



# INFORMATION - COMMUNIQUÉ

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## **Emerald ash borer control program continues**

**Winnipeg, MB** – On Monday, July 23, 2018, weather permitting, the City of Winnipeg's Insect Control Branch will continue its emerald ash borer control program in **Insect Management Areas 12 (Archwood, Maginot, Niakwa Park, Stock Yards, Windsor Park), 13 (Alpine Place, Elm Park, Lavalee, St. George, Varennes, Worthington), 14 (Kingston Crescent, Minnetonka, Norberry, Pulberry, Victoria Crescent), 15 (Niakwa Place, Southdale, Southland Park, Symington Yards, The Mint), and 41 (Armstrong Point, Broadway - Assiniboine, Legislature, Portage & Main, South Portage, The Forks, West Broadway, Wolseley)** and begin treatment in **Insect Management Area 17 (Dakota Crossing, Meadowood)**.

Treatment will occur between the hours of 6:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Monday to Friday, weather permitting. Treatment will occur on an ongoing basis until July, utilizing the insecticides TreeAzin® (azadirachtin) or IMA-jet® (imidacloprid) which is injected directly into ash trees located on City property. Only ash trees selected for treatment by the Urban Forestry Branch based on predetermined criteria will be treated. These products have been approved for use in Canada by Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency, and will be used in accordance with federally approved label directions by licensed pesticide applicators.

### **Register for notification**

Residents can register for email notification regarding the emerald ash borer control program by visiting [City of Winnipeg – Insect Control Register for Notification](#). They can also register for telephone notification by contacting 311 and providing their name, address, and phone number. Once registered, residents will receive automated phone or email notification identifying the area(s) of the City in which the Insect Control crews are intending to work, weather permitting.

### **More information**

For more information contact 311, or visit [City of Winnipeg – Insect Control Branch](#).

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