

# Responding to the Emerald Ash Borer

EAB INFORMATION

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS

REPORT INFESTATION



- » The **Emerald Ash Borer (EAB)** is a destructive invasive insect that was first found in Oregon in Forest Grove in June 2022.
- » EAB attacks many species of ash trees (*Fraxinus spp.*), including the native Oregon ash (*Fraxinus latifolia*).
- » Once ash trees are infested with EAB, they usually die within 3-7 years.
- » Although we can't get rid of EAB, we can slow the speed at which EAB spreads.

## You Can Help Slow EAB

- » **Do not move firewood!** Buy it where you plan to burn it.
- » Do not plant ash trees (*Fraxinus spp.*).
- » Learn to identify ash trees and the signs of EAB infestation.
- » If you spot EAB **submit a report** on the Oregon Invasive Species Council website.



EMERALD ASH BORER



HOLE FROM A WOODPECKER

D-SHAPED EXIT HOLE



ASH TREE AFFECTED BY EAB



ASH TREE LEAVES

S-SHAPED GALLERIES

