



## EXTENSION

Do you own or manage ash trees? If so, trouble may soon be on the way. The emerald ash borer (EAB), an invasive insect that targets ash, now surrounds Mississippi. Come learn strategies reducing the impact of EAB in rural and urban forests.



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# Proactive Emerald Ash Borer Management: Maintaining Desirable Forest Landscapes



**Short Course**

**Friday, June 16, 2017**

**Attala County Extension Office  
715 Fairground Rd.  
Kosciusko, MS 39090**

## Description

This course provides landowners, city planners, and foresters information on how to reduce the impact of EAB on their forested landscape. Specific topics include: EAB detection and risk, managing alternative species, logging logistics, ash timber outlook, insecticide options, urban tree benefits vs. cost analysis, and risk assessment and replacement options.

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## When

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## Cost

Registration is **\$30 per person, \$50 per couple**. The fee covers reference materials lunch and refreshments. Seating is limited.

**Register by June 9, 2017.**

## Agenda

- 8:30-9:00: Registration
- 9:00-9:45: EAB detection and risk (John Willis)
- 9:45-10:30: Alternate species and regeneration options (Brady Self)
- 10:30-10:40: Break
- 10:40-11:25: Hardwood strategies: before and after EAB (Randy Rousseau)
- 11:25-12:10: Market outlook for ash timber (Marc Measells)
- 12:10: Lunch, Evaluations, Wrap UP
- 12:40: Adjourn

### For More Information

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**Registration: Proactive Emerald Ash Borer Management, June 9, 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
State: \_\_\_\_\_

**Total # attending (Registration is \$30 per person, \$50 per couple) due by June 9<sup>th</sup>; make check payable to Attala County Forestry Association.**

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