

# Summer Tree Assessment Checklist for Johnson County, TX Homeowners



## Walk-Around Checklist

- ☐ Look for brittle, dead, or leafless branches.
- ☐ Check for leaning trees - especially recent or worsening tilts.
- ☐ Inspect trunks for cracks, splits, or bark separation.
- ☐ Look for mushrooms or fungal growth at the base.
- ☐ Check for pest signs like boreholes or sawdust.
- ☐ Notice thinning canopy or excessive deadwood.

## Location-Specific Risk Factors

- ☐ Inspect branches hanging over your home or power lines.
- ☐ Note low-hanging limbs obstructing walkways or driveways.
- ☐ Check for soil erosion or pooling water near tree bases.

## Know Your Tree Types

- ☐ Identify native species like Mesquite, Cedar Elm, Yaupon Holly.
- ☐ Avoid pruning oak trees during oak wilt season (spring/early summer).

## Time to Call the Pros?

- ☐ Multiple issues found during your inspection.
- ☐ Concerned about tree safety or health.
- ☐ Want a professional opinion before summer storms.

***For expert assessments and storm prep, contact Branch***

***Boss Tree Co. in Johnson County, TX.***

**(817) 487-8448**

