



# Johnny Appleseed

## Street Tree Planting Project 2024



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The Johnny Appleseed Street Tree Project began in 1976 in an effort to support the City of Oakwood's commitment to urban forestry and the environment. To date, this program has been responsible for planting over 3,332 trees. Below are the highlights of the program:

-  Cost of the selected species are discounted 50% to Oakwood residents. Trees must be planted in the city right-of-way.
-  Species of trees will be 2 inches in diameter and are excellent for planting.
-  The areas of Oakwood that need trees the most, as determined by the City, will be given first priority.
-  One tree will be allocated at the 50% discount for each approved property site.
-  Tree specie selections are well suited for planting and most are resistant to disease.
-  The tree will be guaranteed for one growing season by the nursery who plants it.

Applications are available at the Oakwood Community Center during business hours, Monday through Sunday. Once the application has been completed, please return it along with your payment to the Oakwood Community Center or mail the application to the:

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Applications will be time-stamped upon receipt and are approved first according to need and then according to when the application was received.

The application deadline is [Sunday, November 3, 2024.](#)

***Thank you for your support!!!!***



### **'Greenspire' Littleleaf Linden**

*Tilia cordata*  
**'Greenspire'**



### **Tree Characteristics:**

Mature Height:	60' - 70'
Rate of Growth:	Medium
Shape:	Pyramidal
Leaves:	Dark green
Fall Color:	Yellow
Flowers:	Yellow, fragrant 2"-3" cymes in late June to early July.
Comments:	Excellent shade tree and one of the best street trees. Tolerates pollution.



**Black Gum  
Black Tupelo**  
*Nyssa sylvatica*



**Swamp White Oak**

*Quercus bicolor*  
*Swamp White Oak*



**Tree Characteristics:**

Mature Height:	30' - 50'
Rate of Growth:	Slow to Medium
Shape:	Upright and oval
Leaves:	Lustrous dark green
Fall Color:	Fluorescent yellow to orange to scarlet to purple
Fruit:	Oblong bluish black drupe, ripening late September.
Comments:	One of our most beautiful native trees. Good street tree in residential areas.

**Tree Characteristics:**

Mature Height:	50' - 80'
Rate of Growth:	Slow to Medium
Shape:	Broad, open, rounded top
Leaves:	Lustrous dark green on top with a light velvety underside.
Fall Color:	Normally yellow but some red tones might happen.
Fruit:	Acorns
Comments:	A beautiful native tree. Good street tree in residential areas.



## **'Green Mountain' Sugar Maple**

*Acer saccharum*  
'Green Mountain'



## **'Skyline' Honey Locust**

*Gleditsia tricanthos f. enermis*  
'Skyline'



### **Tree Characteristics:**

Mature Height:	50' - 60'
Rate of Growth:	Vigorous fast growing
Shape:	Upright-oval
Leaves:	Heavy textured glossy green leaves
Fall Color:	Deep yellows, oranges and reds
Fruit:	Samaras
Flowers:	Insignificant flowers that emerge before leaf set.
Comments:	Excellent shade tree for lawns, large areas and street trees.

### **Tree Characteristics:**

Mature Height:	45' - 60'
Rate of Growth:	Vigorous fast growing
Shape:	Pyramidal
Leaves:	Alternate pinnately compound
Fall Color:	Bright golden yellow
Fruit:	Reddish brown to brown pods
Flowers:	May to June. Fragrant, non showy, flowers
Comments:	Filtered shade tree that does performs well in our area.