## Emerald Ash Borer is **Right** Next Door

The closest known EAB infestation is in the Minneapolis/St.Paul area.

Emerald Ash Borer (EAB) has not been found in North Dakota yet, but when it arrives, it could change our urban and rural forests drastically.



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## What Can You Do?

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- Don't bring firewood into North Dakota; use local sources.
- If people you know are coming to North Dakota, tell them to leave firewood at home. If someone already has brought it, burn it immediately!
- Learn to know the signs and symptoms of emerald ash borer and report possible occurrences.
- Plant tree species other than ash (Fraxinus spp.). EAB only attacks ash trees. There are no known resistant species or cultivars. A high percentage of trees in North Dakota communities are ash.