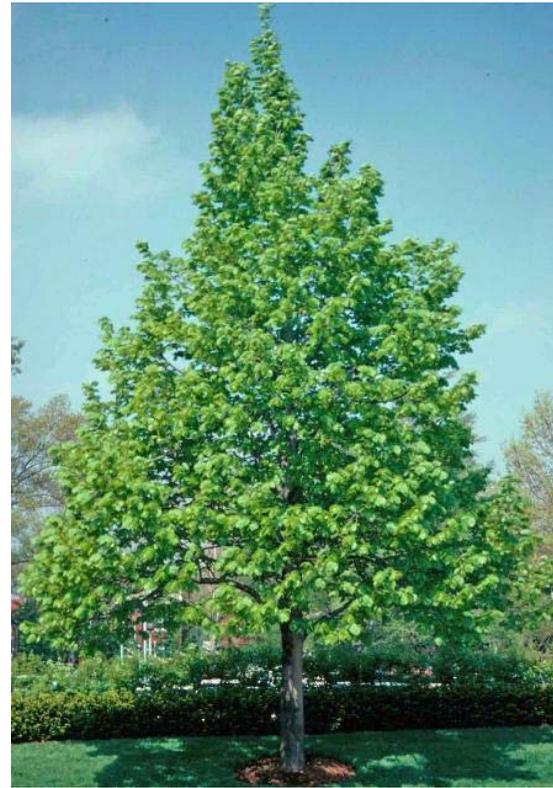


Large Trees

These trees will not be planted in areas with overhead utility lines.

Sunburst® Honeylocust

This Honeylocust variety is thorn and seedpod free, and can grow up to two feet in a year. Its leaves resemble ferns and emerge bright golden-yellow in the spring, fade to green in the summer, and turn yellow again in the fall. It will reach 30-50' tall with an equal 30-40' spread at maturity. It should be watered as soon as it is planted and weekly for the first year, unless moderate to heavy rainfall is received (adjust watering accordingly).



'Redmond' Linden

This American Linden variety is fast growing, reaching 50-75' feet tall with a 35-45' spread at maturity. Its large leaves provide good yellow color in the fall. This tree requires partial to full sun, and well-drained moist soil.

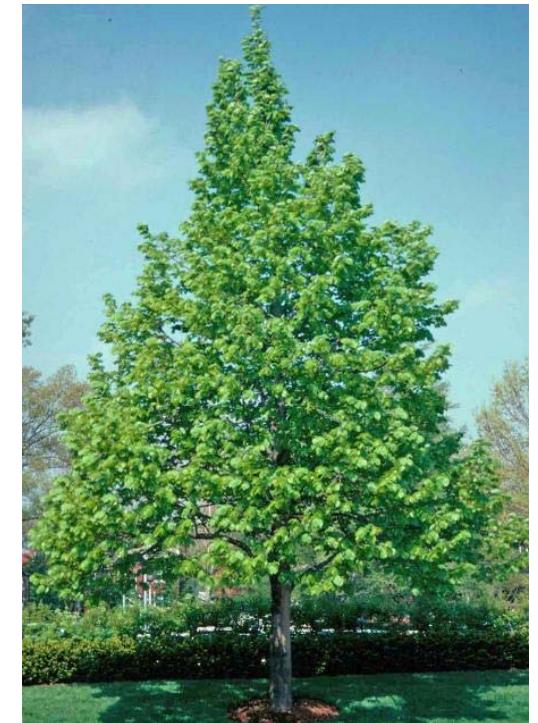


City of Mt. Pleasant

FREE TREE PLANTING PROGRAM

**Questions? Contact Public
Works at (989) 779-5401.**

**City of Mt. Pleasant
Division of Public Works
320 W. Broadway
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858**



Program Details

The City's Free Tree Planting Program provides trees at no cost to property owners within the city limits. The trees are planted in the City's right-of-way in front of the home, and not on private property. The goal of this program is to establish a diverse population of street trees to guard against disease and pests that may damage or kill an entire tree species, and to enhance the aesthetic appeal of the streets and neighborhoods within the city.

Property owners must submit an application to the Public Works office. Applications are available on the City's website at www.mt-pleasant.org, or at the Public Works office, located at City Hall, 320 W. Broadway Street. Completed applications may be returned via mail, dropped off at City Hall, or emailed to publicworks@mt-pleasant.org. Once the tree is planted, we ask that you keep the tree watered as directed, especially during the hot summer months or long periods without rainfall.

Residents who wish to plant their own tree in the right-of-way must obtain a permit from Public Works. There is no charge for the permit, but there are a few tree species that are prohibited by City Ordinance.

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AVAILABLE SPECIES for 2021

(Selections may vary depending on availability and vendor substitution)

Small Trees

If you have overhead utility lines, only small trees will be planted.

Royal Raindrops® Crabapple

This crabapple variety produces spectacular magenta pink blooms and persistent red fruit. Its deep purple leaves last throughout the heat of summer, and turn bronze, orange, and/or mahogany in the fall. It will reach a height of 20' with a 15' spread at maturity.. The Royal Raindrops requires full sun and well-drained soil. **It will not survive if overly watered.**



Adirondack Crabapple

The Adirondack Crabapple may be small in stature, but it boasts a dazzling display of delicate white flowers in the spring. This crabapple variety grows to a height of 18' with a narrow 10' spread, and is shaped like an inverted cone. It also has excellent disease resistance, which is why it has been consistently rated as a popular crabapple variety. Its dark green foliage turns orange-red in the fall, and the orange-colored fruit lasts well into winter. The Adirondack requires full sun, and it can withstand a variety of soil conditions, which make it a good choice for urban areas.



Medium Trees

These trees will not be planted in areas with overhead utility lines.

Crimson Spire™ Oak

The Crimson Spire™ Oak is well suited for narrow spaces, such as the street rights-of-way. The Crimson Spire™ Oak grows moderately fast and will reach 35-45' tall and 12-15' wide at maturity. It boasts fabulous red color in the fall. This tree requires full sun and moderate water. **It will not survive if overly watered.**

