

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

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, Yellow

Buckeye, Yellow

Catalpa, Northern

Coffeetree, Kentucky *Seedless cultivars or males only, the Kentucky State Heritage Tree*

Cypress, Bald

Cypress, Pond

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

Elm, Chinese (*Lacebark Elm*)

Fir, Nordman

Fir, White

Ginkgo (*Only male cultivars should be planted*)

Gum, Black (*Tupelo, Black Tupelo, Sour Gum*)

Hackberry, Common

Hackberry, Sugar

Hemlock, Eastern

Hickory, Pignut

Hickory, Shagbark

Hickory, Shellbark

Hornbeam, European

Larch, European

Linden, American (*Basswood*)

Linden, Littleleaf

Linden, Silver

Magnolia, Cucumbertree

Magnolia, Umbrella

Maple, Norway (*Limited use recommended*)

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, 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, Swamp White

Oak, White

Oak, Willow

Pecan, Northern

Pine, Eastern White

Planetree, London (*Newer, disease- resistant cultivars only*)

Poplar, Tulip (*Yellow Poplar, Tuliptree; the State Tree of Kentucky*)

Redwood, Dawn

Rubber Tree, Hardy

Sassafras, Common

Spruce, Oriental

Spruce, Serbian

Sweetgum, American (*Fruitless cultivars recommended*)

Sycamore, American

Walnut, Black (*Must be carefully sited; don't plant near juglone-susceptible plants*)

Willow, Weeping

Zelkova, Japanese

Medium Trees

Buckeye, Ohio

Cherry, Higan

Cherry, Japanese Flowering

Cherry, Sargent

Corktree, Amur

Filbert, Turkish

Holly, American

Holly, Foster

Hophornbeam, American (*Ironwood*)

Hornbeam, American (*Blue Beech, Ironwood, Musclewood*)

Katsura Tree

Linden, Littleleaf (*Use discretion due to susceptibility to Japanese beetles*)

Linden, Silver (*More resistant to Japanese beetles than Littleleaf, but still some susceptibility*)

Magnolia, Bigleaf

Magnolia, Saucer (*Tulip Magnolia*)

Magnolia, Southern (*Recommend using winter hardy cultivars only such as 'Brackens Brown Beauty' or 'Little Gem'*)

Maple, Hedge

Maple, Paperbark

Maple, Trident

Maple, Three-Flower

Parrotia, Persian

Pawpaw, Common

Pear, Flowering (*Cultivars such as 'Cleveland Select' or Aristocrat' Pear only*)

Persimmon, Common

Pine, Lacebark

Pine, Limber

Sassafras, Common

Silverbell, Carolina

Silverbell, Mountain

Snowball, Japanese

Sourwood (*Lily-of-the-Valley tree*)

Stewartia, Japanese

Yellowwood, American

Small Trees

Buckeye, Red

Cherry, Yoshino

Crabapple, Flowering (*Newer, disease- resistant cultivars only*)

Crape Myrtle (*Winter hardy cultivars only*)

Dogwood, Flowering

Dogwood, Kousa (*Chinese Dogwood*)

Filbert, American

Filbert, European

Hawthorn, Green (*Newer, disease- resistant cultivars recommended*)

Hornbeam, Japanese

Lilac, Japanese Tree

Magnolia, Star

Magnolia, Sweetbay

Magnolia, Tulip

Maple, Amur

Maple, Japanese

Maple, Tatarian

Redbud, Eastern

Serviceberry, Allegheny

Serviceberry, Downy

Serviceberry, Shadblow

Stewartia, Mountain

Witchhazel, Common

~ TREES NOT ACCEPTABLE FOR PLANTING ~

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Large Trees

Coffeetree, Kentucky (*Female*)

Elm, Siberian

Gingko (*Female*)

Maple, Silver (*Water Maple*)
Paulownia, Royal (*Empress Tree*)
Honeylocust, Common
Tree of Heaven

Medium Trees

Boxelder
Mimosa
Olive, Autumn
Olive, Russian
Olive, Thorny
Pear, Flowering (*'Bradford'*)
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