

Retraction

Retraction: Ren, Z.B., et al. Spatio-Temporal Patterns of Urban Forest Basal Area under China's Rapid Urban Expansion and Greening: Implications for Urban Green Infrastructure Management. *Forest* 2018, 9, 272–290

Zhibin Ren and Hongxu Wei * 

Key Laboratory of Wetland Ecology and Environment, Northeast Institute of Geography and Agroecology, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Changchun 130102, China; renzhibin@iga.ac.cn

* Correspondence: weihongxu@iga.ac.cn; Tel.: +86-431-8554-2321; Fax: +86-431-8253-6084

Received: 28 October 2018; Accepted: 9 November 2018; Published: 20 November 2018



The *Forests* Editorial Office has been made aware that Table 2, Figure 2, Figure 7, and Figure 8 listed in the paper [1] were published without the permission of the PI of the research work. Therefore, the *Forests* Editorial Office has made the decision to retract the published paper [1]. We apologize to the readers of *Forests* and to the authors of the previous work. The decision to retract has been made in cooperation with the authors of the article [1].

MDPI is a member of the Committee on Publication Ethics and takes seriously the responsibility to enforce strict ethical policies and standards. To respect and reserve the copyright of the PI, the published article [1] is retracted and shall be marked accordingly.

Reference

1. Ren, Z.B.; He, X.Y.; Zheng, H.F.; Wei, H.X. Spatio-Temporal Patterns of Urban Forest Basal Area under China's Rapid Urban Expansion and Greening: Implications for Urban Green Infrastructure Management. *Forests* 2018, 9, 272. [[CrossRef](#)]



© 2018 by the authors. Licensee MDPI, Basel, Switzerland. This article is an open access article distributed under the terms and conditions of the Creative Commons Attribution (CC BY) license (<http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/>).