

# PUBLIC ADVISORY

## Don't Move Firewood!

Massachusetts State Parks, along with our neighboring state park systems in Connecticut and Rhode Island, urge park users to not move firewood. Your **parks and forests are at risk of infestation by the Asian Longhorned Beetle and other pests.** Invasive species have devastated forests in the U.S. Midwest, and have recently been found in Massachusetts.

- **Leave firewood at home.**  
Buy firewood at the campground.
- Burn all firewood at your campsite, or leave firewood for the next camper. **Never bring firewood home.**
- For more **information or to report a finding,** check with park staff or visit [www.mass.gov/dcr](http://www.mass.gov/dcr)



Male Asian Longhorned Beetle  
approximately 1 3/4" long

<http://www.uvm.edu/albeetle/identification/malealb.html>

