

Goodlettsville Approved Tree List

	Small Tree List - Based on height at 20 years or less			Variety or Cultivar	Notes
	Small Trees				
	Evergreens				
	Arborvitae	<i>Thuja</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>		
	Emerald Arborvitae	<i>Thuja</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>	'Emerald'	
	American Holly	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>opaca</i>		
	Boulevard False Sawara Cypress	<i>Chamaecyparis</i>	<i>pisifera</i>	'Boulevard'	Use in small quantities
	Carolina Laurel Cherry	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>caroliniana</i>		
	Foster Holly	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>attenuata</i>	'Fosteri'	
	Hinoki Cypress - Golden	<i>Chamaecyparis</i>	<i>obtusa</i>	'Aurea'	Use in small quantities
	Skylands Spruce	<i>Picea</i>	<i>orientalis</i>	'Skylands'	Use in small quantities
	Red Tip Photinia	<i>Photinia</i>	<i>fraseri</i>		
	Little Gem Southern Magnolia	<i>Magnolia</i>	<i>grandifolia</i>	'Little Gem'	
	Dwarf Alberta Spruce	<i>Picea</i>	<i>glauca</i>	'Conica'	
	Dwarf Crape Myrtles	<i>Lagerstroemia</i>	<i>various depending on color</i>		
	Chinese-Fringe Tree	<i>Chionanthus</i>	<i>retusus</i>		
	American-Fringe Tree	<i>Chionanthus</i>	<i>virginicus</i>		
	Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>	<i>various depending on color</i>		
	European Hornbeam	<i>Carpinus</i>	<i>betulus</i>	'Fastigiata'	
	Flowering Dogwood	<i>Cornus</i>	<i>florida</i>		Any color
	Golden-Rain Tree	<i>Koelreuteria</i>	<i>paniculata</i>		
	Hawthorn	<i>Crataegus</i>	<i>phaenopyrum</i>		Any thornless types
	Japanese Maples	<i>Acer</i>	<i>palmatum</i>		Cold hardy varieties, use small quantities
	Kousa Dogwood	<i>Cornus</i>	<i>kousa</i>		
	Kwanzan Cherry	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>serrulata</i>	'Kwanzan'	
	Redbud	<i>Cercis</i>	<i>canadensis</i>		Any yellow leaf or purple leaf variety
	Sargent Cherry	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>sargentii</i>		
	Saucer Magnolia	<i>Magnolia</i>	<i>soulangeana</i>	'Mary Jane'	
	Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier</i>	<i>arorea</i>		
	Smoke Tree	<i>Cotinus</i>	<i>coggygria</i>		Any green or purple leaf variety
	Weeping Higan Cherry	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>subhirtella pendula</i>		
	Carolina Silverbell	<i>Halesia</i>	<i>carolina</i>		
	Note: Some of these small trees may reach the 'Medium' category after 20 years				
	Not Recommended				
	Pear (Bradford, Callery)	<i>Pyrus</i>	<i>calleryana</i>		Breakage and short lived
	Sourwood	<i>Oxydendrum</i>	<i>arborea</i>		High mortality rate
	Yoshino Cherry	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>x yedoensis</i>		Untill current leaf disease is eradicated

Medium Tree List - Based on height at 20 years or less				Variety or Cultivar	Notes
Medium Trees					
Evergreens					
	Austrian Pine	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>nigra</i>		
	Blue Ice Arizona Cypress	<i>Cupressus</i>	<i>arizonica glabra</i>	'Blue Ice'	
	Eastern Red-Cedar	<i>Juniperus</i>	<i>virginiana</i>		
	Green Giant Western Red-Cedar	<i>Thuja</i>	<i>plicata</i>	'Green Giant'	
	Japanese-Cedar	<i>Cryptomeria</i>	<i>japonica</i>		
	Sweetbay Magnolia	<i>Magnolia</i>	<i>virginiana</i>		
	Autumn Blaze Red Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>x freemanii</i>	'Jeffersred'	
	Crape Myrtles	<i>Lagerstroemia</i>	<i>varies by color</i>		
	European Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>cordata</i>		
	Goldburst Thornless Honey Locust	<i>Gleditsia</i>	<i>triacanthos</i>		
	Lacebark Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>parvifolia</i>		
	Paperbark Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>griseum</i>		Use in small quantities
	Seedless Sweetgum	<i>Liquidambar</i>	<i>styraciflua</i>	'Rotundiloba'	
	Tree Lilac	<i>Syringa</i>	<i>reticulata</i>		
	Trident Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>buergerianum</i>		Use in small quantities
	Yellowwood	<i>Cladrastis</i>	<i>kentukea</i>		Use in small quantities
	Note: Some of these medium trees may reach the 'Large' category after 20 years				
Not Recommended					
	Boxelder	<i>Acer</i>	<i>negundo</i>		Boxelder beetles, weak limbs
	Hemlock	<i>Tsuga</i>	<i>canadensis</i>		Woolly adelgid
	Leyland Cypress	<i>Cupressus</i>	<i>leylandii</i>		Seiridium canker
	Sassafras	<i>Sassafras</i>	<i>albidum</i>		Untill Laurel Wilt is eradicated

Large Tree List - Based on height at 20 years or more			Variety or Cultivar	Notes
Large Trees				
Evergreens				
Blue Atlas Cedar	<i>Cedrus</i>	<i>atlantica</i>	'Glauca' or 'Pendula'	
Norway Spruce	<i>Picea</i>	<i>abies</i>		
Southern Magnolia	<i>Magnolia</i>	<i>grandiflora</i>		
Loblolly Pine	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>taeda</i>		
Not Recommended				
American Basswood	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>americana</i>		
American Elm (Disease resistant)	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>americana</i>	'Accolade'	Any resistant to Dutch Elm Disease
Bald-cypress	<i>Taxodium</i>	<i>distichum</i>		
Black Tupelo	<i>Nyssa</i>	<i>sylvatica</i>		
Chinese Chestnut	<i>Castanea</i>	<i>mollissima</i>		
Dawn Redwood	<i>Metasequoia</i>	<i>glyptostroboides</i>		
Ginkgo	<i>Ginkgo</i>	<i>biloba</i>		Male varieties
Kentucky-Coffee Tree	<i>Gymnocladus</i>	<i>dioicus</i>		
Pecan	<i>Carya</i>	<i>illinoensis</i>		
Oak, Bur	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>macrocarpa</i>		
Oak, Cherrybark	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>falcata pagodifolia</i>		
Oak, Chinkapin	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>muehlenbergii</i>		
Oak, Sawtooth	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>acutissima</i>		
Oak, Shumard	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>shumardii</i>		
Oak, Southern Red	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>falcata</i>		
Oak, Swamp White	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>bicolor</i>		
Oak, Water	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>nigra</i>		
Oak, White	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>alba</i>		
Oak, Willow	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>phellos</i>		
Red Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>rubrum</i>		All color varieties
Sugar Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>saccharum</i>		All color varieties
Sweetgum	<i>Liquidambar</i>	<i>styraciflua</i>		
Tulip-Poplar	<i>Liriodendron</i>	<i>tulipifera</i>		
Zelkova	<i>Zelkova</i>	<i>serrata</i>		
Not Recommended				
Ash Trees	<i>Fraxinus</i>	<i>spp.</i>		Disease imminent
Black Walnut	<i>Juglans</i>	<i>nigra</i>		Thousand Cankers disease
American Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>americana</i>		Dutch Elm (use varieties of elms resistant to Dutch Elm disease)
Hackberry	<i>Celtis</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>		Overabundance in middle TN, Asian wooly hackberry aphid
Eastern White Pine	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>strobus</i>		Until White Pine Wilt & White Pine Decline is eradicated
Northern Red Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>rubra</i>		Until the new disease dissipates
Pin Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>palustris</i>		Presently over planted and dieback - Bacterial Leaf Scorch

Recommended Deciduous & Semi-evergreen Shrubs	
Scientific Name	Common Name
Abelia (Linnaea) x grandiflora & cultivars	Glossy Abelia
Aronia arbutifolia & cultivars	Red Chokecherry
Chaenomeles speciosa	Flowering Quince
Clethra alnifolia	Sweet Pepperbush
Forsythia x intermedia	Flowering Forsythia
Hamamelis virginiana	Witch Hazel
Hydrangea quercifolia & cultivars	Oakleaf Hydrangea
Ilex serrata	Finetooth Holly
Ilex verticillata	Winterberry
Itea virginica	Virginia Sweetspire
Kolkwitzia amabilis	Beautybush
Viburnum species & cultivars	Viburnum