



## City of Chicago Urban Tree Planting List

### List Premises:

- This list is not intended to be exhaustive but identifies urban tolerant trees, suitable for hardiness zones 5 and 6, and planted within the City of Chicago.
- Whenever possible, trees should be grown within 200 miles of their planting location.
- Trees may be planted as bare-root, balled & burlapped (B&B), grow bag or container grown.
- Parkway and sidewalk cut out trees should have a single central stem and be in tree form.
- Tree selection should follow the Chicago Bureau of Forestry's Guidelines for Tree Diversity.

### List Key:

<b>City Parkway</b>	The city parkway refers to a predominantly continuous soil planting area within the public right-of-way, typically greater than 4' wide and adjacent to the curb line of a street.
<b>Sidewalk Cut-out</b>	A sidewalk cut-out refers to an opening in a sidewalk completely surrounded by concrete, asphalt, or pavers. This category also identifies trees better suited to parkways on arterial streets, narrow parkways (less than 4' wide), and other restricted size planting sites.
<b>Median</b>	Median trees are in landscape medians, traffic circles or other planters in the center of the roadway.
<b>Private Property</b>	Private property includes residential, corporate, parks, golf courses, cemeteries, or any other landscaped planting site not within the public right-of-way.
<b>Under Wires</b>	Smaller trees better suited for planting under utility wires.
<b>Salt Tolerant</b>	Salt tolerant trees are recommended for use in areas which are subject to road salt.
<b>Spring Planting Best</b>	Trees which may require spring planting or at least to be nursery dug in the spring to improve establishment and survivability rates.
<b>Promotes Diversity</b>	Tree Species or Species varieties occurring less frequently within Chicago.
<b>Availability</b>	
	GD = Good: commonly available in most nurseries
	AV = Average: available in many nurseries
	LTD = Limited: available in some nurseries in limited quantities or sizes
	VLTD = Very Limited: somewhat difficult to find in nurseries
	NA = Not Available: currently no known growers
<b>Ease of Transplant</b>	
	GD = Good: Easily transplantable
	AV = Average: Transplants reasonably well
	DIF= Difficult: Requires special consideration for successful transplant

<b>Native to Illinois*</b>	
N = not native	
Y = native	
Y - C = native cultivar	
Y - H = native hybrid	
Y - V = native variety	
<b>Hardiness</b>	Based upon Bureau of Forestry tree survivability in Chicago.
EX = Excellent: good overall survivability	
GD = Good: performs well	
AV = Average: grows within the area	
AV-PR= Average to Poor: may grow within protected sites but otherwise not survive in exposed sites.	
<b>USDA Hardiness</b>	Zones for the United States which range between 1 (Northern most zone) and 13 (Southern most zone) which measure cold hardiness of trees relative to the severity of winter (cold season) weather developed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.
<b>AHS Heat Zone</b>	Zones for the United States which range between 1 (Northern-most zone) and 12 (Southern-most zone) which measure heat hardiness of trees relative to the severity of summer (hot season) weather developed by the American Horticultural Society. <a href="http://www.ahs.org/publications/heat_zone_map.htm">http://www.ahs.org/publications/heat_zone_map.htm</a>
<b>Climate Change Ready**</b>	Survivability with sustained increased annual temperatures.

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		Species	Cultivar															
White Fir	<i>Abies</i>	<i>concolor</i>					●				●	AV	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1	
Hedge Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>campestre</i>		●			●	●	●	●	●	AV	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 4	
Amur maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>ginnala</i>	'Flame'	●			●	●			●	AV	AV	N	AV	3 - 8	7 - 1	
State Street® Miyabe Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>miyabei</i>	'Morton'	●		●	●	●	●		●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 6	8 - 1	
Miyabe Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>miyabei</i>		●		●	●	●			●	GD	GD	N	GD	5 - 8	8 - 1	
Black Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>nigrum</i>		●			●				●	LTD	AV	Y	AV	4 - 8	8 - 3	
Crimson king maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>platanoides</i>	'Crimson King'	●			●			●		GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1	
Deborah Norway maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>platanoides</i>	'Deborah'	●			●			●		GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1	
Emerald Luster maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>platanoides</i>	Emerald Lustre™	●			●			●		GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1	
Satisfaction maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>platanoides x truncatum</i>	'Satisfaction'	●			●			●		GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1	
Sycamore Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>pseudoplatanus</i>		●	●		●		●	●		NA	AV	N	AV	5 - 8	8 - 1	
Silver Queen Silver Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>saccharinum</i>	Silver Queen'	●		●	●			●		NA	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 9	8 - 1	
Skinner's Cut-leaved Silver Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>saccharinum</i>	'Skinneri'	●		●	●			●		NA	GD	Y - C	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1	
Fall Fiesta Sugar Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>saccharum</i>	Fall Fiesta	●			●			●		AV	AV	Y - C	GD	3 - 8	8 - 1	
Green Mountain® Sugar Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>saccharum</i>	'PNI 0285'	●			●			●		AV	AV	Y - C	AV	4 - 8	8 - 1	
Norwegian Sunset® Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>truncatum x A. platanoides</i>	'Keithsform'	●			●			●		LTD	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1	
Pacific Sunset® Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>truncatum x A. platanoides</i>	'Warrenred'	●		●	●	●		●		AV	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1	
Sienna Glen® Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>x freemanii</i>	'Sienna'	●		●	●					LTD	GD	Y - H	GD	4 - 7	8 - 1	
Autumn Fantasy Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>x freemanii</i>	'Autumn Fantasy'	●		●	●					GD	GD	Y - H	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1	
Marmo Maple	<i>Acer</i>	<i>x freemanii</i>	'Marmo'	●		●	●					GD	GD	Y - H	GD	4 - 7	9 - 1	
Ohio Buckeye	<i>Aesculus</i>	<i>glabra</i>		●	●		●				●	AV	AV	Y	GD	4 - 7	7 - 1	

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	Genus	Species	Cultivar															
Baumann Horsechestnut	<i>Aesculus</i>	<i>hippocastanum</i>	'Baumannii'	●	●		●		●		LTD	AV	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Yellow Buckeye	<i>Aesculus</i>	<i>octandra</i>		●			●		●		LTD	AV	Y	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
European Black Alder ***	<i>Alnus</i>	<i>glutinosa</i>					●				GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	7 - 1		
White Alder ***	<i>Alnus</i>	<i>incana</i>					●				LTD	GD	N	GD	2 - 6	6 - 1		
Apple Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier</i>	<i>x grandiflora</i>		●		●	●	●			LTD	GD	Y - H	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1		
Allegheny Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier</i>	<i>laevis</i>		●		●	●				LTD	GD	Y	GD	4 - 9	9 - 3		
River Birch	<i>Betula</i>	<i>nigra</i>		●			●		●		GD	AV	Y	GD	4 - 9	9 - 1		
Heritage River Birch	<i>Betula</i>	<i>nigra</i>	'Heritage'	●			●		●		GD	AV	Y - C	GD	4 - 9	9 - 1		
European Hornbeam	<i>Carpinus</i>	<i>betulus</i>		●			●		●		AV	DIF	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
American Hornbeam	<i>Carpinus</i>	<i>caroliniana</i>		●			●	●	●		AV	DIF	Y	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Bitternut Hickory	<i>Carya</i>	<i>cordiformis</i>					●		●		NA	DIF	Y	AV-PR	4 - 9	9 - 1		
Pignut Hickory	<i>Carya</i>	<i>glabra</i>					●		●		NA	DIF	Y	AV-PR	5 - 8	8 - 1		
Shellbark Hickory	<i>Carya</i>	<i>laciniosa</i>					●		●		NA	DIF	Y	AV-PR	5 - 8	8 - 1		
Shagbark Hickory	<i>Carya</i>	<i>ovata</i>					●		●		LTD	DIF	Y	AV	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Mockernut Hickory	<i>Carya</i>	<i>tomentosa</i>					●		●		NA	DIF	Y	AV-PR	5 - 9	9 - 1		
Chinese Catalpa	<i>Catalpa</i>	<i>ovata</i>		●			●				VLTD	GD	N	AV	5 - 8	NA		
Northern Catalpa	<i>Catalpa</i>	<i>speciosa</i>		●	●	●	●	●			GD	GD	Y	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Sugarberry	<i>Celtis</i>	<i>laevigata</i>		●			●				AV	GD	Y	AV	5 - 9	NA		
Chicagoland Hackberry	<i>Celtis</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>	'Chicagoland'	●	●	●	●				LTD	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Hackberry	<i>Celtis</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>		●	●	●	●				GD	GD	Y	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Windy City Hackberry	<i>Celtis</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>	'Windy City'	●	●	●	●				LTD	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Katsuratree	<i>Cercidiphyllum</i>	<i>japonicum</i>					●		●		GD	DIF	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Eastern Redbud	<i>Cercis</i>	<i>canadensis</i>		●			●	●	●		GD	AV	Y	AV	3 - 9	9 - 6		
Whitebud	<i>Cercis</i>	<i>canadensis</i>	'Alba'	●			●	●	●		VLTD	AV	Y - C	AV	3 - 9	9 - 6		
American Yellowwood	<i>Cladrastis</i>	<i>kentuckea</i>		●			●				VLTD	AV	Y	AV	4 - 8	9 - 1		
Yellowwood Perkins Pink	<i>Cladrastis</i>	<i>kentuckea</i>	'Perkins Pink'	●			●				NA	AV	Y - C	AV	4 - 8	9 - 1		
Pagoda Dogwood	<i>Cornus</i>	<i>alternifolia</i>					●		●		AV	AV	Y	AV-PR	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Corneliancherry Dogwood	<i>Cornus</i>	<i>mas</i>		●			●		●		GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 5		
Turkish Hazelnut	<i>Corylus</i>	<i>columna</i>		●			●		●		AV	AV	N	AV	4 - 7	NA		
Thornless Cockspur Hawthorn	<i>Crataegus</i>	<i>crusgalli</i>	var. <i>inermis</i>	●		●	●	●	●		GD	GD	Y - V	GD	4 - 7	7 - 1		
Washington Hawthorn	<i>Crataegus</i>	<i>phaenopyrum</i>				●	●	●	●		GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Winter King Green Hawthorn	<i>Crataegus</i>	<i>viridis</i>	'Winter King'			●	●	●	●		GD	GD	Y - C	GD	4 - 7	7 - 5		
Hardy Rubber Tree	<i>Eucommia</i>	<i>ulmoides</i>					●				VLTD	GD	N	AV	5 - 7	7 - 1		
American Beech	<i>Fagus</i>	<i>grandifolia</i>					●		●		LTD	DIF	Y	AV-PR	4 - 9	9 - 1	N	
Fern-leaved European Beech	<i>Fagus</i>	<i>sylvatica</i>	'Asplenifolia'				●		●		AV	DIF	N	AV-PR	5 - 9	8 - 1	N	
Copper Beech	<i>Fagus</i>	<i>sylvatica</i>	'Purpurea' (syn. 'Cuprea')				●		●		AV	DIF	N	AV-PR	4 - 7	9 - 4	N	
Ginkgo, Male only	<i>Ginkgo</i>	<i>biloba</i>		●	●	●	●				AV	GD	N	GD	4 - 9	9 - 3		
Magyar Ginkgo	<i>Ginkgo</i>	<i>biloba</i>	'Magyar'	●	●	●	●				LTD	GD	N	GD	4 - 9	9 - 3		
Princeton Sentry Ginkgo	<i>Ginkgo</i>	<i>biloba</i>	'Princeton Sentry'	●	●	●	●				LTD	GD	N	GD	4 - 9	9 - 3		
Imperial honeylocust	<i>Gleditsia</i>	<i>triacanthos</i>	var. <i>inermis</i> 'Imperial'	●	●	●	●	●			GD	GD	Y - V	GD	4 - 8	7 - 1		
Shademaster honeylocust	<i>Gleditsia</i>	<i>triacanthos</i>	var. <i>inermis</i> 'Shademaster'	●	●	●	●	●			GD	GD	Y - V	GD	4 - 8	7 - 1		
Skyline honeylocust	<i>Gleditsia</i>	<i>triacanthos</i>	var. <i>inermis</i> 'Skyline'	●	●	●	●	●			GD	GD	Y - V	GD	4 - 8	7 - 1		
Kentucky Coffeetree	<i>Gymnocladus</i>	<i>dioicus</i>		●	●	●	●		●		GD	GD	Y	GD	4 - 8	9 - 2		

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Black Walnut	<i>Juglans</i>	<i>nigra</i>					●	●	●	●	LTD	DIF	Y	AV	4 - 9	9 - 3		
Chinese Juniper	<i>Juniperus</i>	<i>chinensis</i>	Upright cultivars				●	●	●	●	AV	GD	N	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Eastern Redcedar	<i>Juniperus</i>	<i>virginiana</i>					●	●	●	●	AV	GD	Y	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Canaert Eastern Redcedar	<i>Juniperus</i>	<i>virginiana</i>	'Canaertii'				●	●	●	●	AV	GD	Y	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
European Larch	<i>Larix</i>	<i>decidua</i>		●			●	●	●	●	AV	AV	N	AV	3 - 6	6 - 1	N	
Moraine Sweetgum	<i>Liquidambar</i>	<i>styraciflua</i>	'Moraine'	●			●			●	LTD	DIF	Y - C	AV-PR	5 - 10	10 - 1		
Tuliptree	<i>Liriodendron</i>	<i>tulipifera</i>					●		●	●	LTD	DIF	Y	AV-PR	5 - 9	9 - 2		
Thornless Osage Orange	<i>Maclura</i>	<i>pomifera</i>	'Wichita'	●			●	●	●	●	VLTD	GD	N	GD	4 - 10	10 - 1		
Thornless Osage Orange	<i>Maclura</i>	<i>pomifera</i>	'White Shield'	●			●	●	●	●	VLTD	GD	N	AV	4 - 10	10 - 1		
Cucumbertree magnolia	<i>Magnolia</i>	<i>acuminata</i>		●			●		●	●	LTD	AV	Y	AV	4 - 8	8 - 2		
Korean Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>	<i>baccata</i>	var. jackii				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	8 - 1		
Sargent's Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>	<i>sargentii</i>					●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Golden Raindrops® Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>	<i>transitoria</i>	'Schmidtcutleaf'				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	5 - 8	8 - 5		
Zumi Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>	<i>x zumi</i>					●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 2		
Red Peacock Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>		'Red Peacock'				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	8 - 1		
Purple Prince Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>		Purple Prince				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 8	8 - 1		
Red Jewel Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>		'Red Jewel' (syn. 'Jewelcole')				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	8 - 1		
Beverly Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>		'Beverly'				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Cardinal Crabapple	<i>Malus</i>		'Cardinal'				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Dawn Redwood	<i>Metasequoia</i>	<i>glyptostroboides</i>		●	●	●			●	●	VLTD	AV	N	AV	5 - 9	10 - 5		
Black Gum, Tupelo	<i>Nyssa</i>	<i>sylvatica</i>					●		●	●	LTD	AV	Y	AV-PR	4 - 9	9 - 7		
Ironwood	<i>Ostrya</i>	<i>virginiana</i>		●			●		●	●	AV	GD	Y	GD	3 - 9	9 - 5		
Black Hills Spruce	<i>Picea</i>	<i>glauca</i>	'Densata'				●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	2 - 7	7 - 1		
Serbian Spruce	<i>Picea</i>	<i>omorika</i>					●		●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	8 - 1		
Colorado Blue Spruce	<i>Picea</i>	<i>pungens</i>	var. glauca				●		●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	2 - 8	7 - 1		
American Sycamore	<i>Platanus</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>		●			●		●	●	AV	GD	Y	AV	5 - 9	9 - 3		
Exclamation!™ London Planetree	<i>Platanus</i>	<i>x acerifolia</i>	'Morton Circle'	●	●		●	●	●	●	LTD	GD	N	AV	5 - 8	9 - 5		
Ovation™ London Planetree	<i>Platanus</i>	<i>x acerifolia</i>	'Morton Euclid'	●	●		●	●	●	●	LTD	GD	N	AV	5 - 8	9 - 5		
Siouxland Poplar	<i>Populus</i>	<i>deltoides</i>	'Siouxland'	●			●	●	●	●	LTD	GD	Y - C	AV	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Quaking Aspen	<i>Populus</i>	<i>tremuloides</i>					●	●	●	●	AV	GD	Y	AV	1 - 8	8 - 1		
Robusta Poplar	<i>Populus</i>	<i>x euramerica</i>	'Robusta'	●			●	●	●	●	LTD	GD	N	AV	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Sargent Cherry	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>sargentii</i>		●	●		●		●	●	VLTD	GD	N	AV	5 - 8	9 - 4		
Canada Red Choke Cherry	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>virginiana</i>	'Canada Red'	●	●		●		●	●	AV	GD	Y - C	AV	2 - 7	8 - 1		
Douglas fir	<i>Pseudotsuga</i>	<i>menziesii</i>					●		●	●	GD	GD	N	AV	4 - 7	7 - 5		
White Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>alba</i>		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	LTD	DIF	Y	GD	3 - 9	8 - 1		
Crimson Spire™ Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>alba x robur</i>	'Crimschmidt'	●	●		●		●	●	VLTD	AV	N	GD	5 - 9	NA		
Swamp White Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>bicolor</i>		●	●	●	●		●	●	GD	GD	Y	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Hill's Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>ellipsoidalis</i>		●		●	●		●	●	AV	GD	Y	AV	3 - 7	7 - 1		
Shingle Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>imbricaria</i>		●	●	●	●		●	●	AV	AV	Y	AV	5 - 8	8 - 4		
Bur Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>macrocarpa</i>		●		●	●		●	●	GD	DIF	Y	AV	3 - 8	9 - 1		
Chinkapin Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>muehlenbergii</i>		●		●	●		●	●	AV	AV	Y	GD	4 - 8	8 - 2	Y	
Chestnut oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>prinus</i>		●		●	●		●	●	AV	AV	Y	AV	4 - 8	8 - 3		
English Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>robur</i>		●	●		●		●	●	VLTD	AV	N	GD	3 - 8	8 - 3		

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Skymaster® English Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>robur</i>	'Pyramich'	●	●		●		●	●	VLTD	AV	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 3		
Regal Prince English Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>robur</i> 'Fastigiata' x <i>Q. bicolor</i> 'Long'		●	●		●		●	●	GD	AV	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 3		
Shumard's Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>shumardii</i>		●			●		●	●	LTD	AV	Y	GD	3 - 9	8 - 1		
Heritage® Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>x macdanielii</i>	'Clemons'	●	●		●		●	●	VLTD	AV	N	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Staghorn sumac	<i>Rhus</i>	<i>typhina</i>				●	●	●	●	●	AV	GD	Y	GD	3 - 8	8 - 1		
Chicago Blues Black Locust	<i>Robinia</i>	<i>pseudoacacia</i>	'Chicago Blues'	●			●		●	●	LTD	AV	Y - C	AV	4 - 9	9 - 3		
Japanese pagodatree	<i>Sophora</i>	<i>japonica</i>		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	VLTD	GD	N	AV	5 - 9	9 - 5		
Mountain ash	<i>Sorbus</i>	<i>aucuparia</i>		●			●		●	●	AV	GD	N	AV	3 - 7	7 - 1	N	
China Snow® Peking Lilac	<i>Syringa</i>	<i>pekinensis</i>	'Morton'	●			●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	7 - 1	N	
Summer Snow Japanese Tree lilac	<i>Syringa</i>	<i>reticulata</i> ssp. <i>reticulata</i>	'Summer Snow'	●	●		●	●	●	●	LTD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 3		
Ivory Silk Japanese Tree Lilac	<i>Syringa</i>	<i>reticulata</i> ssp. <i>reticulata</i>	'Ivory Silk'	●	●		●	●	●	●	GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 8	7 - 3	N	
Baldcypress	<i>Taxodium</i>	<i>distichum</i>		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	GD	GD	Y	GD	5 - 11	12 - 5		
Shawnee Brave Baldcypress	<i>Taxodium</i>	<i>distichum</i>	'Shawnee Brave'	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	GD	GD	Y - C	GD	5 - 11	12 - 5		
Eastern Arborvitae	<i>Thuja</i>	<i>occidentalis</i>					●			●	GD	GD	Y	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1		
American Sentry Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>americana</i>	'American Sentry'	●		●	●			●	GD	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 8	8 - 1		
Boulevard Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>americana</i>	'Boulevard'	●		●	●			●	LTD	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 8	8 - 1		
Redmond Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>americana</i>	'Redmond'	●		●	●				GD	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 8	8 - 1		
Legend™ Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>americana</i>	'Wandell'	●		●	●			●	LTD	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 8	8 - 1		
American Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>americana</i>		●			●				AV	GD	Y	GD	3 - 9	8 - 1		
White basswood	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>americana</i>	var. <i>heterophylla</i>	●			●			●	VLTD	GD	Y - V	GD	4 - 8	8 - 1		
Glenleven littleleaf linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>cordata</i>	'Glenleven'	●		●	●				GD	GD	N	GD	2 - 7	8 - 1	N	
Golden cascade linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>cordata</i>	'Golden cascade'	●			●			●	LTD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	8 - 1	N	
Littleleaf linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>cordata</i>		●		●	●				GD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	8 - 1	N	
Norlin® linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>cordata</i>	'Norlin'	●			●			●	LTD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	8 - 1	N	
Harvest gold® linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>mongolica</i>	'Harvest gold'	●			●			●	VLTD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1	N	
Bigleaf Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>platyphyllos</i>		●			●				LTD	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	8 - 4	N	
Green Mountain® Silver Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>tomentosa</i>	PNI 6051	●		●	●			●	VLTD	GD	N	GD	5 - 8	9 - 6		
Sterling Silver™ Silver Linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>tomentosa</i>	'Sterling'	●			●			●	LTD	GD	N	GD	5 - 8	9 - 6		
Crimean linden	<i>Tilia</i>	<i>x euchlora</i>		●			●			●	VLTD	GD	N	GD	3 - 7	7 - 1	N	
Valley forge Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>americana</i>	'Valley Forge'	●	●		●			●	AV	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Princeton Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>americana</i>	'Princeton'	●	●		●			●	AV	GD	Y - C	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Regal Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>carpinifolia</i>	'Regal'	●	●	●	●				AV	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	NA		
Commendation™ Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>carpinifolia</i>	'Morton Stalwart'	●	●	●	●		●		AV	GD	N	GD	4 - 9	NA		
Discovery Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>davidiana</i>	var. <i>Japonica</i> 'Discovery'	●	●		●	●	●		LTD	GD	N	GD	2 - 7	NA		
Accolade® Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>japonica x wilsoniana</i>	'Morton'	●	●	●	●		●		AV	GD	N	GD	5 - 8	8 - 1		
Patriot Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>wilsoniana</i>	'Patriot'	●	●	●	●		●		AV	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	NA		
Prospector Wilson's Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>wilsoniana</i>	'Prospector'	●	●	●	●		●		AV	GD	N	GD	4 - 7	NA		
Triumph™ Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	<i>x</i>	'Morton Glossy'	●	●	●	●		●		GD	GD	N	GD	4 - 9	9 - 1		
Nannyberry	<i>Viburnum</i>	<i>lentago</i>					●			●	AV	GD	Y	GD	2 - 8	8 - 1		
Blackhaw	<i>Viburnum</i>	<i>prunifolium</i>					●			●	AV	GD	Y	GD	3 - 9	9 - 1		
Village Green Japanese Zelkova	<i>Zelkova</i>	<i>serrata</i>	'Musashino'	●	●	●	●		●	●	LTD	AV	N	AV	5 - 8	9 - 5		
Village Green Japanese Zelkova	<i>Zelkova</i>	<i>serrata</i>	'Village Green'	●	●	●	●		●	●	LTD	AV	N	AV	5 - 8	9 - 5		

City of Chicago Urban Tree Planting List				Planting Site					Other									
Common Name	Scientific Name			City parkway	Sidewalk cut out	Median	Private property	Under wires	Salt tolerant	Spring planting best	Promotes Diversity	Availability	Ease of transplant	Native to Illinois*	Hardiness	USDA Hardiness zone	AHS Heat Zone	Climate Change Ready**
	Genus	Species	Cultivar															
* based upon Kenneth R Robertson's <i>List of Woody Plants Native or Naturalized in Illinois</i> 2010.																		
** based upon AHS zone heat intolerance and/or poor cultivation in southern United States.																		
<p>These trees are planted by City Agencies subject to availability. Please note, not all trees are appropriate for planting in all locations. This list is periodically updated by the Chicago Bureau of Forestry. For questions about appropriate planting sites or utilizing tree species not listed, please contact the Bureau of Forestry at 312-746-5254. The Bureau of Forestry reserves the right to prohibit tree species deemed unsuitable for parkway use.</p> <p>revised 1/2024</p>																		