



CITY OF MISHAWAKA



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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION

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Superintendent

Recommended Street Trees

The following list of trees has been approved for planting in the tree lawn in the City Of Mishawaka.

As stated in the city zoning codes, no tree shall be planted in a tree or lawn area having a width of less than five feet. For tree or lawn areas greater than five feet, all trees planted in those areas shall be of healthy stock, not less than one inch in caliper.

The following list of trees has been compiled and chosen for their adaptability to urban situations. Ideal street trees need little year round maintenance, have few pest problems, have the ability to be upbranched, are disease resistant, tolerant of road salts, and are not susceptible to dieback. These trees should not have surface roots or brittle branches.

Watering is very critical to a newly planted tree. One inch (1") of water per week is required. A thorough watering that soaks in once a week is sufficient if less than one inch (1") of rain has fallen. Watering may also be necessary during drought periods for a few years after planting.

Trees are listed by botanical name, common name, growth characteristics, fall color and flower color, if applicable.

Trees not on this list may be considered for approval by the City Landscape Supervisor. A Tree Permit Application must be completed and submitted to the Parks Office in order to consider your request.

Small Trees (25' or less)

Acer buergeranum	Trident Maple
Height: 20' – 30'	Spread: 20' – 30'
	Fall color – Yellow, Orange and Red



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Acer griseum Height: 25'	Spread: 20'	Paperbark Maple Fall color – Red - Orange
Acer tataricum Height: 25'	Spread: 20'	Tatarian Maple Fall color – Red to yellow
Cornus kousa varieties Height: 20'	Spread: 20'	Chinese Dogwood Fall color – Scarlet Flowers - White
Malus 'Centurion' Height: 25'	Spread: 15' – 20'	Centurion Crabapple Flowers – Rose Red
Malus 'Sugar Tyme' Height: 18'	Spread: 15'	Sugar Tyme Crabapple Flowers – White
Oxydendrum arboreum Height: 25' – 30'	Spread: 10' – 15'	Sourwood Fall color – Scarlet Flowers – White June – July
Parrotia persica Height: 20' – 40'	Spread: 15' – 30'	Persian Parrotia Fall color – Brilliant Yellow to Orange to Scarlet
Syringa reticulata 'Ivory Silk' Height: 25'	Spread: 20'	Ivory Silk Lilac Tree Flowers – White Early to mid- June

Medium Trees (25' – 50')

Acer campestre 'Queen Elizabeth' Height: 35'	Spread: 30'	Queen Elizabeth Hedge Maple Fall color – Yellow
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<i>Acer campestre</i> 'Stgrezam' Height: 25' – 40' Spread: 25' – 40'	Stgrezam hedge Maple Fall color - Yellow
<i>Acer freemani</i> 'Celebration' Height: 45' Spread: 20' – 25'	Celebration Maple Fall color – Red to yellow
<i>Betula nigra</i> 'Heritage' Height: 45' Spread: 35'	Heritage Birch Fall color – Yellow
<i>Carpinus betulas fastigiata</i> Height: 40' Spread: 15'	Pyramidal European Hornbeam Fall color – Yellow
<i>Cercidiphyllum japonicum</i> Height: 50' Spread: 40'	Katsura Tree Fall color – Yellow
<i>Chionanthus virginicus</i> Height: 30' Spread: 25'	Fringe Tree Fall color – Bright Yellow Flowers – White May to June
<i>Corylus colurna</i> Height: 50' Spread: 25'	Turkish Hazelnut Fall color – Yellow to purple
<i>Eucommia ulmoides</i> Height: 50' Spread: 40'	Hardy Rubber Tree
<i>Gleditsia triancanthos inermis</i> 'Shademaster' Height: 45' Spread: 35'	Shademaster Honeylocust Fall color - Yellow
<i>Malus</i> 'Harvest Gold' Height: 30' Spread: 15'	Harvest Gold Crabapple Flowers – White



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Magnolia stellata 'Galaxy' Height: 40' – 50' Spread: 15'	Galaxy Magnolia Flowers – White April
Nyssa sylvatica Height: 40' Spread: 25'	Black Tupelo Fall color – Yellow to Orange to Scarlet to Purple
Ostrya virginiana Height: 35' Spread: 25'	American Hophornbeam; Ironwood Fall color – Yellow
Prunus sargentii Height: 45' Spread: 45'	Sargent Cherry Fall color – Bronze or Red Flowers – Pin April to May
Quercus acutissima Height: 35' – 45' Spread: 35'	Sawtooth Oak
Tilia tomentosa 'Sterling Silver' Height: 40' – 50' Spread 25' – 30'	Sterling Silver Linden Fall color – Yellow Flowers – Yellow – White June - July

Large Trees (50' +)

Ginkgo biloba (male varieties) Height: 50' – 80' Spread: 30' -70'	Maidenhair Tree Fall color – Yellow
Liquidambar styraciflua 'Moraine' Height: 70' Spread: 45'	Moraine Sweet Gum Fall color – Brilliant Red



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Platanus acerfolia 'Bloodgood'	Bloodgood London Plane
Height: 70' – 100' Spread: 65' – 80'	Fall color - Yellow
Quercus species	Oaks
Quercus alba	White Oak
Height: 50' – 80' Spread: 50' – 80'	
Quercus macrocarpa	Bur Oak
Height: 70' – 80' Spread: 70' – 80'	
Quercus robur	English Oak
Height: 50' – 70' Spread: 50' – 70'	
Sophora japonica 'Regent'	Regent Scholar Tree
Height: 50 – 60' Spread: 30' – 40'	Flowers – Creamy White July to mid-August
Zelkova serrata 'Green Vase'	Green Vase Zelkova
Height: 60' – 70' Spread: 50' – 60'	Fall color - Orange