What does this mean as far as treating community trees in private landscapes, town parks, and greenways? Do homeowners and land managers need to spray their pine trees?

The last few years, I have suggested people spray their trees with products containing the active ingredients carbaryl or permethrin. Since mbp is still active in many forests and can be transported in firewood, I still believe that applying preventive sprays is a good option. Trees in Wyoming need to be sprayed no later than early June whether homeowners decide to do it themselves or hire a commercial applicator. Please read and follow all pesticide label instructions and wear the protective equipment required as listed on the label.

Please call the Wyoming State Forestry Division at 307-777-5495 for more information.

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