

Spring 2019 Tree Descriptions

Conifers



pinus strobus **White Pine** Size Sold 8" to 12" Prefers moist, well drained soils and full sun to partial shade. Fast growing evergreen tree. Soft needles. Mature height 80-100 ft. MICHIGAN'S STATE TREE **NATIVE**



pinus sylvestris **Scots Highland Scotch Pine** Size Sold 8" to 14" Grows in acidic, loamy, moist, sandy, well-drained and dry soils. Full sun is ideal condition, it should get at least 6 hours of direct unfiltered sunlight daily. Can be used as a windbreak or as a single specimen. Popular Christmas tree for it hold on to it's needles for a long time. Mature height 60 ft.



Picea glauca **White Spruce** Size Sold 12" - 18" A straight tall tree easily recognized by its needles. Cones always hang down. Beautiful year-round color. Tolerates most soil conditions. Mature height of 60-80 ft. **NATIVE**



Picea pungens **Colorado Blue Spruce** Size Sold 12"-18" Grows best in full sun and fertile well drained soil. Mature height of 40-60 ft. Sharp short needles, slow growing.



Picea abies **Norway Spruce** Size Sold 12" - 18" Grows best in full sun and moist soils. This short needled tree is the fastest growing spruce with a mature height of 60-90 ft.



Abies concolor **Concolor Fir** Size Sold 8" - 14" It is a medium to large evergreen coniferous tree growing to (50-100 ft) tall and with a trunk diameter of up to 6.5 ft. It is popular as an ornamental landscaping tree and as a Christmas tree. Prefers full sun.





Pseudotsuga menziesii **Douglas Fir** Size Sold 12" - 18" Provides good windbreak and can be used as a living snow fence. Important source of lumber and commonly used as Christmas trees. Prefers full sun to partial shade. Mature height of 40' to 70'. Prefers acidic, moist, well-drained soils.

Deciduous



Acer saccharum **Sugar Maple** Size Sold 12" - 18" Moist soils, full sun to partial shade. Mature height of 60-80 ft. Will not tolerate salt. Primary source of maple syrup. Intense autumn foliage. **NATIVE**



Acer Rubrum **Red Maple** Size Sold 18"-24" The red maple tree grows at a moderate to rapid rate and grows best in bright sun to partial shade. The red maple tree will grow in a range of soil types from sandy loam to clay. Mature height 60-70ft. **NATIVE**



Quercus rubra **Red Oak** Size Sold 18" -24" A good street tree, tolerates pollution and compacted soil. Grows as much as two feet a year for 10 years. Mature height of 60' to 75". Prefers full sun, should get at least 6 hours of direct sunlight. Grows in acidic, loamy, moist, sandy, well-drained and clay soils.



Quercus alba **White Oak** Size Sold 18" - 24" Provides great fall color with leaves turning showy shades of red or burgundy. Develops notably strong branches and can live for centuries. Develops a deep taproot, making it difficult to transplant and is extremely sensitive to soil compaction and grade changes. Prefers full sun and deep, moist, well-drained sites.



Juglans nigra **Black Walnut** Size Sold 18" - 24" Fruiting may begin when the tree is 4–6 years old, however large crops take 20 years. Total lifespan is about 130 years. Two trees are required to produce a seed crop and Black Walnut readily hybridizes with other members of the Juglans genus. **NATIVE**



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Shrubs/Bushes



Syringa vulgaris **Lilac** **Size Sold 12" - 18"** Beautiful dark purple fragrant flowers in late spring. Well drained to dry loam. Full sun. Mature height of 8-15 ft.



Cornus florida **White Flowering Dogwood** **Size Sold 18" - 24"** Flowering dogwood is a deciduous multi-branched shrub or small tree, characterized by a rounded crown and horizontal branches that spread wider than its height. Flowering dogwood trees grow best in course to medium textured, well-drained soils.



Specialty Items



Red Flags ~ Red marking flags. 24" wire length

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Flowers - Perennials - sold individually in 1 gallon pot - \$9.00 ea



Acinos alpinus (Rock Thyme) Rose-purple tubular flowers on low spreading plants. June-Sept, 6" , sun/pt shade



Amsonia tabernaemontana (Willow-leaf Bluestar) Pale blue star-like flowers, willowy foliage. Shrubby form, 3-4ft sun/pt shade **NATIVE**



Aquilegia canadensis 'Little Lantern' (Little Lantern Eastern Columbine) Dwarf form of our native columbine. Coral red petals, yellow center. May. 12" sun/pt shade



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Aquilegia vulgaris 'Winky Mix' (Winky Columbine) Upward facing, short-spurred flowers, assorted colors. 18", May-June sun/pt shade



Astilbe Pink 'Pink Astilbe' Elegant pink plume-shaped flowers. Plants prefer moist soil. June-July, 24', partial shade



Baptisia australis (Blue False Indigo) Violet-blue flowers, gray-green foliage. Upright vase-like habit. June. 4 ft full sun **NATIVE**



Campanula carpatICA 'Rapido Blue' (Carpathian Harebell 'Rapido Blue') Blue bell-like flowers, on low mounds. Midsummer. 6-7" sun/pt shade



Dracocephalum rupestre (Dragon's Head) Royal blue trumpet flowers on low mounds of round leaves. June-July. 12" sun/pt shade



Heliopsis helianthoides 'Burning Hearts' (Burning Hearts False Sunflower) Golden daisies w/ darker centers. Purple tinted stems. June-Sept. 3 ft sun/ pt shade



Heliopsis helianthoides 'Summer Sun' (Summer Sun False Sunflower) Yellow daisy-like flowers, bee and pollinator plant. June-Sept, 3 ft sun/pt shade **Native**





Lavandula angustifolia 'Hidcote' (Hidcote Lavender) Fragrant plant with silver-gray leaves. Flowers good for drying. 12"-16", June-July sun, well-drained



Papaver orientale 'Brilliant' (Brilliant Oriental Poppy) Scarlet red cup-shaped flowers with black centers. Hairy foliage. June, 3 ft, full sun



Phlox subulata 'Candy Stripe' (Candy Stripe Creeping Phlox) Bicolored pink and white flowers on low-growing creeping plants. May, 4-6" sun/pt shade



Pulsatilla vulgaris Mixed Colors (Pasque Flower Mixed Colors) Fuzzy buds, cup-shaped flowers of purple, red, white, or pink. April-May, 6-8"



Sedum 'Lime Zinger' (Lime Zinger Sedum) Succulent light green leaves on low-growing plants; pink flowers. Aug-Sept, 4-6", full sun



Thalictrum rochebrunianum (Lavender Mist Meadow Rue) Tall plants with delicate lavender flowers; average to moist soil. August, 4 to 6 feet, partial shade



Tricyrtis hirta 'Miyazaki' (Miyazaki Toad Lily) Orchid-like white flowers speckled purple arranged along stems. Sept-Oct, 24-36", shade





Trollius chinensis 'Golden Queen' (Golden Queen Globe Flower) Golden globe-like flowers on tall wiry stems; average to moist soil. May-June, 30", sun/pt shade



Grasses - \$11.00 ea - sold individually in 1.5 gallon pot



Erianthus ravennae (Hardy Pampas Grass, Ravenna Grass) Tall dramatic grass; 4ft foliage with plumes rising up to 12ft tall in autumn. Full Sun.



Muhlenbergia reverchonii (Hardy Muhly Grass) Misty mauve seedheads in fall. Narrow foliage. Takes drought. 30", Full Sun.

