



## TOWN OF WASAGA BEACH

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### OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

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Relevant Provincial and Federal Ministries and Agencies.

#### **BY EMAIL ONLY**

#### **RE: Resolution from the Town of Wasaga Beach – Advocacy for Funds to Effectively Manage the Emerald Ash Borer Infestation**

Please be advised that the Council of the Town of Wasaga Beach, during their November 13, 2025 Council meeting, and at the request of the Township of Stone Mills, passed the following resolution regarding Advocacy for Funds to Effectively Manage the Emerald Ash Borer Infestation.

Whereas the Emerald Ash Borer (EAB) infestation has caused a significant increase in dead ash trees across Ontario, creating ecological, financial, and public safety challenges;


And whereas the removal and replacement of affected trees has placed a substantial financial burden on municipalities, organizations, and property owners;

Therefore, be it resolved that the Town of Wasaga Beach supports the Township of Stone Mills motion to urge the Provincial and Federal governments to establish a dedicated fund to assist with the removal and replanting of trees impacted by the EAB infestation.

Be it further resolved that this letter of support be submitted to the relevant Provincial and Federal ministries and agencies to strengthen regional advocacy efforts on this issue.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at [mayor@wasagabeach.com](mailto:mayor@wasagabeach.com) or (705) 429-3844 ext. 2225.

Sincerely,

  
Brian Smith  
Mayor, Town of Wasaga Beach

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