

Salty Lake City Urban Forestry  
Large Trees at Maturity

Common Name	Botanical Name	Common Cultivars	Mature Height	Canopy Spread	Shape	Flowers	Fruit	Fall Color	Additional Notes
Catalpa *	<i>Catalpa speciosa</i>		50-70'	20-50'	irregular open	white with spots inside	long slender	yellow	beautiful when in flower
Elm, Accolade *	<i>Ulmus japonica</i> × <i>wilsoniana</i> 'Morton'	Accolade	50-60'	30-40'	arching vase	insignificant	flat round samara	yellow	excellent DED resistance
Elm, Commendation *	<i>Ulmus</i> ( <i>japonica</i> × <i>wilsoniana</i> Morton) × ( <i>pumila</i> × <i>carpinifolia</i> )	Commendation	50-70'	40-50'	pyramidal	insignificant	flat round samara	yellow	fast growing but not wild
Elm, Green stone *	<i>Ulmus davidiana</i> 'JFS KW2UD'	Greenstone	50-60'	40-50'	upright vase	insignificant	flat round samara	yellow	strong branch attachments at open angles
Elm, New Horizon *	<i>Ulmus japonica</i> × <i>pumila</i> 'New Horizon'	New Horizon	50-55'	30-40'	upright oval	insignificant	flat round samara	yellow	proven rugged street tree
Elm, Triumph *	<i>Ulmus wilsoniana</i> , <i>U. japonica</i> , and <i>U. pumila</i>	Triumph	50-60'	40-45'	upright oval to vase	insignificant	flat round samara	yellow	very dark green glossy leaves
Elm, Valley Forge	<i>Ulmus americana</i> 'Valley Forge'	Valley Forge	60'	40-50'	upright vase	insignificant	flat round samara	yellow	American elm cultivar
European Beech	<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>	various	50-60'	35-50'	rounded, pyramidal	Inconspicuous	nuts in a prickly husk	bronze-yellow	thin, smooth gray bark
Ginkgo *	<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>	Autumn Gold, Princeton Sentry, Magyar, Colonnade	50-70'	15-30'	pyramidal	insignificant	fruitless	yellow-golden	tolerant of a wide range of soil conditions, adapts well to urban environments
Hackberry *	<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	Chicagoland	40-60'	40-60'	rounded spreading	insignificant	purple drupe	pale yellow	tolerates both wet and dry conditions
Hardy Rubber Tree	<i>Eucommia ulmoides</i>	Hardy Rubber Tree,	40-60'	30-50'	rounded	insignificant	winged seed	none	tolerates a wide range of soil conditions, glossy green leaves
Hornbeam	<i>Carpinus betulus</i>	Emerald Avenue, Frans Fontaine	40-60'	15-40'	narrow fastigate to broadly pyramidal	insignificant	nutlets in papery bracts	yellow	very symmetrically shaped
Horsechestnut	<i>Aesculus hippocastanum</i>		50-75'	40-65'	upright oval	deep pink or white	nutlets in papery bracts	yellow	large showy flowers
Honeylocust *	<i>Gleditsia triacanthos inermis</i>	Street Keeper, Skyline, Shademaster, Northern Acclaim	40-45'	20-35'	pyramidal to round	insignificant yet smell very sweet	reported as fruitless	golden yellow	small fine leaves give filtered shade
Kentucky Coffee *	<i>Gymnocladus dioicus</i>	Expresso, Prairie Titan, Stately Manor	60-80'	40-45'	irregular open	Greenish white, female are fragrant	seedless	yellow	leaves drop early in the fall
Linden, Silver *	<i>Tilia tomentosa</i>	Sterling Silver, Green Mountain, Satin Shadow	50-70'	25-40'	pyramidal	fragrant creamy yellow	gray nutlets with bracts	yellow	best heat and drought tolerant of all lindens
London Plane *	<i>Platanus</i> × <i>acerifolia</i>	Bloodgood, Exclamation, Ovation	60-70'	30-60'	spreading rounded	insignificant	round fuzzy seed ball in clusters of 2-3	brown	exfoliating cream colored bark
Maple, black	<i>Acer nigrum</i>		60-75'	40-50'	oval to rounded	green-yellow in spring, insignificant	Green samaras	yellow-orange-red	similar to sugar maple but more heat and drought tolerant
Maple, State Street	<i>Acer miyabei</i>	State Street, Rugged Ridge	30-45'	30-35'	oval to rounded	Small green-yellow in spring, insignificant	green samaras	yellow-orange	hardy, tough, pest free maple
Maple, Sycamore	<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>		40-55'	35-55'	round	Small green-yellow in spring, insignificant	green samaras	yellow	Gray flaking bark

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Mulberry, Fruitless	Morus alba	Fruitless Mulberry	30-50'	30-50'	wide spreading	small yellowish green	fruitless	none	tough tolerant tree
Oak, Bur *	Quercus macrocarpa	Bullet Proof, Cobblestone	60-80'	60-80'	broad rounded	insignificant	oval acorns with fringed cap	yellow brown	tolerant of all soil conditions
Oak, Chinkapin	Quercus muehlenbergii	Red Autumn	40-60'	50-60'	oval to rounded	insignificant	acorn	yellow brown or red	tolerant of alkaline soils
Oak, English *	Quercus robur		50-70'	50-70'	broad rounded	insignificant	acorn	none	tolerant of alkaline soils
Oak, Sawtooth	Quercus acutissima		40-60'	40-60'	broad spreading	insignificant	acorn	dull yellow-brown	adapts to a wide range of soils
Oak, Northern Pin Oak	Quercus ellipsoidalis		55-60'	30-40'	broadly pyramidal	insignificant	acorn	red	tolerant of alkaline and dry soils
Oak, Shingle	Quercus imbricaria		50-60'	50-60'	conical broadening with age	insignificant	acorn	yellow-brown to red brown	adapts to a wide range of soils
Oak, Shumard	Quercus shumardii		40-60'	30-40'	oval	insignificant	acorn	brownish red	does well in wet and dry soil
Oak, Swamp White	Quercus bicolor	American Dream	50-60'	50-60'	broad rounded	insignificant	acorn	orange gold	tolerant of urban conditions
Sweet Gum	Liquidambar styraciflua		60-80'	40-60'	oval, rounded	non-showy yellow-green	"gum ball" hard brown spherical cluster	yellow, orange, red, purple	large shade tree, brilliant fall color
Tulip Tree	Liriodendron tulipifera		60-70'	30-50'	broad conical	yellow with orange bands	dry brown oblong	golden yellow	flowers somewhat hidden by leaves
Zelkova *	Zelkova serrata	Village Green, Green Vase	40-55'	30-50'	vase	insignificant	small wingless drupe	rusty red	mature smooth gray bark exfoliates to reveal orange inner bark

All parkstrip trees must be a *single trunk form* unless approved by the Urban Forestry Office.

Other tree species may be appropriate with approval from the Urban Forestry Office.

\* = Proven Performer

References: The Morton Arboretum  
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