

(The following is a suggested letter for neighbor-to-neighbor communication regarding potentially hazardous trees. If you would like to use this form, save a copy to your computer, delete this paragraph, and edit accordingly.)

CERTIFIED MAIL  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Dear \_\_\_\_\_:

I own the property at \_\_\_\_\_, which is near your Lot \_\_\_\_\_ at Long Point on Whitemarsh Island. A number of trees on your property are diseased or dead and there is a grave danger of disease spreading to our property and infecting our trees. Moreover, there is a grave danger of some of the infested or dead trees on your property falling which could result, not only in property damage, but in personal injuries and perhaps death if the trees were to fall.

This matter has been in existence long enough and we are calling upon you at this time to immediately remove all diseased and dead trees on your property known as Lot \_\_\_\_\_ in the Subdivision.

In the event you fail to do so and damage or injury results to any of our property or our persons, a claim for those damages and/or injuries will be brought against you for all expenses and damages allowed under the laws of the State of Georgia.

We sincerely hope that you will proceed immediately to remove all infested and/or dead trees from your property to avoid any spread of disease and to remove the threat of personal injury or property damage to surrounding properties.

Sincerely,