



## TOWN OF FARRAGUT - RECOMMENDED TREE LIST

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Native</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Hardiness</u>	<u>OH Lines</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Red Maple	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Invasive roots
Sugar Maple	Y	C/S	T	N	Invasive roots
Trident Maple	N	C/S	T	D	Possible choice as small shade tree where overhead lines are fairly close
River Birch	Y	C	T/M	N	Can be messy, overused
Yellow wood	Y	C	T	N	Can be messy, not common
American Beech	Y	C	D	N	Invasive roots, prefers shade
Green Ash	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Plant seedless variety if in parking lot setting
Red Cedar	Y	C	T	D	Underused tree. Prefers full sun but very tolerant
Sweet Gum	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Plant seedless variety if in parking lot setting/invasive roots
Tulip Poplar	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Needs ample space
Blackgum/Black Tupelo	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Slow to medium growth rate. Prefers moist, well-drained soils
Sycamore	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Can be messy. Needs space
White Oak	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Needs ample space
Red Oak	Y	C/S	T	N	Needs ample space
Arborvitae, American	Y	C	T	D	Possible substitute for less desirable Leyland Cypress
Arizona Cypress	N	C	T	D	Drought tolerant and fast growing
Arborvitae, Green Giant	N	C	T	D	Very fast growing. Good substitute for Leyland Cypress
Honeylocust	Y	C/S	T	N	Plant seedless variety if in parking lot, dry weather tolerant
Ginkgo	N	C/S	T	N	Plant male variety only. Slow growing but very hardy
Elm (Allee, Bosque)	N	C/S	T	N	Good street tree and near sidewalks
Zelcova	N	C/S	T	N	Vase shaped form is good for providing visibility underneath
Willow Oak	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Performs best in well-drained slightly acidic soil
Hornbeam, American	Y	C	D	N	Plant in a low or shady area - does not tolerate compacted soil
Sourwood	Y	C	T	N	Prefers acidic soil with lots of organic matter
Bald Cypress	Y	C	T/M	N	Deciduous tree with evergreen appearance
Dawn Redwood	N	C	T	N	Deciduous conifer for large areas with well-drained slightly acid soils
Japanese Cryptomeria	N	C	T	D	Good substitute for less desirable Leyland Cypress
American Holly	Y	C	T	N	Prefers some shade and needs good drainage
Hemlock, Carolina	Y	C	M	N	Can be sensitive to urban conditions
Shingle Oak	Y	C/S	T	N	Prefers full sun, dry weather tolerant
Overcup Oak	Y	C/S	T/M	N	Slow growing, can tolerate poorly drained soils
Shumard Oak	Y	C/S	T	N	Roots do not tolerate disturbance, drought tolerant, fast growing
Nuttall Oak	Y	C/S	T	N	Good for poorly drained site, prefers full sun

Southern Magnolia	Y	C	T	N	Needs ample space and can be messy
Spruce	D	C	D	N	Numerous varieties
Deodar Cedar	N	C	T	N	Prefers full sun
Red Buckeye	Y	U/F	T/M	Y	Needs moist, well-drained soil, slightly acid in full sun or partial shade
Amur Maple	N	U/F	T	Y	Good non-native tree
Serviceberry	Y	U/F	T/M	Y	Prefers moist, well-drained, acid soil
Redbud	Y	U/F	T	Y	Very tolerant though overused
Fringe Tree	Y	U/F	T	Y	Grows well in full sun to moderate shade
Dogwood, Flowering	Y	U/F	T	Y	Anthraco nose can be a problem, prefers some shade
Dogwood, Kousa	N	U/F	T	Y	Resistant to Anthracnose
Hawthorn, Winter King	Y	U/F	T	Y	Dry weather tolerant
Carolina Silverbell	Y	U/F	M	Y	Needs shade, not drought tolerant
Witch Hazel	Y	U/F	M	Y	Needs shade, not drought tolerant
Sweetbay Magnolia	Y	U/F	T/M	Y	Prefers moist, acid soils
Little Gem Magnolia	Y	U/F	T	Y	Slow growing
Saucer Magnolia	N	U/F	T	Y	Best in sunny setting
Star Magnolia	N	U/F	T	Y	Slow growing
Blackhaw Viburnum	Y	U/F	T	Y	Very tolerant
Southern Blackhaw	Y	U/F	T	Y	Good substitute for dogwood
Foster Holly	N	U/E	T	Y	Good for narrow spaces
Nellie R. Stevens Holly	N	U/E	T	Y	Hardy, good screen tree
Japanese Maple	N	U/F	T	Y	Slow growing, best as specimen tree
Ornamental Cherry	N	U/F	T	Y	Numerous varieties



## TOWN OF FARRAGUT - RECOMMENDED LARGE SHRUB LIST

SHRUBS (Only includes selected large shrubs that could be used to fulfill the "large shrub" requirements of ordinance)

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Native</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Hardiness</u>	<u>OH Lines</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Bottlebrush Buckeye	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Tolerates some drought, slow-moderate growth
Sweetshrub	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Excellent native shrub
Mockorange, Common	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Prefers rich soil in full sun to light shade
Red Osier Dogwood	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Red twigs add visual interest
Indigo Bush	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Prefers full sun
Possumhaw	Y	S	T/M	Y	A deciduous holly
Winterberry	Y	S	T/M	Y	Slow growing, good for wet soils
Inkberry Holly	Y	E/S	T/M	Y	Prefer full sun with ample moisture

Virginia Sweetspire	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Very attractive and fragrant
Spicebush	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Good for butterflies and bees
Rhododendron	Y	F/S	M	Y	Numerous varieties
Highbush Blueberry	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Generally prefers full sun
Mapleleaf Viburnum	Y	F/S	T	Y	Prefers moist soil, moderate acid, and light shade
Crape Myrtle	N	F/S	T	Y	Overused and can be damaged by extreme cold weather
Burford Holly	N	E/S	T	Y	Overused in the past
Loropetalum	N	F/S	T	Y	Very hardy
Leatherleaf Viburnum	N	F/S	T	Y	Excellent hardy evergreen shrub
Azalea	D	F/S	M	Y	Numerous varieties
Forsythia	N	F/S	T	Y	Hardy shrub, generally overused
Sweet Pepperbush	Y	F/S	T	Y	Good for butterflies and bees
Silky Dogwood	Y	F/S	M	Y	Good for erosion control and wildlife
Arrowwood Viburnum	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Good for moist areas and wildlife
Wild Hydrangea	Y	F/S	M	Y	Prefers some shade
Oakleaf Hydrangea	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Good plant but overused
Common Alder	Y	F/S	M	Y	Not common in nurseries
American Filbert	Y	F/S	T	Y	Good for butterflies and birds
Goldstem Dogwood	Y	F/S	T	Y	Prefers sunny areas
Chokeberry	Y	F/S	T	Y	Nice colors throughout seasons
Mountain Laurel	Y	F/S	M	Y	Prefers light shade, moist acid soils
Fragrant Sumac	Y	F/S	T/M	Y	Good for streambanks
Ninebark	Y	F/S	T	Y	Good for birds, very adaptable
Bladdernut	Y	F/S	M	Y	Unique looking blooms

**KEY**

Y - Yes
N - No
C/S - Canopy tree that can count as a "shade" tree per the landscaping requirements
U/F - Understory Flowering tree
U/E - Understory Evergreen tree
T - Tolerant of a wide range of conditions
M - Prefers moisture
C - Canopy tree
U - Understory tree
OH - Compatible with overhead lines if other conditions warrant
D - Depends
F/S - Flowering shrub
E/S - Evergreen shrub

S - Shrub

**GENERAL NOTES:**

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| 1) The plant material is listed in very general and simplistic terms. Many of the species have numerous varieties that may also be permitted      |
| 2) Small shrubs, grasses, and ground cover are not listed but, as conditions warrant, native varieties should always be the first preference      |
| 3) Whether shown above or not, any plant that is native to East Tennessee and is appropriate for the application envisioned may be permitted      |
| 4) Non-native plant material that is not listed above may be permitted in selected applications where site conditions or a design element warrant |
| 5) The use of any invasive exotic plant material is in all cases prohibited   |
| 6) The use of any material listed on the "Not Recommended Plant List" is not permitted except as specifically approved by the VRRB                |