

## **Identifying Emerald Ash Borer**

What to do if you think you have the ash-killing Emerald Ash Borer in your ash tree

## **Verify the Signs and Symptoms of EAB:**



1/8" "D" shaped exit holes



Small, 1/2" metallic green beetles



"S" shaped tunnels under the bark



Thin/dead branches



Trunk sprouts



Bark splitting



Excessive woodpecker activity

**Verify Your Tree:** Emerald Ash Borers only live and feed on ash trees. Look up the characteristics of ash trees at Cornell's woody plant database. <a href="http://woodyplants.mannlib.cornell.edu/">http://woodyplants.mannlib.cornell.edu/</a>



## Report Your Sighting:

<u>E-mail</u> pictures or bring samples of EAB signs and symptoms to your local Cornell Cooperative Extension office, <a href="http://www.cce.cornell.edu">http://www.cce.cornell.edu</a> or Call the NYS DEC EAB Hotline at (866)640-0652

Educate Yourself: Find Emerald Ash Borer information and links at

http://nyis.info/eab

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