

# HAVE A FALLEN TREE? NEED TO CLEAR YOUR PROPERTY? WE CAN HELP YOU AND SALMON TOO!

Reduce your removal costs, get a tax receipt, and feel good helping salmon by working with the MidCoast Watersheds Council



## WHY IS LARGE WOOD GOOD FOR SALMON?

A fallen fir, spruce or cedar tree in your yard can be much more than a big headache and cost to remove. Your large trees can be placed in streams and in marshes to create excellent habitat for salmon.



Your logs can help provide cover for juvenile fish, slow down water to collect spawning gravels, and develop deeper pools that provide refuge for both juvenile and adult fish.

## WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR:

Logs must meet certain size and species standards to help ensure they will remain in place and provide long term benefits to the creeks they are positioned in. We will take fir, spruce, or cedar. These take longer to degrade than hemlocks or hardwoods. If possible, we want logs with their roots still attached to provide even more stability once placed in a stream. The ideal logs for transport to restoration sites will be cut in 50-ft lengths, but must be at least the minimum sizes shown below. Questions? Please call before you cut.



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