

Boulevard Tree Planting Request Form

Residents of Owen Sound can request for a tree to be planted in the boulevard in front of their property, at no cost. All requests are subject to species availability and suitability to the site. The City reserves the right to reject any requests if the tree location is unsuitable for any reason. One request per property each year will be considered.

Contact Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Tree Information

Please choose tree species from the approved list below.

First choice: _____

Second choice: _____

Location of tree on property: _____

Comments:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you have any questions about this program, please contact:

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Office Use

Place completed form in Cemetery mailbox.



City of Owen Sound
Tree Species Selection for Boulevard Planting
 Revised January 2017

Common Name	Scientific Name	Native Area	Max. Height x Width	Favoured Growing Conditions	Notable Attributes
Autumn Blaze Maple	<i>Acer freemanii</i> 'Jeffersred'	Hybrid species	40-55' x 30-40'	Full sun to part shade, low maintenance	Vibrant red fall colour
Burr Oak	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	North America	60-80' x 60-80'	Full sun, drought tolerant	Can take 35 years before acorns are produced
Ginkgo	<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>	China	50-80' x 30-40'	Full sun, low maintenance	Good street tree, urban tolerance, yellow fall colour
Hackberry	<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	North America	40-60' x 40-60'	Full sun to part shade, wet or dry soil	Attracts butterflies, seeds can be messy
Hawthorne	<i>Crataegus</i> spp.	North America	25-30' x 25-30'	Full sun, drought tolerant	Flowering, thornless varieties only
Ironwood	<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	North America	25-40' x 20-30'	Full sun to part shade, drought tolerant	Good fall colour
Japanese Tree Lilac	<i>Syringa reticulata</i>	China	20-30' x 15-20'	Full sun, low maintenance	Urban tolerance, fragrant white flowers in spring
Karpick Red Maple	<i>Acer rubrum</i> 'Karpick'	Variety	40-50' x 15-20'	Full sun to part shade, tolerates wet soil	Vibrant red fall colour
London Planetree	<i>Platanus x acerifolia</i>	Hybrid species	75-100' x 60-75'	Full sun, med to wet soil, high maintenance	Urban tolerance, showy fruit can be messy
Morgan Red Maple	<i>Acer x freemanii</i> 'Morgan'	Hybrid species	60-80' x 30-50'	Full sun, tolerates most soil types	Fast growing, intense red fall colour
Oakleaf Mountain Ash	<i>Sorbus hybrida</i>	Hybrid species	20-30' x 10-20'	Full sun, moist well drained soil	White flowers in spring, orange fruit in fall
Ornamental Pear	<i>Pyrus calleryana</i>	China	25-35' x 13-16'	Full sun, low maintenance	Urban tolerance, white flowers in spring, fall colour
Red Oak	<i>Quercus rubra</i>	North America	50-75' x 50-75'	Full sun, low maintenance	Good fall colour
Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier canadensis</i>	North America	25-30' x 15-20'	Full sun to part shade, wide range of soils	White flowers in spring, red berries and leaves in fall
Showy Mountain Ash	<i>Sorbus decora</i>	North America	20-30' x 15-20'	Full sun, moist well drained soil	White flowers in spring, red berries in fall
Sugar Maple	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	North America	40-80' x 30-60'	Full sun to part shade, well drained soil	Long lived tree, good fall colour
Silver Maple	<i>Acer saccharinum</i>	North America	50-80' x 35-70'	Full sun to part shade, moist soil	Fast growing, weak limbs can be messy
Tulip Tree	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	North America	60-90' x 30-50'	Full sun, moist well drained soil	Small tulip like flowers in spring, yellow fall colour