Emerald Ash Borer Threatens NH's Forest and Landscape Ash

IT TAKES YEARS OR **DECADES FOR EAB TO** SPREAD NATURALLY; **HUMANS CAN SPREAD** IT IN HOURS. CONSIDER YOUR MOVEMENT AND **DISPOSAL OF ASH** PRODUCTS TO PROTECT NH'S FORESTS.

CONCERNED ABOUT YOUR ASH? - MAKE AN EAB PLAN.

- SURVEY YOUR PROPERTY FOR ASH NUMBERS AND SIZES.
- REPORT SUSPECT TREES AND INSECTS www.nhbugs.org
- **DETERMINE YOUR** MANAGEMENT GOALS AND BUDGET.



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Emerald ash borer (EAB) is the most destructive forest pest in North America.







Sprouts at the base of the tree & crown die-back (left), larval galleries (center), and heavy woodpecker activity "blonding" (right) are signs of EAB infestation. Report suspicious trees and insects at www.nhbugs.org!

Avoid moving forest pests. Use locallysourced or certified heat-treated firewood— Buy it where you burn it!



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