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1. [Canadian Chestnut Council](#)
2. [American Chestnut Cooperators Foundation](#)
3. American Chestnut Council- Cadillac, MI– from Antinanco chestnut manual
4. [Chief River Nursery](#), Grafton, WI – from Antinanco chestnut manual
5. [Go Native Tree Farm](#), Manheim, PA – from Antinanco chestnut manual
6. Tree Rescue group forming in NE
  - a. [https://www.uvm.edu/femc/cooperive/projects/tree\\_rescue\\_workshop](https://www.uvm.edu/femc/cooperive/projects/tree_rescue_workshop)
7. Appalachian Trail Conservancy – Matt Drury, Resource Management Coordinator, 828.545.4789
  - a. Ash treatment and monitoring along the AT.
8. Hemlock Restoration Initiative – Margot Wallston, Program Director, [director@savehemlocksnc.org](mailto:director@savehemlocksnc.org)
  - a. Hemlock research, education and outreach, and treatment with biocontrol and beetle.
  - b. Dr. Angela Mech’s, WCU research releasing *Laricobius* eggs
  - c. Dr. Scott Salom, VT, research areas for biological control
9. [The New York State Hemlock Initiative \(NYSHI\)](#) via Cornell- researching *Laricobius nigrinus* beetles as well as two species of silver fly
10. Kentucky Heartwood-Hope for Hemlocks - <https://www.hopeforhemlocksky.org/>
11. [Save Georgia's Hemlocks](#)
12. Tennessee Hemlock Conservation Partnership
13. Forest Restoration Alliance – <https://threatenedforests.com/>
  - a. Hemlock and Fraser fir
14. Central Appalachian Spruce Restoration Initiative- <http://restoredspruce.org/>
15. [Southern Appalachian Spruce Restoration Initiative](#) (SASRI)
16. [Southern Highlands Reserve](#) is a NC partner located in Lake Toxaway (Jackson County)
17. Longleaf Pine Initiative-USDA, [Matthew Vandersande](#), LLPI Coordinator, (202) 690-1588
18. Longleaf Alliance- <https://longleafalliance.org/>
19. Shortleaf Pine Initiative- <http://www.shortleafpine.net/>
20. Whitebark Pine Ecosystem Foundation - <https://whitebarkfound.org/restoration/>
21. The Ozark Chinquapin Foundation- Leslie Bost, [lesliebost@yahoo.com](mailto:lesliebost@yahoo.com), <https://ozarkchinquapinmembership.org/>
22. Dr. Marks Christian, <https://eco.umass.edu/people/adjunct-faculty/marks-christian/>
  - a. Development of more disease resistant American elms.
23. Camcore - <https://camcore.cnr.ncsu.edu/gene-conservation/international-conservation/>
  - a. Eastern and Carolina hemlock, red spruce, Fraser fir, Atlantic white cedar, Table Mountain Pine, and two species of Ash
24. Mountain True - <https://mountaintrue.org/the-emerald-ash-borer-a-novel-threat/>
  - a. Assists other NGOs with Ash (ATC), Fraser Fir and Red Spruce (Camcore) conservation efforts
25. Forest Phytophthoras of the World - <http://forestphytophthoras.org/>
  - a. Hosts Sudden Oak Death Science Symposium
26. [Torreya Guardians](#)
27. TreeSnap App - <https://treesnap.org/partners>
28. Lower Hudson Prism-
29. New York New Jersey Trail Conference
  - o Don Wise, 845.545.1583, runs a Legacy Ash Program.

\*We partner with many researchers at various universities on chestnut restoration, as well.