

Emerald Ash Borer Resources

Kentucky's ash trees are under attack! The Emerald Ash Borer (EAB), an invasive insect pest from Asia, was first discovered in Kentucky in May 2009. This pest presents a serious threat to all ash trees in Kentucky – many of which have been planted in urban areas. As the Emerald Ash Borer spreads across Kentucky woodland owners will be faced with making decisions about how to respond. The resources in this article will help you to deal with Emerald Ash Borer.



Department of Entomology
<http://pest.ca.uky.edu/EXT/EAB/welcomeeab.html>

The University of Kentucky's Department of Entomology has a website dedicated to EAB. By visiting the site above, you can view current EAB activity maps, identification factsheets, EAB FAQ's for Kentuckians, potential new hosts for Emerald Ash Borer and much more.

Forestry Extension
www.ukforestry.org

Everyone from woodland owners to loggers might be interested in visiting the University of Kentucky's Forestry Extension web page about EAB. On this website you can read an article on Recommendations for Ash Management in Kentucky, treatments for ash lumber, firewood, and logs, logger information on cutting and hauling ash logs and general industry notes.



National EAB Information
www.emeraldashborer.info

If you would like to learn more about EAB on a national level, you might want to check out the web address above. Twenty-four states and Canada are represented on this site. By visiting this site, you can learn more about what other states, including Kentucky, are doing to fight EAB including when EAB was confirmed in those states.

