

CITY OF PROSPECT, KENTUCKY
OFFICIAL PUBLIC TREE LISTING

OF

~ TREES ACCEPTABLE FOR PLANTING ~

~ TREES NOT ACCEPTABLE FOR PLANTING ~

~ INVASIVE TREES & WOODY PLANTS
DESIGNATED FOR CONTROL
AND/ OR REMOVAL ~

~~ Initially Adopted by Prospect Forestation Board, April 28, 2008 ~~

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~ TREES ACCEPTABLE FOR PLANTING ~

Bold = Native to Kentucky

Large Trees

Basswood (*aka American Linden*)

Beech, American

Beech, European

Birch, River (*highly susceptible to ice and snow damage and recommended only for moist areas; use should be carefully considered*)

Birch, Sweet (*aka Birch, Black; aka Birch, Cherry*)

Birch, Yellow

Buckeye, Ohio

Buckeye, Yellow

Catalpa, Northern

Coffeetree, Kentucky (*seedless cultivars or males only, the Kentucky State Heritage Tree*)

Cucumbertree Magnolia

Cypress, Bald

Cypress, Pond

Elm, American (*Dutch Elm Disease resistant cultivars only such as 'Princeton'*)

Elm, Chinese (*aka Lacebark elm*)

Fir, Nordman

Fir, White

Ginkgo (*males only should be planted*)

Gum, Black (*aka Tupelo, Black*)

Hackberry, Common

Hemlock, Eastern

Hickory, Bitternut

Hickory, Mockernut

Hickory, Shagbark

Hickory, Shellbark

Holly, American

Magnolia, Cucumbertree

Magnolia, Bigleaf

Maple, Norway (*limited use*)

Maple, Red (*use discretion in planting due to area over-planting*)

Maple, Sugar (*use discretion in planting due to area over-planting*)

Oak, Black

Oak, Bur

Oak, Cherrybark

Oak, Chestnut

Oak, Chinkapin

Oak, English

Oak, Northern Red

Oak, Overcup

Oak, Pin (*not recommended because locally over-planted*)

Oak, Post
Oak, Scarlet
Oak, Shingle
Oak, Shumard
Oak, Southern Red
Oak, Swamp White
Oak, Water
Oak, White
Oak, Willow
Pecan, Northern
Pine, Eastern White
Planetree, London (*newer, disease resistant cultivars only*)
Poplar, Tulip (*aka Yellow Poplar, Tuliptree, the Kentucky State Tree*)
Rubber Tree, Hardy
Sassafras, Common
Spruce, Blue
Spruce, Oriental
Spruce, Serbian
Sweetgum, American (*fruitless cultivars preferred*)
Sycamore, American
Willow, Weeping
Zelkova, Japanese

Medium Trees

Cedar, Eastern Red (*Use cultivars such as 'Canaertii' or 'Keetleri'*)
Cherry, Higan
Cherry, Japanese Flowering
Cherry, Sargent
Corktree, Amur
Elm, Slippery
Elm, Winged
Filbert, Turkish
Holly, American
Holly, Foster
Hophornbeam, American (*aka Ironwood*)
Hornbeam, American (*aka Blue Beech, Musclewood*)
Hornbeam, European
Hornbeam, Japanese
Katsura Tree
Linden, Littleleaf (*use discretion due to Japanese beetles*)
Linden, Silver (*more resistant to Japanese beetles*)
Magnolia, Saucer (*aka Tulip Magnolia*)
Magnolia, Southern (*use winter hardy cultivars only such as 'Brackens Brown Beauty' or 'Little Gem'*)
Maple, Hedge

Maple, Paperbark
Maple, Trident
Maple, Three-Flowered
Parrotia, Persian
Pear, Flowering (cultivars such as 'Cleveland Select' or Aristocrat' Pear only)
Persimmon, Common
Pine, Lacebark
Pine, Limber
Redwood, Dawn
Sassafras, Common
Silverbell, Carolina
Sourwood (*aka Lily-of-the-Valley tree*)
Stewartia, Japanese
Yellowwood, American

Small Trees

Cherry, Hally Jolivette
Cherry, Yoshino
Crabapple, Flowering (*newer, disease resistant cultivars only*)
Crape myrtle (*winter hardy cultivars only*)
Dogwood, Flowering
Dogwood, Kousa (*aka Chinese Dogwood*)
Filbert, American
Filbert, European
Hawthorn (*newer, disease resistant cultivars only*)
Lilac, Japanese Tree
Magnolia, Star
Magnolia, Sweetbay
Magnolia, Tulip
Maple, Amur
Maple, Japanese
Maple, Tatarian
Pawpaw, Common
Redbud, Eastern
Serviceberry, Downy
Witchhazel, Common

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Coffeetree, Kentucky (*Female*)

Elm, Siberian
Gingko (*female*)
Maple, Silver (*aka Maple, Water*)
Paulownia, Royal (*aka Empress Tree*)
Honeylocust, Common (*aka wild*)
Tree of Heaven

Medium Trees

Boxelder

Mimosa
Olive, Autumn
Olive, Russian
Olive, Thorny
Pear, Flowering (*except 'Cleveland Select' or 'Aristocrat' Pear*)
Pine, Virginia

Small Trees

Cherry Plum

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Ailanthus (*Tree of Heaven*)
Burning Bush, Winged
Honeysuckle, Bush
Mimosa
Olive, Autumn
Olive, Russian
Olive, Thorny
Paulownia, Royal
Privet, Chinese
Privet, European
Non-Native Roses