



WEST LANSING
HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

FREE TREE Project

The **West Lansing Homeowners Association** has a **Beautification Committee** that identifies opportunities to make our neighbourhood more attractive and to take advantage of City programs where possible to make things happen. One of the best opportunities available is the City of Toronto's Urban Forestry division program to plant trees **free of charge** on the city street allowance. This means you could have a free beautiful tree in front of your house!

Why is this important? Trees:

- Help improve the environmental tree canopy adding living beauty to Toronto's neighbourhoods
- Filter air pollution
- Reduce cooling and heating costs of your house
- Generate oxygen, absorbs carbon dioxide and other harmful pollutants
- Reduce storm water run-off and the cost of water treatment
- Provide habitat for birds and other fauna
- Increase property values by adding 'curb appeal' to your home

The list of trees available can be found at: www.westlansing.ca or www.toronto.ca/trees

Trees should be planted in the fall and spring of 2013/2014. Scheduling of your tree for planting will depend on when your request is received, and the availability of the species.

Please help increase the tree canopy in our area by signing the request form below and mailing or dropping it off to the noted address.

Please complete the form below and return or mail it to:

WLHA Beautification Committee
c/o Pauline Noonan
116 Johnston Ave
Toronto, M2N 1H2

Please fill out and return this request form for your free tree

The owner may choose two species listing them in order of preference. Requests are filled subject to species availability and suitability of the site. Trees will be planted during the earliest possible spring or fall planting season.

Homeowners Name _____
(please print)

Signature _____

Address _____ Postal Code _____

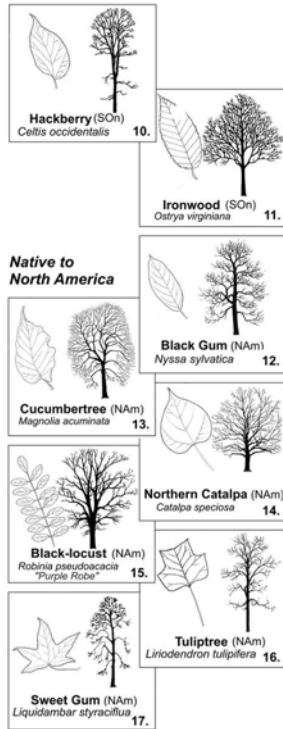
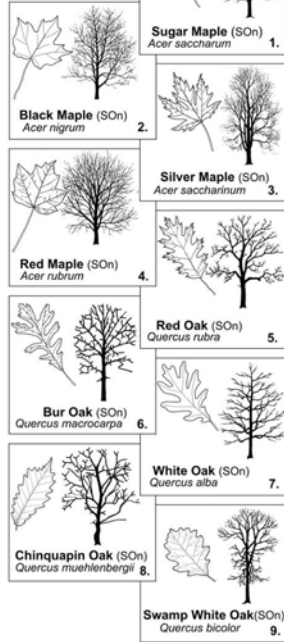
Telephone (H) _____ (W) _____

First Choice _____ Second Choice _____

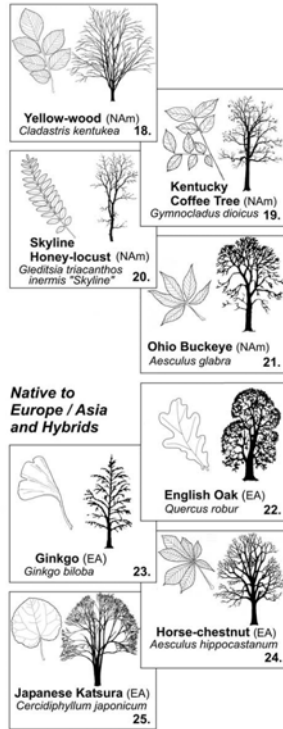
NOTE: Your tree selection will be dependant upon when your request is received, the availability of the species and the location of high voltage wires that might limit the possible tree options.

Tree Selection

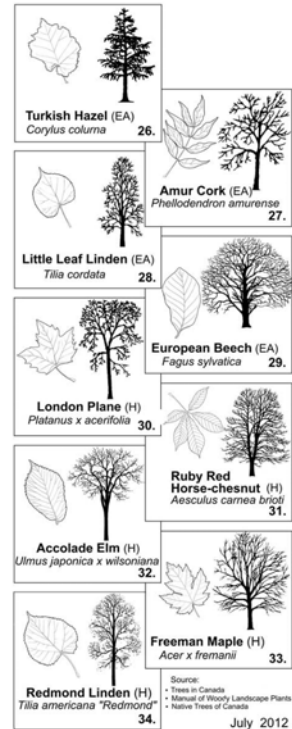
Native to Southern Ontario



Native to North America



Native to Europe / Asia and Hybrids



Source:
• Trees in Canada
• Manual of Woody Landscape Plants
• Native Trees of Canada
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