



Tree Selection Questionnaire

Contact Information

Tree Recipient Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Address Where Tree Will Be Planted

House Number and Street Name: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Which tree benefits are you most interested in for the location where you will plant the tree?

Please check all that apply.

Screening/Privacy: _____ "I would like a tree that will help to create privacy on my property."

Flowering: _____ "I would like a tree that flowers in the spring."

Fall Color: _____ "I would like a tree with fall color."

Wildlife: _____ "I would like a tree that attracts birds and other wildlife."

Shade: _____ "I would like a tree that will provide shade for a particular area of my property."

Energy Efficiency: _____ "I would like a tree that will help to reduce my energy bills."

Storm water management: _____ "I would like a tree that will help to soak up water in my yard."

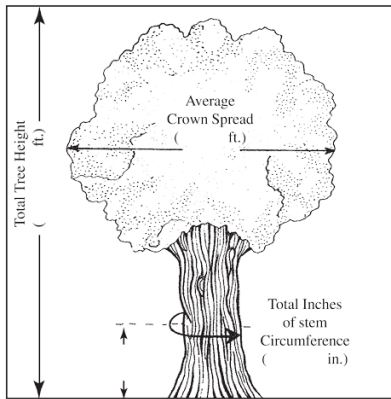
Food: _____ "I would like a tree that produces fruit or nuts."

What is the soil type of where you will plant the tree? Please check all that apply.

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| _____ Acidic | _____ Alkaline | _____ Loamy | _____ Silty Loam |
| _____ Moist | _____ Wet | _____ Well Drained | _____ Dry |
| _____ Sandy | _____ Rich | _____ Clay | _____ Drought Tolerant |
| _____ Uncertain | | | |

How much sun does the tree planting location receive? Please check all that apply.

- Full sun - 6 or more hours of direct sun per day
- Part sun - 4 to 6 hours of direct sun per day, including some afternoon sun
- Part shade - 4 to 6 hours of direct sun per day, mostly before midday
- Full shade - less than 4 hours of direct sun per day



How much space is there for the tree to grow? Please check all that apply.

Tip: Measure out how much room there is for a tree to fill without its growth being restricted.

Height - The mature height of the tree

- Powerlines - "There are power lines above the space where my tree will grow."
- No Powerlines - "There are no power lines above the space where my tree will grow."
- 25' or less 25' to 50' 50' to 75' 75' or more

Spread – How wide the crown of the tree will be at maturity

Tip: Consider if there are any walls, fences, or property lines the tree canopy would grow into or cross over.

- 15' or less 15' to 40' 40' to 60' 60' or more

Plant at least....

- 20 feet away from home for trees 70' tall or more
- 15 feet away from home for trees 30' – 70'
- 10 feet away from home for trees 30' tall or less
- 5 feet away from sidewalks

Call 811 before you dig – the national number that connects you to your local call-before-you-dig center. This will allow you to get the approximate location of buried utility lines marked.