

## City of Grosse Pointe Park Recommended Trees

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	NATIVE?	ATTRIBUTES	USDA NRCS Plant Database Link
<b>SMALL</b>		<b>Under 30' at Maturity</b>		
Eastern Redbud	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	Yes	Purple flowers cling to stem, bark	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=CECA4">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=CECA4</a>
Japanese Tree Lilac	<i>Syringa reticulata</i>	No	Fragrant flowers & suitable under utility	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=SYRE2">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=SYRE2</a>
Kousa Dogwood	<i>Cornus kousa</i>	No	Showy June flowers, hardier than native	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=COKO2">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=COKO2</a>
Red Crabapple	<i>Malus sp.</i>	Some	Beautiful red spring flowers	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=MALUS">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=MALUS</a>
White Crabapple	<i>Malus sp.</i>	Some	Beautiful white spring flowers	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=MALUS">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=MALUS</a>
<b>MEDIUM</b>		<b>25' - 40' at Maturity</b>		
Callery Pear	<i>Pyrus calleryana</i>	No	Known for white spring flowers	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=PYCA80">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=PYCA80</a>
Hophornbeam	<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Yes	Unusual, underutilized street tree	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=OSV1">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=OSV1</a>
Littleleaf Linden	<i>Tilia cordata</i>	No	Dense canopy with fragrant flowers	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=TICO2">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=TICO2</a>
River Birch	<i>Betula nigra</i>	Yes	Beautiful exfoliating bark, single stem	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=BENI">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=BENI</a>
<b>LARGE</b>		<b>Over 40' at Maturity</b>		
Bur Oak	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Yes	Impressive oak with wooly acorns	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=QUMA2">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=QUMA2</a>
Ginkgo (males only)	<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>	No	A living fossil dating 270 million years ago. A shade and an ornamental with fan-shaped leaves. Endangered (IUCN)	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=GINKG">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=GINKG</a>
Hackberry	<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	Yes	Hardy with interesting bark	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=CEOC">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=CEOC</a>
London Planetree	<i>Platanus acerfolia</i>	No	Less susceptible to anthracnose than native sycamore	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=PLHI">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=PLHI</a>
Red Maple	<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Yes	Fast growing, brilliant red leaves in fall	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=ACRU">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=ACRU</a>
Red Oak	<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Yes	Host to over 500 native caterpillars	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=QURU">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=QURU</a>
Sugar Maple	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Yes	Native maple with fantastic fall color	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=ACSA3">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=ACSA3</a>
Tuliptree	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	Yes	Tallest tree in Michigan	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=LITU">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=LITU</a>
White Oak	<i>Quercus alba</i>	Yes	Slow growing majestic shade tree	<a href="https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=QUAL">https://plants.usda.gov/core/profile?symbol=QUAL</a>
*Alternate species considered upon request				
**Subject to availability				

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