

# Forest Pest Outreach and Survey Project FY 10 Annual Report

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**Directions:** Submit your annual narrative (report) no later than 90 days after your agreement end date per Article 4 of your agreement and submit the report to your State Plant Health Director/ADODR. The ADODR reviews/approves and submits the report to Patty Douglass, Regional Program Manager for FPOSP, who will in turn review/approve and submit to your Agreements Specialist in Raleigh, NC.

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State:	<b>Maine</b>		
Project:	<b>Forest Pest Outreach and Survey Project</b>		
Project Coordinator:	Karen Coluzzi		
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1. Describe accomplishments on implementing Governor's Proclamation (*attach a copy to this report*).

**We received a Governor's Proclamation for Asian Longhorned Beetle Awareness Month. Representatives from MDA, Maine Forest Service, USDA APHIS PPQ, State Legislature, and our volunteer network joined the Governor for a ceremonial signing on August 5.**

2. Describe accomplishments on selection and survey of two or more high risk communities. (*Provide locations, why selected, who was involved in survey, how it was accomplished and results.*)

**Sebago Lake State Park, Casco, ME; August 13-14, 2010.**

**Site selected due to high risk of introduction through out of state firewood, types of susceptible host trees, high potential for outreach.**  
**Approximately 25 people were involved in the Sebago Lake survey, representing MDA, MFS, USDA APHIS PPQ, MFS interns, volunteer network, family members.**  
**Survey area was divided into 5 sections (map attached); 3-4 surveyors in each section. Length of survey = 2 hours. Maple trees were inspected with binoculars (Pentax Pentium) for signs of ALB (exit holes, egg sites, adult feeding damage, adults...); there were no ash trees. Two different clickers were used to keep track of number of trees inspected and number of people talked to.**  
**Outreach booths and display tables were set up for outreach to park visitors.**  
**Results: 1,142 trees inspected; 0 positive. Surveyors tallied 178 people talked to during survey.**

**Bates College, Lewiston, ME; October 5, 2010**

**Site selected due to high risk of introduction through nearby industrial parks, railway, types of susceptible host trees, high potential for outreach.**  
**Approximately 15 people were involved in the Lewiston survey, representing MDA, MFS, USDA APHIS PPQ, and volunteer network.**  
**Survey area was divided into 4 sections (map attached); 3 surveyors in each section. Length of survey = 2 hours. Maple trees were inspected with binoculars (Pentax**

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Pentium) for signs of ALB (exit holes, egg sites, adult feeding damage, adults...); ash trees were inspected for signs of EAB (crown dieback, epicormic branching, bark splits, S-shaped tunnels...). Two different clickers were used to keep track of number of maple trees inspected and number of ash trees inspected.

An outreach booth was set up for outreach to students and staff.

Results: 828 maple trees inspected; 0 positive. 16 ash trees inspected; 0 positive.

3. Describe accomplishments on collection and submission of ISIS data at high risk communities. **ISIS data was collected for each of the survey events. It was formatted and submitted to PSS for input into ISIS as state cooperator no longer had access to the system.**
4. Describe accomplishments on delivering Train the Trainer sessions. (*How many sessions did you hold, where, how many were trained, did any go on to train additional persons and any other information relative to your training sessions.*)  
**Six train-the-trainer sessions were held in Augusta, Bar Harbor, Brunswick, Fryeburg, Rockland, and Wells, with a total of 73 people trained. An additional, abbreviated training was held in Gorham for 20 college students. Training sessions were full-day affairs and covered the history, biology, impacts, recognition of signs and symptoms, etc. of ALB and EAB, with brief mentions of other important invasive forest pests. Tree identification walks were held, and the volunteer coordinator presented ideas on what volunteers can do to help with outreach and spread awareness of ALB and EAB. Many of the volunteers conducted outreach all summer long at farmer's markets, agricultural fairs, summer camp programs, etc.**
5. Describe accomplishments on outreach events. (*How many sessions were held and where, how many people did you reach, list all the events you participated in.*)  
**Approximately 400 events occurred, but that included volunteers distributing materials (to town offices, libraries, museums, farmers markets, etc.), and news stories. Direct contact events = 240. Full list of events is attached. Our previous and current volunteer coordinators (Anne Bills and Lorraine Taft, respectively) were instrumental in organizing materials and staffing for most of these events.**
6. Describe accomplishments on media outreach (*press releases, radio/TV, internet, etc; attach copies*):  
**The individual monthly reports outlined the media coverage we had throughout the year, but the standouts were the Sebago Lake event on WGME 13 news, and the Bug-Maineia event on WABI 5 news. The Maine Forest Service, who has a PR person, was very successful at getting coverage for hemlock woolly adelgid and firewood stories, which would always mention ALB and EAB.**
7. Describe accomplishments on showing Lurking in the Trees.  
**Lurking in the Trees was shown 7 times in different parts of the state (see attached list of events). It also aired on Maine Public Broadcasting Network a number of times. We also showed the other ALB documentary, Bugged, to live audiences.**
8. Describe accomplishments on development of outreach materials: (*attach copies to this report*)  
**We developed frisbees to strengthen our outreach with kids and continued using the materials we developed in 2009, e.g. the ALB brochure, the ALB pencils, and the ALB comparison sheets. We also developed new incentive items (e.g. baseball hats and water bottles) for our volunteers to encourage lots of outreach.**

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9. Describe accomplishments on development of state internal email lists/list serves for notification of volunteers. *(how many are on your list; did you use the list and if so for what purposes)*

**An access database was developed to track the volunteer network. Names, contact info, affiliations, etc. of everyone that attended our trainings are in the database. A distribution list containing 142 email addresses of volunteers, state counterparts, and others who have expressed interest in the project, was created to receive regular messages mentioning updated information on ALB/EAB, seeking help with upcoming activities, or urging folks to report any outreach that was conducted.**

10. Describe accomplishments on other activities not elaborated on above that supported FPOSP.

**Facebook and Twitter pages (BugWatchME) were created to help disseminate information on ALB, EAB and other invasive pests. Our BugWatchME facebook page has 121 followers, and our twitter page has 87 followers and 8 lists following our tweets. Postings are made at least once per week. Screen shots of each are attached.**

## Quantitative Reporting

Number of volunteers added to program each month:

# FY09 if applicable	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May '11	Jun '11	Total
59	26	31	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	20	16	0	103

Number of outreach events for each month (see parentheses above) First row is # outreach events; second row is # people reached via these events!

May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
20	80	93	47	23	22	6*	3*	4*	6*	7*	16*	18*	6*	351*
870	12,053	56,206	27,748	22,959	7,470	6,345	295	565	577	2111	+1M	+1M	353	

*Firewood ads were put into publications and seasonal guidebooks. These numbers are based on potential of impact based on circulation numbers.*

*\* we have not been receiving much feedback from volunteers, but we are certain activities and outreach have been ongoing without our knowledge. These numbers are likely underrepresented.*

This accomplishment report is approved.

E. Ann Gault  
State Cooperator

10/6/2011  
Date

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Date

State of Maine



WHEREAS, Maine has 17 million acres of forested land and half is comprised of hardwood trees that enhance the state's air and water quality, natural landscapes, recreational destinations, wildlife habitats, property values, and the forest and agricultural economy through timber harvesting, maple syrup production and landscape tree sales; and

WHEREAS, many of the trees that beautify urban streets are hardwood trees. These trees help residents reduce heating and cooling costs by shielding homes from the harsh heat of summer and bitter cold of winter, and reduce air pollution and carbon emissions; and

WHEREAS, in August 2008, the Asian Longhorned Beetle, a destructive non-native invasive beetle, was discovered to be destroying hardwood trees in Worcester, MA, and had previously been found in New York, Illinois and New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Asian Longhorned Beetle has already killed tens of thousands of hardwood trees in these four states, and damage may reach into the billions of dollars if the beetle is not eradicated; and

WHEREAS, efforts undertaken in Maine as well as in Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and Vermont in partnership with private and nonprofit organizations, universities, and local, state and federal government, are helping to protect the billions of threatened hardwood trees in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Maine has been proactive in preventing the introduction of the Asian Longhorned Beetle, through outreach, education and surveys; and

WHEREAS, all Mainers have a responsibility to stop the introduction of the Asian longhorned beetle by remaining vigilant; halting transport of firewood, nursery trees, or logs from quarantined areas; and increasing their understanding and awareness of the Asian Longhorned Beetle and its severe potential impacts on the environment and economy,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN E. BALDACCI, Governor of the State of Maine, do hereby proclaim the month of August, 2010 as

**ASIAN LONGHORNED BEETLE AWARENESS MONTH**

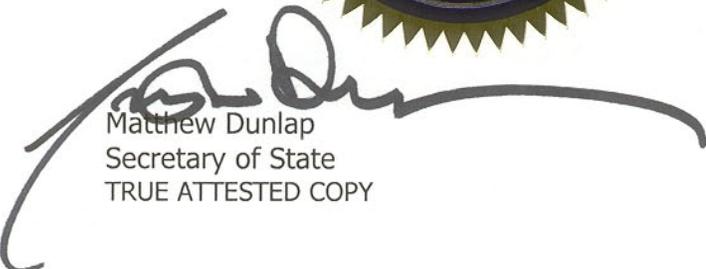
throughout the State of Maine, and urge all citizens to recognize this observance.



In testimony whereof, I have caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereunto affixed GIVEN under my hand at Augusta this fifteenth day of June Two Thousand and Ten.

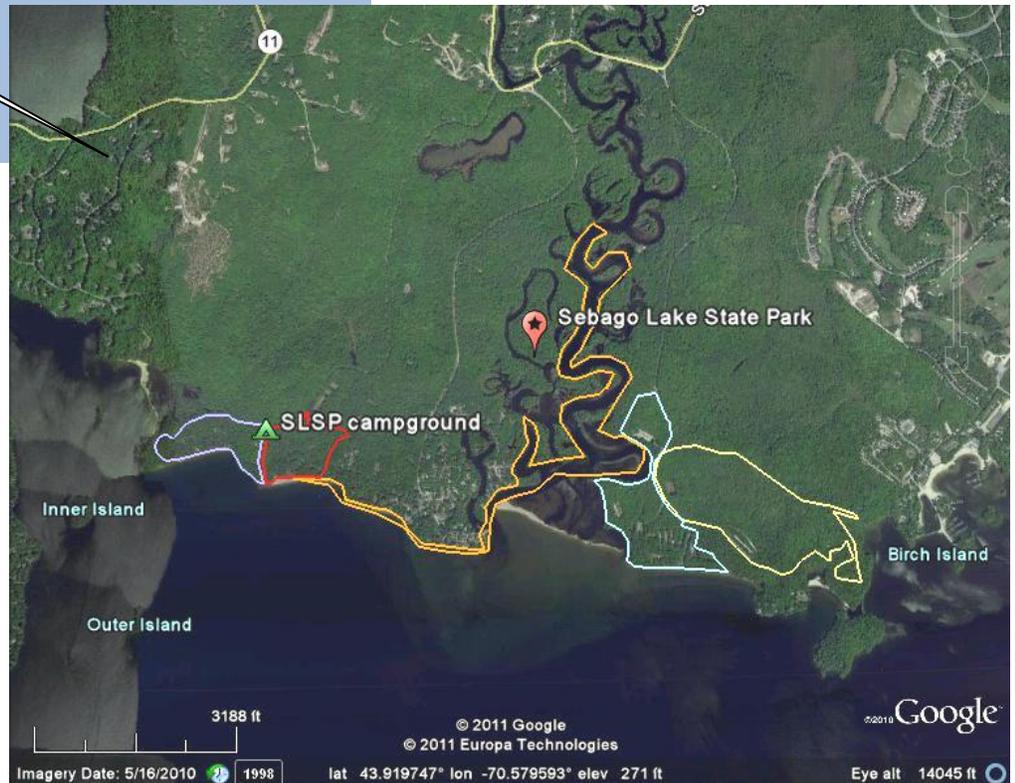
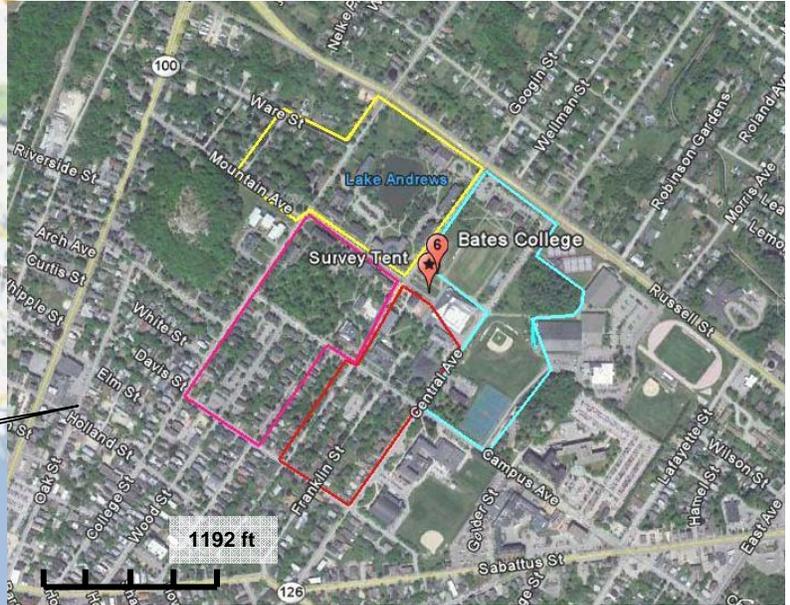
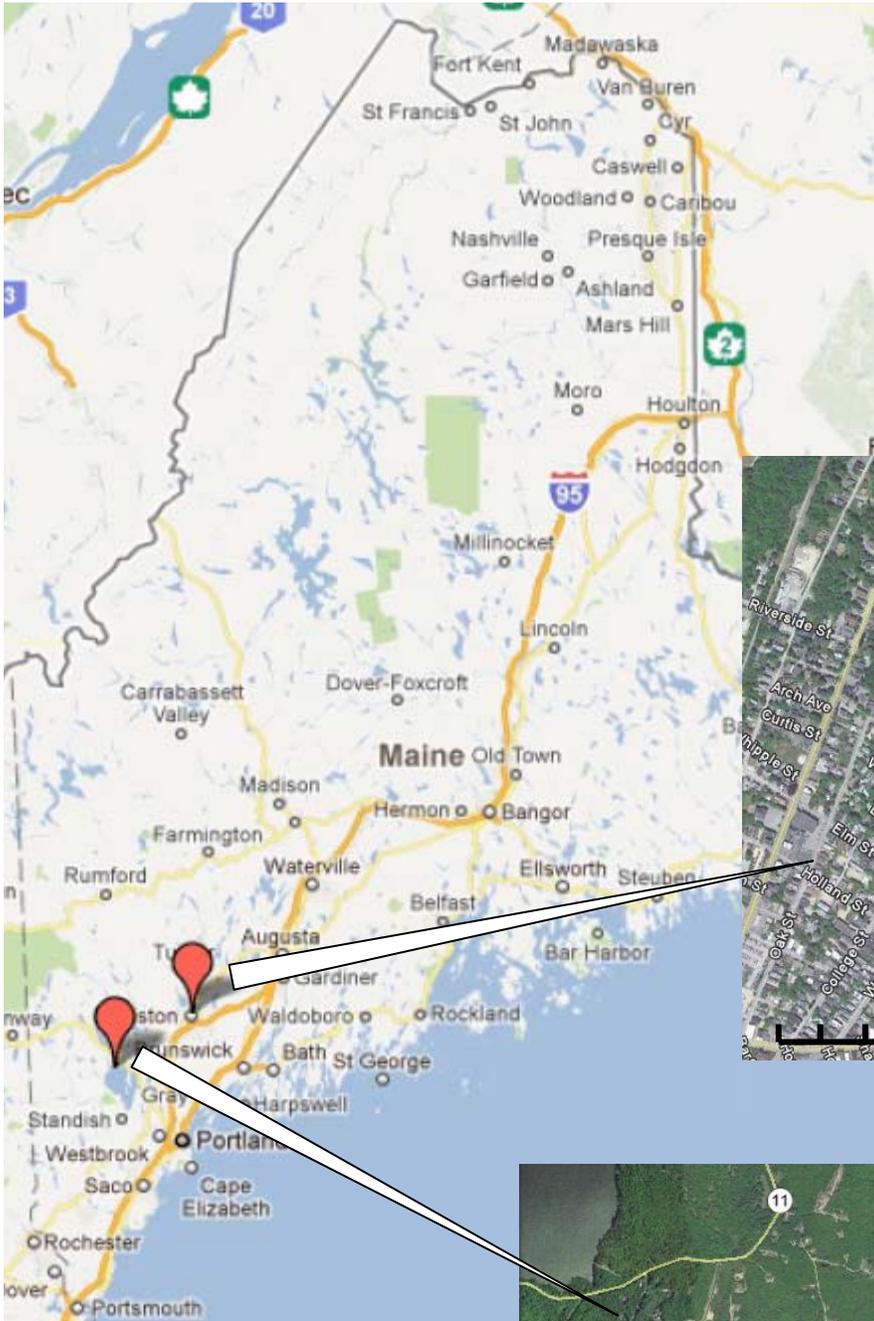


John E. Baldacci  
Governor



Matthew Dunlap  
Secretary of State  
TRUE ATTESTED COPY

# FPOSP High-risk surveys ME 2010



# Maine 2010-2011 FPOSP Outreach

Type	Town	Event / Opportunity	Number impacted	media coverage
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## Advertisement (includes hanging posters)

	Amherst			
		Alpaca Perfection Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Amherst General Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Aurora			
		Mace's Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Baileyville			
		McLoed's Variety Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Hilltop Diner	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bar Harbor			
		Acadia Invasives Poster	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Beddington			
		Airline Snack Bar/Rest Area	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Clifton			
		Fox Hill Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Parks Pond Campground	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Clifton Country Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		P and J Grocery Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Corinna			
		posters in schools	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Crawford			
		East Machias Rest Area	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cumberland County			
		Garden News electronic newsletter	400	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Dixmont			
		posters in schools	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Eddington			
		Tradewinds Market	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Etna			
		posters in schools	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Franklin, Somerset, Ken			
		Franklin County Soil & Water Conservation District newsl	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Hartland			
		posters in schools	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Meddybemps			
		Community Center	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Newport			
		posters in schools	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Northeast U.S.			
		Maine Camping Guide	500000	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Tourism Guidebook	500000	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Bar Harbor Tourism Guidebook	500000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Perry			
		45th Parallel Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>

Type	Town	Event / Opportunity	Number impacted	media coverage
	Regional			
		Conditions Report	500	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Robbinston			
		Katie's Fudge Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Southern Aroostook			
		Posters for MFS Distric Foresters	1000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	St. Albans			
		posters in schools	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Statewide			
		State Parks Passport	75000	<input type="checkbox"/>
		MECOA	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Sportsmen - firewood ad	500000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Bangor Daily News - firewood ad	1000000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		State Parks Passport	75000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Wells			
		Laudholm Farm	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>3,154,900</b>	

### Distribute materials

	Augusta			
		Viles Arboretum	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Togus VA Hospital	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bangor			
		Allagash Wilderness Waterway	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bath			
		Poster and brochures at Thorne Head Nature Preserv	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Poster and bookmarks at Sewall Woods	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Biddeford			
		Heart of Biddeford office	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		McArthur Library	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bowdoin			
		Bowdoin Town Office	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Brownville			
		Junction General Store and Entertain	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Camden			
		Bookmarks and talked to staff	53	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Camden Hills State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Stone Soup	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Casco			
		Casco Conservation Committee	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Sebago Lake State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Library Conservation Corner	12000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Coopers Mills			
		Country Corners Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cumberland County			
		Brochures at town offices	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Dover-Foxcroft			

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		Peaks-Kenny State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Edmunds Twp	Cobscook Bay State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Ellsworth	Lamione State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Fryeburg	Maine Maple Sunday	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Town library	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Greenville	Penobscot River Cooridor	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Lily Bay State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Island Falls	Library, Sewall Museum, Pine Tree Welding	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Knox County	Brochures at trailheads	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Leeds	Farm Days	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Liberty	Lake St.George State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lincolnvile	Warren Island State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Millinocket	Firewood facts/bookmarks	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Friends of Baxter Park	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Mount Desert	Bar Harbor Area Info Center	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		KOA Campground	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Mount Desert Campground	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Ogunquit	Ogunquit Chamber of Commerce Info Center	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Otisfield	Conservation Center	75	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Owls Head	Bookmarks and talked to staff	53	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Peru	Maine Maple Sunday	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Pittsfield	Maine Maple Sunday	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Port Clyde	Port Clyde General Store	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Presque Isle	Aroostook State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rangeley	Rangeley Lake State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Regional	Hill Top Campground	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rockland			

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		Maine Maple Sunday	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Bookmarks	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		State of Maine Cheese Company	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Roque Bluffs</b>			
		Roque Bluffs SP	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Scarborough</b>			
		Bayley Campground	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Searsport</b>			
		Maine Coast Welcome Center	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Oceanfront Campground	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Moose Point SP	70	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Sebago Lake area</b>			
		13 summer camps	90	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Somerset County</b>			
		Garden Centers, Greenhouses, Hardware Stores, Parks	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>South Hiram</b>			
		Maine Maple Sunday	1000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>South Portland</b>			
		Broadway Gardens	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Statewide</b>			
		Letter to Maine Maple Producers	72	<input type="checkbox"/>
		unorganized terr. Prop. Owners	6000	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Public Lands locations	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		MFS dispatchers		<input type="checkbox"/>
		ME Tourism Assoc.	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Maple Sunday	1150	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Lewis Tree- info mailed	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Sumner</b>			
		Pupil Transportation Safety Institute	3000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Thomaston</b>			
		trailhead	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Owls Head General Store	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Topsham</b>			
		Topsham Town Office	31	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Topsham Recreation Field	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Trenton</b>			
		Bar Harbor Area Chamber of Comm.	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Turner</b>			
		Hummingbird Farm	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Union</b>			
		Open Farm Days	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Waldoboro</b>			
		Waldoboro Laundry	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Moose Crossing Garden Center	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Weld</b>			
		Mount Blue State Park	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Wells</b>			
		Gregoire's Campground	50	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Type</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Event / Opportunity</b>	<b>Number impacted</b>	<b>media coverage</b>
		Wells Chamber of Commerce Info Center	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Beach Acres Campground	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Meadowledge RV Resort	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Riverside Park Campground	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Sea-vu Campground	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Stadig Campground	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Wells Beach Resort	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Westport</b>			
		Westport Town Office	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Westport Island Conservation Commission Newsletter	500	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Westport Island</b>			
		Clough Point Preserve Trailhead	150	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Campground	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Clough Point Preserve	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Bonyun Preserve	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Wilton</b>			
		Wilton Sportsmen Show	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Wiscasset</b>			
		Wiscasset Library	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>York</b>			
		Dixon's Coastal ME campground	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>York Beach</b>			
		York Beach Camper Park	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Camp Eaton	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Libby's Oceanside Camp	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>35,981</b>	

### **General Public Outreach**

	<b>Auburn</b>			
		University of Scouting	95	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Augusta</b>			
		Kennebec River Festival	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		"Bugged" video	35	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Bugmaine-ia	1000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Agricultural Trades Show	140	<input type="checkbox"/>
		CAPS roundtable	15	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Arbor Day Celebration	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Baldwin</b>			
		MeSAF Field Day	26	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Bar Harbor</b>			
		Jr. Ranger Day	35	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Acadia	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Campfire Program - Acadia National Park	1535	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Family Fun Day (Acadia NP)	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Abbe Museum	35	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Bird Walk	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Belfast</b>			
		Maine School Gardens Day	50	<input type="checkbox"/>

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	Belgrade			
		Aqua Fest	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Invasive Insect Talk	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Benton			
		Benton 4-H	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Biddeford			
		North Dam Mill	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		McArthur Library LIFE Lecture	55	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Heartworks Community Event	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Biddeford Pool Community Club Library LIFE Lecture	18	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Chalk the Walk	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Volunteer Fair at Univ of New England	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Middle School Science Classes	70	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Turtle Trek 2010	90	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Blue Hill			
		Blue Hill Library	15	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Boothbay Harbor			
		Linekin Bay Resort	15	<input type="checkbox"/>
		YMCA Camp Knickerbocker	15	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bremen			
		Landowners Meeting	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Brownville			
		Brownville Days	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Brunswick			
		Brunswick Farmers Market	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cape Elizabeth			
		Strawberry Festival	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	China			
		China Lake	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Clinton			
		4H Outreach to Church Group	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
		4H Display at Clinton Fair 3 days	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Columbia Falls			
		Downeast Salmon Federation Smelt Fry	600	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cumberland			
		Cumberland Fair Ag Ed Day	600	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Cumberland Fair	1000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cumberland County			
		Interior & Exterior Landscaping	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cumberland Cty			
		Maine Tree Club	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Site Visits	250	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cundy's Harbor			
		Cundy's Harbor Library	1400	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Cushing			
		Fales Store	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Damariscotta			
		Damariscotta Home and Garden Show	260	<input type="checkbox"/>

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	Dover-Foxcroft			
		Senior Network	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Piscataquis Valley Fair	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Edgecomb			
		SWOAM Field Day	400	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Falmouth			
		Gnome Open House	60	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Falmouth Forest Days	70	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Annual Employee Seminar	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Farmington			
		Open Garden Day	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Farmington Fair	600	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Ag Day at Farmington Fair	600	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maple Mania	15	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Franklin, Somerset, Ken			
		Franklin County Soil & Water Conservation District newsl	3400	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Franklin, Somerset, Wal			
		14 Masonic Workshops	45	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Freeport			
		Wolfe's Neck State Park	1900	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Mushroom Walk	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
		HWA training	52	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Friendship			
		Friendship Museum	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Neighbors	9	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Sea Breeze Farm	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Open Farm Days	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Fryeburg			
		Fryeburg Fair	1000	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Town meeting	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Northeast Home and Garden Show	1200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Saco River Cleanup	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Gardiner			
		Maine Science Teachers Alliance	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Gorham			
		Invasive Forest Pest Training	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Gray			
		Forestry Day	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Wildlife Park	16	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Harpswell			
		Harpswell Festival	110	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Holden			
		Holden Book Club	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Houlton			
		Winter Ag School	26	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Kittery			
		Take It Outside	425	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lewiston			

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		USM	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Limerick	Classroom Presentations	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lincolnville	Vinylhaven Ferry	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Tanglewood 4-H camp	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Waldo Conservation Fair	65	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Litchfield	Litchfield Fair	1000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Livermore	One-on-one to Friends	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Machias	MAITCA Summer Conference	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Massabesic Middle Sch	Classroom Presentations	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Milo	4H Garden Club	14	<input type="checkbox"/>
	North Yarmouth	Town Office	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Old Orchard Beach	Biddeford Saco Rotary	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Orland	Great Pond Mtn. Conservation Trust	33	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Orono	Maine Invasive Species Network	45	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Seven Islands, Orion Timberlands	43	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Encore Senior Volunteer Program	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phippsburg	Camp	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Campground Nature Walk	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Mycological Association foray	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Sebasco Harbor Resort Kids Program	1000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Portland	Deering Oaks Farmers Market	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Vital Signs Teacher Workshop	30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rangeley	Wilhelm Reich Museum	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Raymond	Summer Camp Program	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Yoga Class	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Raymond Town Office	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Raymond Library Board	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Chipman's Farm Stand	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Camp Kokatosi	16	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Aubuchon Hardware	16	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Richmond	Friends of Merrymeeting Bay	3	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rockland			

Type	Town	Event / Opportunity	Number impacted	media coverage
		Heirloom Seed Class	15	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Medomak HS Horticulture Class	30	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Coastal Childrens Museum Open House	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Rocklands Farmers Market	11	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Port Clyde Fish at Rockland Farmers Market	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Snow's Sail and Power Museum	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Friendship Day at Coastal Children's Museum	400	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Rockport</b>			
		Encore Summit	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Green Fair	175	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Saco</b>			
		Saco River Salmon Club	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Saco town meeting	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Saco Conservation Commission	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Scarborough</b>			
		Maine School Garden Education	18	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Sebago Lake SP</b>			
		"Bugged" video	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Shapleigh</b>			
		Square Pond Improvement Association	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Skowhegan</b>			
		Bloomfield Garden Club	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Skowhegan Fair	5000	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Benton Bluebirds at Skowhegan Fair	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>South Berwick</b>			
		HWA Survey	250	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Springvale</b>			
		Mousam Lake Association	36	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Statewide</b>			
		Sebago Lake Beetle Busting Event preview	37	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Tenants Harbor</b>			
		Blueberry Cove Camp	40	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Thomaston</b>			
		Thomaston Parade	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Weskaeg Farmstand	1	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Waterfront Market	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Saltwater Farm Campground	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Prison Outlet Store	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Topsham</b>			
		Topsham Public Library talk	7	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Topsham Transfer Station	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Turner</b>			
		Hummingbird Farm	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Union</b>			
		Brae Maple Farm	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Unity</b>			
		Common Ground Fair	750	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>Waterville</b>			

<b>Type</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Event / Opportunity</b>	<b>Number impacted</b>	<b>media coverage</b>
		Ranger Kids	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Wayne	Maine Mycological Association foray	30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Wells	Garden Center Open House	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Westport Island	Bonyun Preserve	150	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Town meeting	150	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Wilton	Sweet Maple Farm	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Windham	Maine Mycological Association foray	35	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Windsor	Maine 4-H Days	300	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Husseys General Store	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Windsor Fair	6000	<input type="checkbox"/>
		4H Days	150	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Winthrop	Kennebec Woodland Partnership Fall Conference	21	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Woolwich	Flea Market	125	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Yarmouth	Royal River Conservation Trust Board of Directors	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Herbie Auction	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	York	Mt. Agamenticus Learning Lodge	75	<input type="checkbox"/>
	York County	Invasive Aquatic Plant Events	72	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>			<b>38,753</b>	

### **Lurking in the Trees**

	Augusta	SWOAM Lurking in the Trees	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Belfast	Lurking in the Trees	35	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Brunswick	Lurking in the Trees	22	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Camden	Lurking in the Trees	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lewiston	Lurking in the Trees	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Skowhegan	Lurking in the Trees	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Wiscasset	Lurking in the Trees	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>			<b>115</b>	

<b>Type</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Event / Opportunity</b>	<b>Number impacted media coverage</b>	
<b><u>Media Story</u></b>				
	Bath	Article in Times Record	2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Coastal Maine	Village Soup article	5000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Lakes Region	Lake Region Reader	6000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Lewiston	Article in Sun Journal	250	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Photo essay in Sun Journal	200	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Regional	Katahdin Log Homes Newsletter	100	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Katahdin Log Homes Newsletter	35000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Southern Maine	Maine Mycological Association newsletter	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Statewide	Story on MPBN	2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		ALB Awareness Month Press Release	2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Beetle Busting Event Press Release	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Article in Northern Forest News Digest	330	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Story re Beetle Busting Event before	3000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		TNC newsletter Sebago Lake SP Survey	75	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Article in Bangor Daily News	6000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Article in Bar Harbor Times	6000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		4H Newsletter to County Coordinators	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Article in Forest Products insert Bangor Daily News	1000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Article in Bangor Daily News	2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Blurb in Down East.com	200	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	York	Interview - Living On Earth		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>71,465</b>	
<b><u>Permanent Display</u></b>				
	Hinckley	On-going display at LC Bates Museum	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Millinocket	On-going Display Friends of Baxter Park	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Turner	Hummingbird Farm	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>1,100</b>	
<b><u>Professional Talk</u></b>				
	Ashland	CLP (logger) training	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Augusta	American Forest Management Forester Training	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		MDOT Training	60	<input type="checkbox"/>

Type	Town	Event / Opportunity	Number impacted	media coverage
		UMO Forest Pests and Diseases	11	<input type="checkbox"/>
		DEP Safety supervisors	35	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Lucus Tree arborist training	45	<input type="checkbox"/>
		CLP (logger) training	14	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Baileyville			
		Woodland Pulp LLC Workshop	14	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bangor			
		Beginning Woodlot Forest Management class	22	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bar Harbor			
		Acadia Park Staff	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Acadia Park Education/Interpreters	70	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Acadia National Park Headquarters	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Bar Harbor Conservation Commission	13	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Acadia N.P. Advisory Committee	40	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Belfast			
		MDOT Training	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Brewer			
		MDOT Training	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Brunswick			
		Volunteer Stewardship Training	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Caribou			
		MDOT Training	30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Deer Isle			
		Maine Mycological Association	3000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	East Millinocket			
		CLP (logger) training	22	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Farmington			
		CLP (logger) training	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Fryeburg			
		Josselyn Botanical Society meeting	2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Gray			
		CLP (logger) training	30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Greenwood			
		CLP (logger) training	14	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Hallowell			
		Field Crew Thayer Engineering	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Houlton			
		Houlton Garden Club Monthly Meeting	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lewiston			
		Maine Mycological Association	6	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Garden Club Federation of Maine	200	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lincolnville			
		State Park Managers	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Naples			
		Lucus Tree arborist training	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Northeast Harbor			
		Lilac Hill Estate Employees	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Phippsburg			

Type	Town	Event / Opportunity	Number impacted	media coverage
		Campground Staff	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Portland	MELNA talk	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
		MDOT Training	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Arborist classes	60	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Arborists Association	150	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Pownal	Maine Mycological Association meeting	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Raymond	Raymond Conservation Committee	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Hawthorne Garden Club	5	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Saint John	CLP (logger) training	67	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Scarborough	Atlantic Landscape Employees	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Skowhegan	CLP (logger) training	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Lucus Tree arborist training	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	South Portland	Distinguished Lecture Series	26	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Vital Signs Teacher Workshop Invasive Species Panel	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Springvale	Three Rivers Land Trust	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Statewide	NRCS offices and events	1000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Topsham	Maine Land Trust Network	20	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Land Trust Network	400	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Topsham/Brunswick Garden Club	50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Vassalboro	SWOAM Chainsaw Safety Workshop	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Westbrook	Garden Club	12	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>8,154</b>	

### Survey

	Acadia National Park	ANP Survey		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Casco	Sebago Lake SP Survey	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lewiston	Lewiston Survey	100	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>125</b>	

### Trades Show

	Augusta	Maine Agriculture Trades Show	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
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<b>Type</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Event / Opportunity</b>	<b>Number impacted</b>	<b>media coverage</b>
		Agricultural Trades Show	100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bangor			
		Northeast Forest Products Expo	600	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lewiston			
		MELNA Trade Show	275	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Portland			
		Maine Landscape and Nursery Show	250	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Portland Flower Show 2010	800	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Portland Flower Show 2011	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Saco			
		Business Expo	80	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>3,105</b>	

### **Train-the-trainer**

	Augusta			
		Outreach Volunteer Training	16	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Bar Harbor			
		Outreach Volunteer Training	18	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Brunswick			
		Outreach Volunteer Training	15	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Fryeburg			
		Outreach Volunteer Training	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Rockland			
		Outreach Volunteer Training	10	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Wells			
		Outreach Volunteer Training	19	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>88</b>	

### **Website/listserve**

	Regional			
		Conditions Report	534	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Maine Forest Conditions Report	534	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Robbinston			
		MFS Conditions Report	534	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Scarborough			
		Beech Ridge Motor Speedway [mail@beechridge.com]	500	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Statewide			
		SWOAM Newsletter (Boston Find)	2000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Turner			
		Hummingbird Farm Greenhouses website	200	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		<b>TOTAL BY TYPE</b>	<b>4,302</b>	

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There are still two more years to go, but early test results show that a chemical injected into the trunks of trees in the Asian longhorned beetle quarantine zone has a negligible effect on nearby honeybees.

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**BugWatchME** Look at those invasive pests!  
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**BugWatchME** The Fryeburg Fair starts tomorrow. Michelle from Saco River Recreational Council is kindly sharing her booth space, and will have lots of information about ALB and EAB. Stop by and say hi.

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