



Appendix 7D - NOT RECOMMENDED TREES

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Tree Genus	Tree Species and Cultivar or Variety	Tree Common Name	Justification
THE FOLLOWING TREES ARE NOT RECOMMENDED			
<i>Acer</i>	<i>Sp.</i>	Non - native maple species	Diversity
<i>Fraxinus</i>	<i>Sp.</i>	Ash species	Insect/Disease
<i>Liquidambar</i>	<i>styraciflua</i>	American sweetgum	Aggressive root system
<i>Prunus</i>	<i>laurocerasus/ lusitanica</i>	Cherry/ Portugese Laurel	Invasive species
<i>Prunus</i>	<i>Sp.</i>	Plum/ Cherry Species	Diversity and Aggressive root system
<i>Betula</i>	<i>utilis, pendula, pubescens, papyrifera</i>	Birch species highly susceptible to bronze birch borer	Insect/Disease
<i>Pyrus</i>	calleryana	Ornamental Pear	Diversity and Aggressive root system
THE FOLLOWING TREES ARE PROHIBITED			
<i>Acer</i>	<i>campestre</i>	hedge maple	Invasive species
<i>Acer</i>	<i>platanooides</i>	Norway maple	Invasive species
<i>Ailanthus</i>	<i>altissima</i>	tree of heaven	Invasive species
<i>Eleagnus</i>	<i>angustifolia</i>	Russian olive	Invasive species
<i>Ilex</i>	<i>aquifolium</i>	English holly	Ivasive species
<i>Populus</i>	<i>sp.</i>	poplar/ cottonwood	Aggressive root system/ Weak wood
<i>Robinia</i>	<i>pseudoacacia</i>	black locust	Invasive species
<i>Salix</i>	<i>Sp.</i>	willow trees	Aggressive root systems
<i>Sorbus</i>	<i>acuparia</i>	European mountain ash	Invasive species