



**Skeet**  
**Certified Arborist**  
Tree Doctor  
The Care of Trees  
Naperville, IL

## Why? and How?

- Benefits of utilizing a Certified Arborist.
  - » Green team
  - » Value of trees
  - » Urban soil management
  - » Disease diagnosis
- How to find a qualified tree care company.
  - » Accreditation
  - » Certified Arborist
  - » Meet on site



**What's Eating You?**  
A look at local tree pests.



## Who Am I?



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## Emerald Ash Borer



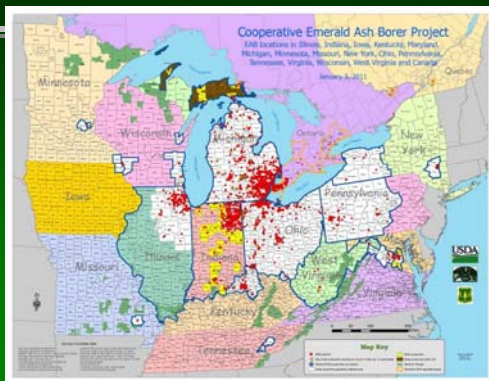
## Do you have an ash tree? Are you sure?

### Who do you call?

- » Certified arborist
- » Company with accreditation
- » Illinois Arborist Association
  - [illinoisarborist.org](http://illinoisarborist.org)
- » International Society of Arboriculture
  - [isa-arbor.com](http://isa-arbor.com)
- » [emeraldashborer.info](http://emeraldashborer.info)



## EAB Where is it?



## What to Look For



## What Can You Do?

- Decide if keeping your ash trees is worth the cost
- Decide how many trees to protect
  - » Based on location, condition, budget
- Contact a Certified Arborist for treatment options
- Begin treating trees



## Who Am I?



## Japanese Beetles



Roses  
Linden  
Crabs  
Cherry  
Elm  
Grape



### Japanese Beetle Traps



### Bagworm



### Late June/Mid July







