



# Save Georgia's Hemlocks

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## SAVE LAKE BURTON'S HEMLOCK TREES

Do you have hemlock trees on your property? How about in your cove? Or on your neighbor's property? If so, and they have not been treated, they are most likely infested with Hemlock Woolly Adelgids like you see in this picture. Left untreated, these beautiful and valuable trees will die, but there's good news. They can be treated and saved, and spring is the best time to do it.

While it is impossible to save ALL the hemlocks in North Georgia's forests, you can save those on your own property. It's safe, highly effective, economical, and Save Georgia's Hemlocks can help. SGH is a totally volunteer 501c3 organization whose goal is to make people aware of the plight of hemlocks and show them how they can be saved. We have soil injectors, the chemical, and a local corps of trained Facilitators to show you how to treat your trees or even help do it. You will only pay the cost of the chemical, which, depending on the number of trees, should be less than \$50. We started helping homeowners on Lake Rabun treat their trees about 10 years ago, have had very good results, and would very much like to help Lake Burton residents too.

If you'd like to get involved in helping save these beautiful trees, there are many treatment projects throughout north Georgia, and we need volunteers. Click on "Schedule of Events" for details. You might even consider taking a special training course and becoming a Facilitator. Please visit [savegeorgiashemlocks.org](http://savegeorgiashemlocks.org) to find out more or contact me, Buz Stone, at 404-626-1746.

*Save Georgia's Hemlocks is a 100% volunteer, 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization of concerned citizens dedicated to preserving, conserving, and restoring endangered hemlocks through education and charitable service. To learn more, please visit our web site [www.savegeorgiashemlocks.org](http://www.savegeorgiashemlocks.org) or call the Hemlock Help Line<sup>SM</sup> 706-429-8010.*

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