

City of Albany Approved Street Trees – Updated 10/2/2018

Common Name	Scientific Name	Cultivar	Height (feet)	Width (feet)	Planting Strip Width ¹			Overhead Utility Wires ²	For Use in Stormwater Quality Facilities	Comments
					6' +	6'-5'	4-5'			
Amur maackia	<i>Maackia amurensis</i>		25	20	✓	✓		OK		Hardy tree, upright vase, white flower clusters
Box elder	<i>Acer negundo</i>	Flamingo	20	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Male selection only, short lived
Cascara	<i>Rhamnus purshiana</i>		30	12	✓	✓	✓	NR	OK	Native: small green cup-shaped flowers, black cherry-like fruit
Cherry	<i>Prunus serrulata</i>	Royal Burgundy	20	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Red-purplish foliage, pink flower
	<i>Prunus x yeodensis</i>	Cascade Snow	25	20	✓	✓		OK		White flowers, upright growth, very disease resistant
	<i>Prunus sargentii</i> 'JFS-KW58'	Pink Flair	25	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Pink flower clusters, orange-red fall color, upright narrow vase-shaped growth form
Crabapple, Flowering	<i>Malus sp.</i>	Adirondack	18	10	✓	✓	✓	OK		Good columnar variety, very good disease resistance
		Centurion	20	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Good disease resistance; Red flowers, upright growth
		Purple Prince	20	20	✓	✓		OK		Purple foliage becoming bronze green; rose red flowers
		Prairifire	20	20	✓	✓		OK		Very pink flowers, red fruit
		Red Jewel	15	12	✓	✓	✓	OK		Very red persistent fruit, white flowers
		Sugar Tyme	15	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Good disease resistance, white flowers
Dogwood, Kousa	<i>Cornus kousa</i>	Many cultivars	20	20	✓	✓		OK		Low branching, the kousa hybrid selections are the best choices, Constellation, Aurora, and Stellar Pink. All are resistant to anthracnose.

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Goldenrain	<i>Koelreuteria paniculata</i>		30	30	✓			NR	OK	Beautiful yellow flowering tree, very adaptable
		Fastigata	25	10	✓	✓	✓	OK		Columnar, yellow fall color, flowers bright yellow in large clusters
		Summerburst	30	30	✓			NR		Unique lantern-like seed capsules
Hawthorn, Paul's Scarlet	<i>Crateagus laevigata</i>	'Paul's Scarlet'	25	20	✓	✓		OK		Scarlet double flower; susceptible to rust and leaf spot
Hornbeam, American	<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>		25	20	✓	✓		OK		Difficult to transplant, dig in spring; does not tolerate compaction
Lilac tree	<i>Syringa reticulata</i>	several cultivars	20	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Upright spreading to oval, white flower clusters
Magnolia hybrid	<i>Magnolia hybrids</i>	Galaxy	30	15	✓	✓	✓	NR		A bit messy when flowers drop off
		Merril	25	25	✓	✓		OK		Yellow fall color, large white flower
Maple	<i>Acer buergeranum</i>	Trident	25	20	✓	✓		OK		Lovely fall color; must train to single stem
	<i>Acer campestre</i>	Hedge	30	30	✓			NR	OK	A tough tree with corky bark
	<i>Acer ginnala</i>	Flame	20	20	✓	✓		OK		Fragrant flowers great fall color; very adaptable; prolific seeds; multi-stemmed
	<i>Acer griseum</i>	Paperbark	25	20	✓	✓		OK		All year interest tree; good urban tolerance
Maple, Hybrid	<i>Acer truncatum x A. platanooides</i>	Pacific Sunset	30	25	✓	✓		NR		Yellow orange to bright red fall color; resistant to Japanese beetle
Persian Parrotia	<i>Parrotia persica</i>		30	20	✓	✓		NR	OK	Excellent, many fine attributes...bark, fall color; specify tree form

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		Vanessa	28	14	✓	✓	✓	NR		Upright, tightly vase shaped; fall color is orange-red
Pistachio, Chinese	<i>Pistacia chinensis</i>		30	25	✓	✓		NR		A very good urban tree, although hard to find
Redbud, Eastern	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	several cultivars	25	30	✓			OK		Beautiful small flowering tree, but can experience a lot of branch breakage, die back, and is susceptible to Verticillium
Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier laevis</i>	Snowcloud	28	15	✓	✓	✓	NR		Upright, oval good tree form, small berries
	<i>Amelanchier laevis</i> 'JFS-Arb'	Spring flurry	28	20	✓	✓		NR		Upright, oval form, white clustered flowers, orange fall colors, small purple berries
	<i>Amelanchier x grandiflora</i>	Autumn Brilliance	25	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Upright, white clustered flowers bright red fall color, small purple berries
Sourwood	<i>Oxydendrum arboreum</i>		20	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Temperamental tree, difficult to establish
Stewartia, Japanese	<i>Stewartia pseudocamellia</i>		30	20	✓	✓		NR		Great tree with white camellia-like flowers and red fall color
Snowbell, Japanese	<i>Styrax japonica</i>	Snowcone	25	20	✓	✓		OK		White bell-shaped flowers, yellow fall color, pyramidal growth form
		Pink Chimes	15	15	✓	✓	✓	OK		Pink flowers; smaller cultivar
Yellowwood	<i>Cladrastis kentukea</i>	cultivars rare	30	40	✓			NR		White and fragrant flowers
Zelkova	<i>Zelkova serrata</i> 'JFS-KW1'	City Sprite	24	18	✓	✓		OK		Compact oval to vase, yellow fall color

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