



Douglas County Tree Service Releases Storm Season Tree Preparation Guide

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Douglas County Tree Service has published a new educational resource titled "Preparing Your Trees for Storm Season in Georgia" to help property owners prepare for severe weather risks. The guide was released on the company's website in response to the increased risk of tree failures, falling limbs, and property damage associated with storms that commonly occur between spring and early fall.

The newly published resource explains how preventive tree care can reduce the risk of storm-related damage before severe weather arrives. It outlines common warning signs that may indicate a tree is vulnerable during high winds, heavy rain, and other weather conditions that affect Georgia each year.

"Storm damage often starts with problems that were visible long before the weather changed," said Alex Laldin, Marketing Director for Douglas County Tree Service. "The goal of this guide is to help property owners recognize those warning signs early and understand the steps they can take before storms create larger safety and property concerns."

According to the guide, many storm-related tree failures are linked to existing structural issues. Dead limbs, weakened trunks, root problems, and trees with multiple competing stems can increase the likelihood of damage during severe weather events. The publication explains that trees weakened by disease, decay, or previous storm damage may also be more vulnerable when exposed to strong winds and heavy rainfall.

The resource discusses how certain tree species may be more susceptible to storm damage under specific conditions. Fast-growing trees and those with shallow root systems can experience greater stress during extended periods of rain or high winds. The guide notes that regular inspections can help identify potential concerns before they develop into more serious problems.

In addition to identifying warning signs, the publication highlights the importance of preventive maintenance. Proper pruning, removal of dead wood, and attention to structural weaknesses are among the topics covered. The guide notes that reducing excess canopy weight and addressing damaged branches may help lower the risk of breakage during storms.

The educational resource also encourages property owners to pay close attention to trees located near homes, driveways, utility areas, fences, and other structures. Trees that lean significantly, show signs of root movement, or display visible cracks may require further evaluation. The guide explains that these conditions can become more serious when severe weather places additional stress on a tree.

Another focus of the publication is the importance of planning before storms develop. The guide advises that storm preparation should take place well before severe weather warnings are issued. Waiting until a storm is approaching may limit available options and increase the likelihood of emergency situations.

The publication also explains that storm preparation is not limited to removing hazardous trees. In many cases, routine maintenance and timely corrective measures can improve a tree's ability to withstand severe weather. Identifying and addressing concerns early may help reduce the risk of unexpected failures during storm season.

Georgia experiences frequent thunderstorms and severe weather events throughout the year, particularly during the warmer months. As a result, the company stated that seasonal preparation remains an important part of overall property maintenance. The timing of the publication coincides with the period when many property owners begin evaluating outdoor conditions and potential weather-related risks.

The educational material was released as part of the company's ongoing effort to publish information related to tree care, property maintenance, and storm preparedness. Through its website, Douglas County Tree Service regularly shares guidance intended to help property owners better understand tree health, safety

concerns, and seasonal maintenance needs.

The guide presents storm preparation as a preventive measure rather than a response after damage occurs. It emphasizes that identifying potential risks early can help property owners make informed decisions about tree maintenance and safety before weather conditions worsen.

Douglas County Tree Service provides tree removal, tree trimming, stump grinding, land clearing, and emergency storm-related tree services. The company also publishes educational content through its website on tree care topics, property maintenance concerns, and seasonal issues that affect homeowners and property managers throughout the region.

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