

**We help protect your property.**

Although interesting to look at this pest is an invasive insect that has attacked 25 plant species which are common in multiple counties throughout Pennsylvania. This pest attacks many hosts including grapes, apples, pines, stone fruits and more than 70 additional species. This pest lays large egg masses of 30-50 eggs in October and hatches in the spring.

**Bee-Lawn technicians are trained to search for eggs and properly remove them according to state mandates.** Or if necessary kill the pests in the Nymph or Adult stages. Early detection is vital to the effective control of this pest and the protection of Pennsylvania businesses and agriculture.

**Why the Spotted Lanternfly is reproducing so quickly?**

The Spotted Lanternfly will lay eggs on any smooth trunked tree, stone or vertical smooth surface, anything that can provide a potential host for eggs masses. Manmade items like vehicles, campers, yard furniture, farm equipment or any other items stored outside are also suitable sites for egg laying. This pest starts to lay eggs in late September and continues up through the onset of winter. Eggs are hatched in the spring.

This pest has become such a danger that the State Agriculture Department has surveys underway to determine the complete spread of this pest in Berks and surrounding counties. Unfortunately, studies are showing that this pest is spreading and starting to populate in several other counties.

To learn more about Spotted Lanternfly control or to schedule a visit with a Bee-Lawn technician please call us 215.679.8204.

