“TREE WASTE MANAGEMENT: THE CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES”.

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CHALLENGE: TREE DEBRIS FROM HURRICANES, TORNADOS, AND THUNDERSTORMS
WHERE DOES IT ALL GO?

LANDFILLS
Example of a small Metro City’s budget outlay

Fiscal Year 2016#

2,721.4 tons of tree waste deposited

@$33.00 per ton.

$89,806.2 was charged to the Solid Waste Fund
SOME LANDFILL’S GRIND WOOD TO MULCH AND SELL TO CITIZENS
SOME MAKE COMPOST AVAILABLE TO PUBLIC FOR FREE
Cobb County partners with a separate grinding company
WHAT IF: YOUR CITY CREATES A WOOD RECLAMATION CENTER WITH THE PROCEEDS TO GO TO TREE BANK

- take a vacant owned City lot and make an enclosure/Fence to store and sell firewood at $1.00 per piece, sold in stacks of 10 (below market costs of $1.06 per piece) or $100.00 per pick up truck load. All collected monies to be placed in the tree bank. This service would be available during the fall and winter months. You could also use space on the same lot to create a free mulch pile for all citizens to use on their trees and gardens. The mulch could be available all year long. Mulch delivered for a fee.
COST OF A YARDMAX 25-TON 208CC HORIZONTAL / VERTICAL GAS LOG SPLITTER $999.99
OUR CITY PUTS FREE MULCH PILES AT EACH CITY OWNED PARK
WE USE MULCH IN OUR PLAY GROUNDS AND DOG PARKS
MUST USE BORDER BLOCKS!
12 IN. X 4 IN. SLATE STOMP RUBBER EDGE (6-PACK) HOLDS MULCH IN PLACE.

12 IN. X 4 IN. SLATE STOMP RUBBER EDGE (6-PACK) ABOUT $20.00 ON LINE
PARTNER WITH A WOOD RECLAMATION CENTER

North Georgia Timber - Mableton Wood Yard
Product Prices & Specification Sheet
6384 Riverview Road, Mableton, GA 30126

Office: 706-271-6017
Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Friday 8:00 am - 12 noon
Fax: 404-845-7931

All Products Must Meet These Specifications – No Exceptions
All prices $/ton

PREF Weigh all loads at NO cost to you at Atlas Van Lines
6781 Discovery Blvd., Mableton, GA 30126 (Tell them North Georgia Timber)

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<th>PULPWOOD</th>
<th>PINE</th>
<th>$10.00</th>
<th>random 12ft. 6in. - 22ft.</th>
<th>Diameter:</th>
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<td>PLYLOGS</td>
<td>PINE</td>
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<td>Min. 10in. Inside Bark Max: 28in.</td>
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<td>HARDWOOD SAW/PALLET</td>
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<td>12ft. 6in., 14ft. 6in., 16ft. 6in., 18ft. 6in.</td>
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All Ply Logs must be free of Scars, Crooks, Forks, Splits, Cut-faces, Ring Knots, Blue Stains, Insect Damage, Rot, or Hollow Areas. Ply Logs must be Trimming Flush and Cut Square, No Broken Ends or Notches!

No Crooks, Rot, Hollows, Splits, Metal, Blue Stains, or Forks allowed. Limbs must be Trimming Flush, as close to the trunk as possible.

Above Specifications are Subject to Change Without Notice
We Reserve the Right to Refuse any Product that is found to contain Foreign Objects such as Metal, Nails, Staples, Wire, etc., or is otherwise Unacceptable.
URBAN WOOD UTILIZATION DIRECTORY

• Atlanta Specialty Woods, 770-710-8966                     The Jack Ellis Company, 404-626-3323

• Little River Milling & Artisan, LLC, 678-763-2896         2 Tree Boyz Wood, 678-887-0896

• Malworks (The Georgia Chainsaw Artist), 706-892-7598     EUTree, 678-575-3869

• Atlantic Fine Woods, 678-585, 3592
Questions?

Thank you!