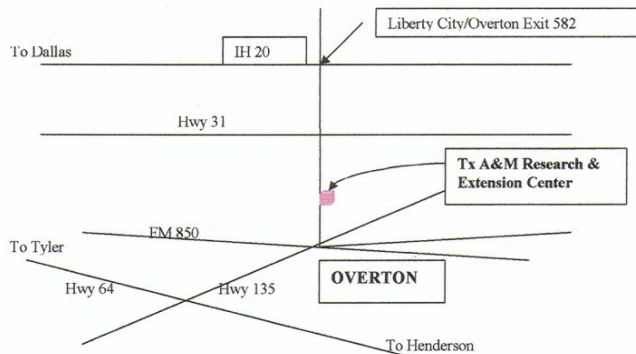
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**Five (5) TDA CEU Credits**  
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**East District 5 TCAAA**

**Location of Overton Center...**



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**2016**  
**Annual**  
**East Texas Turfgrass**  
**Conference**  
**For**

*School Districts, City Parks & Recreation. Lawn & Landscape Managers and Homeowners*



**Thursday, February 4, 2016**  
**Texas A&M AgriLife Research**  
**&**  
**Extension Center**  
*Overton, Texas*  
*Registration starts at 7:30 am*

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**Program Agenda**

**Morning Session**

**Moderator: Kyle Tengler**

7:30 am—Registration—\$35.00 Registration Fee (Includes Lunch).

8:00 —Welcome—Mr. Larry Pierce

8:05 —Weed Control, Herbicide Updates & New Turf Varieties—  
Dr. Matt Elmore

9:05—Disease Management in Turfgrass—Dr. Kevin Ong

10:05—"BREAK" - Visit with Exhibitors...

10:20—Fire Ant Control Updates—Dr. Robert Puckett

11:30—"LUNCH" Catfish Express, Marshall, Texas

**Afternoon Session**

**Moderator: Aaron Low**

12:00 Noon—IPM Strategies For Key Turfgrass Insects  
Dr. Mike Merchant

1:00 pm—Irrigation Efficiency— Charles Swanson

2:00—"BREAK" - Visit with Exhibitors...

2:10—New EPA Updates & How it Effects You—Dr. Mark Matocha

3:10—Evaluations & Adjourn Conference

Have a safe trip home!!



East District 5

**Program Speakers...**

**Larry Pierce**—Regional Program Leader, East Region, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, Overton, Texas

**Kyle Tengler**—County Extension Agent-Horticulture, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, Smith County

**Dr. Matt Elmore**—Assistant Professor & Extension Turfgrass Specialist, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Dallas, Texas

**Dr. Kevin Ong**—Associate Professor & Director, Texas Plant Disease Diagnostic Lab, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, College Station, Texas

**Dr. Robert Puckett**—Assistant Professor & Extension Entomology Specialist, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, College Station, Texas

**Aaron Low**—County Extension Agent-Agriculture, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, Cherokee County

**Dr. Mike Merchant**—Professor and Extension Urban Entomologist, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, Dallas, Texas

**Charles Swanson**—Extension Program Specialist, Biological & Agricultural Engineering, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, College Station, Texas

**Dr. Mark Matocha**—Assistant Professor and Extension Specialist, Agricultural and Environmental Safety, Texas A&M Agrilife Extension Service, College Station, Texas

