



Zoning Resolution

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37-96 - Landscaping Selection Lists

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4/22/2009

37-961 - Selection list for perimeter trees

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BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME
<i>Acer campestre</i>	Hedge Maple*
<i>Acer ginnala</i>	Amur Maple*
<i>Acer negundo</i>	Boxelder*
<i>Acer truncatum</i>	Shantung Maple*
<i>Amelanchier arborea</i>	Downy Serviceberry
<i>Amelanchier canadensis</i>	Shadblow Serviceberry
<i>Amelanchier laevis</i>	Allegheny Serviceberry
<i>Betula lenta</i>	Sweet Birch*
<i>Betula nigra</i> "Heritage"	Heritage River Birch*
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	American Hornbeam
<i>Cedrus atlantica</i>	Atlas Cedar
<i>Cedrus deodara</i>	Deodar Cedar
<i>Crataegus laevigata</i>	English Hawthorn
<i>Crataegus viridis</i>	Green Hawthorn

<i>Cornus mas</i>	Cornelian Cherry*
<i>Cornus racemosa</i>	Gray Dogwood*
<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	Redbud
<i>Hamamelis vernalis</i>	Vernal Witchhazel
<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	American Witchhazel
<i>Koelreuteria paniculata</i>	Goldenraintree
<i>Larix laricina</i>	Tamarack
<i>Magnolia stella</i>	Star Magnolia
<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Sweetbay Magnolia
<i>Maackia amurensis</i>	Amur Maackia
<i>Pinus virginiana</i>	Virginia Pine
<i>Prunus cerasifera</i>	Purpleleaf Plum
<i>Prunus 'Okame'</i>	Okame Cherry
<i>Prunus padus</i>	European Birdcherry
<i>Prunus sargentii</i>	Sargent Cherry
<i>Prunus serrulata</i> “Kwanzan”	Japanese Flowering Cherry
<i>Prunus virginiana</i> “Schubert”	Schubert Cherry
<i>Prunus x yedoensis</i>	Yoshino Cherry
<i>Rhus copallina</i>	Shinning Sumac

Salix discolor	True Pussy Willow
Sambucus nigra	Black Elderberry
Syringa reticulata	Japanese Tree Lilac

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37-962 - Selection list for interior trees

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BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME
Acer rubrum	Red Maple ¹
Acer saccharinum	Silver Maple ¹
Acer x freemanii	Freeman Maple ¹
Catalpa speciosa	Northern Catalpa
Celtis occidentalis	Hackberry
Celtis laevigata	Sugar Hackberry
Eucommia ulmoides	Hardy Rubber Tree
Fraxinus americana	American Ash ¹
Fraxinus excelsior	European Ash ¹
Fraxinus pennsylvanica	Green Ash ¹
Gleditsia triacanthos inermis	Honeylocust
Ginkgo biloba	Ginkgo

<i>Gymnocladus dioicus</i>	Kentucky Coffeetree
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	Black Walnut
<i>Larix decidua</i>	European Larch
<i>Larix laricina</i>	American Larch
<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	Sweetgum
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Tulip Tree
<i>Metasequoia glyptostroboides</i>	Dawn Redwood
<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	Tupelo
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	American Sycamore
<i>Platanus x acerifolia</i>	London Planetree
<i>Pyrus calleryana</i>	Callery Pear ³
<i>Quercus bicolor</i>	Swamp White Oak
<i>Quercus imbricaria</i>	Shingle Oak
<i>Quercus palustris</i>	Pin Oak
<i>Quercus phellos</i>	Willow Oak
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern Red Oak
<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Baldcypress
<i>Ulmus americana</i>	American Elm ^{1,2}
<i>Ulmus carpinifolia</i>	Smooth-leaf Elm ^{1,2}

Ulmus parvifolia	Lace Bark Elm ^{1,2}
Styphnolobium japonicum	Scholar Tree
Tilia americana	Basswood/American Linden
Zelkova serrata	Japanese Zelkova

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² Only cultivars of elms that have been bred for resistance to Dutch Elm Disease

³ Excluding "Bradford" cultivar

37-963 - Selection list for ground covers and shrubs

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GROUND COVERS	
BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME
Asclepias tuberosum	Butterfly Weed
Calamagrostis stricta	Slimstem Reedgrass
Comptonia peregrina	Sweetfern
Cortaderia selloana "Pumilla"	Dwarf Pampas Grass
Euonymus coloratus	Euonymus
Festuca glauca	Blue Fescue Grass
Juniperus horizontalis	Creeping Juniper
Hibiscus moscheutos	Swamp Rose Mallow*

<i>Iris pallida</i>	Sweet Iris
<i>Iris sibirica</i>	Siberian Iris
<i>Iris versicolor</i>	Blue Flag Iris

SHRUBS	
BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME
<i>Abelia grandiflora</i>	Glossy Abelia
<i>Aesculus parviflora</i>	Bottlebrush Buckeye
<i>Andromeda polifolia</i>	Bog-rosemary
<i>Aronia arbutifolia</i>	Red Chokeberry
<i>Aronia melanocarpa</i>	Black Chokeberry
<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>	Eastern Baccharis
<i>Betula nana</i>	Dwarf Birch
<i>Betula pumila</i>	Bog Birch
<i>Calluna vulgaris</i>	Scotch Heather
<i>Castanea pumila</i>	Chinkapin
<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	Buttonbush
<i>Chamaecyparis</i> spp.	Chamaecyparis
<i>Clethra alnifolia</i>	Summersweet
<i>Cornus sericea</i>	Redtwig Dogwood

<i>Cornus sericea</i> “Flaviramea”	Yellowtwig Dogwood
<i>Cotoneaster dammeri</i>	Bearberry Cotoneaster
<i>Daphne cneorum</i>	Rose Daphne
<i>Daphne caucasica</i>	Caucasian Daphne
<i>Ericacarnea</i>	Spring Heath
<i>Euonymus fortunei</i>	Wintercreeper Euonymus
<i>Eubotrys racemosa</i>	Swamp Doghobble
<i>Gaylussaciabrachycera</i>	Box Huckleberry
<i>Hydrangea quercifolia</i>	Oakleaf Hydrangea
<i>Ilex crenata</i>	Japanese Holly
<i>Ilex glabra</i>	Inkberry
<i>Ilex verticillata</i>	Winterberry
<i>Itea virginica</i> “Henry’s Garnet”	Virginia Sweetspire
<i>Juniperus procumbens</i>	Japgarden Juniper
<i>Juniperus sabina</i>	Savin Juniper
<i>Juniperus squamata</i>	Singleseed Juniper
<i>Kalmia angustifolia</i>	Sheep Laurel
<i>Ledum groenlandicum</i>	Labrador Tea
<i>Leiophyllum buxifolium</i>	Box Sandmyrtle

<i>Leucothoe racemosa</i>	Sweetbells <i>Leucothoe</i>
<i>Microbiota decussata</i>	Russian Arborvitae
<i>Myrica gale</i>	Sweetgale
<i>Paxistima canbyi</i>	Canby <i>Paxistima</i>
<i>Pieris floribunda</i>	Mountain <i>Pieris</i>
<i>Rhododendron canadense</i>	Rhodora
<i>Rhododendron viscosum</i>	Swamp Azalea
<i>Rhododendron atlanticum</i>	Coast Azalea
<i>Rhus aromatica</i> "Gro-Lo"	Gro-Lo Sumac
<i>Rosa Palustris</i>	Swamp Rose
<i>Spirea x bumaldi</i> "Anthony Waterer"	Goldflame <i>Spirea</i>
<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>	American Cranberry
<i>Zenobia pulverenta</i>	Dusty <i>Zenobia</i>

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