



September 4, 2020

FALL PARKWAY TREE PLANTING PROGRAM

Dear Kenilworth Resident:

It is parkway tree planting time again in Kenilworth. The annual program occurs in the fall and focuses on replacing trees that had been previously removed due to death or disease, as well as planting new trees. The Village's Parkway Tree Planting Program provides residents with the opportunity to influence the aesthetics of the Village by replenishing the tree population, a vital component to Kenilworth's character. Not only do trees positively improve the appearance of the Parkway, but they offer a variety of additional benefits as well, including: absorbing stormwater, improving air quality and supporting local wildlife.

The Fall Parkway Tree Planting Program offers residents a variety of arborist-recommended trees for planting in the Village's parkway. The trees selected for the program are species known to thrive in the region's climate. The trees will be purchased from and planted by the Acres Group, a reputable landscaping company used by neighboring municipalities. The price includes the tree, installation, mulching, initial watering, soil removal and a one year warranty. Trees will be delivered and planted in the fall.

To donate a tree please complete the attached form and send it to Village Hall, 419 Richmond Road, Kenilworth, IL 60043. All forms must be received by Wednesday, September 30th. 100% of your contribution will be used to purchase and install parkway trees. All Parkway Tree Planting Program participants will be recognized in a future *Kenilworth Contact* community newsletter. Additionally the Village will issue letters acknowledging a participant's contribution, for tax purposes, upon request.

Thank you for your considered participation in the Fall Parkway Tree Planting Program. This is an opportunity to provide a gift which will be enjoyed for generations to come.

Sincerely,

Ann S. Potter
Village President

2020 Fall Parkway Tree Planting List



Common Name: Redpointe Maple

Mature Height: 40-45 feet

Mature Spread: 30-35 feet

Growth Rate: Fast

Specialty: Fall coloring

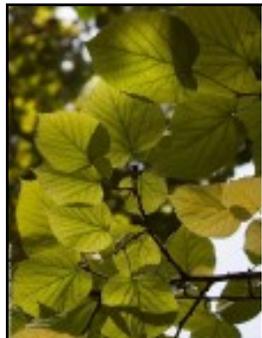
Common Name: Triumph Elm

Mature Height: 50-60 feet

Mature Spread: 35-40 feet

Growth Rate: Fast

Specialty: Fall coloring



Common Name: American Linden

Mature Height: 60-80 feet

Mature Spread: 30-60 feet

Growth Rate: Moderate

Specialty: Spring blossoms, fragrant

Common Name: Ginkgo

Mature Height: 40-50 feet

Mature Spread: 25-30 feet

Growth Rate: Medium

Specialty: Fall coloring



2020 PARKWAY TREE PLANTING PROGRAM FORM

(Forms must be received by Wednesday, September, 30th)

Please Print:

Name/Business/Organization (as you would like it to appear in the Kenilworth Contact):

I [do] / [do not] want my name printed in a future Kenilworth Contact.

Contact Person _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail Address _____

All trees have a 2" diameter at breast height

Quantity	Tree Species	Price
	Redpointe Maple	\$339.00
	Ginko	\$489.00
	Triumph Elm	\$339.00
	American Linden	\$339.00

**You will be contacted regarding other tree options if your preferred trees are not available.*

Please specify below the location you would like the tree planted. Trees will only be planted in public parkways. Generally, the parkway is the area in between the sidewalk and the street:

Enclosed is a check for \$ _____ made out to the Village of Kenilworth

PLEASE RETURN TO:

Village of Kenilworth
419 Richmond Rd.
Kenilworth, IL 60043

*****For office Use*****

Check Number: _____

Amount: _____

Date Received: _____

Order: _____

SELECTING A LOCATION

To ensure the health and safety of the tree and residents, the following must be taken into consideration when selecting the location of a new tree:

1. Trees cannot be planted within 30 feet of any other tree in order to permit full growth. This spacing helps eliminate competition for nourishments and sunlight between neighboring trees and prevents deformation and undergrowth.
2. Trees cannot be planted within 30 feet of an intersection of two streets or within 10 feet of an alley. This prevents obstructions for vehicular traffic.
3. Trees cannot be placed within 15' of streetlights and fire hydrants. This prevents the root system from expanding and damaging the infrastructure.
4. Trees cannot be planted within 5' feet of a sidewalk, curb or other pavement. This will help prevent damage to the paved-ways.
5. Trees cannot be planted within 10' water, sewer, and gas lines or shut-off valves. This prevents the root system from damaging these systems.
6. At least five years must have passed before a tree can be planted on the site of a removed tree. This time allows the roots to properly disintegrate.
7. Trees will generally be planted equidistant from the curb and sidewalk when possible.