ACCEPTED STREET TREES FOR SWAMPSCOTT

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Large Trees (mature size more than 40 feet)

Common Name	Botanical Name	Size (ft.)	Notes
Red Maple	Acer rubrum	40-75	n h
Common Hackberry	Celtis occidentalis	40-60	n s h
Ginkgo	Ginkgo biloba	50-80	s h
Thornless Honeylocust	Gleditsia triacanthos	30-70	n s h
Kentucky Coffee Tree	Gymnocladus dioica	60-80	n h f
Sweetgum	Liquidambar styraciflua	60-75	n s h
Tulip Tree	Liriodendron tulipifera	60-75	n s
Black Tupelo	Nyssa sylvatica	30-50	n s h
London Planetree	Platanus x acerifolia	70-100	h
Pin Oak	Quercus palustris	60-70	n
English Oak	Quercus robur	40-50	h
Swamp White Oak	Quercus bicolor	50-60	n h
Northern Red Oak	Quercus rubra	60-80	n s
American Basswood	Tilia americana	50-60	n f
Littleleaf Linden	Tilia cordata	60-70	h f
American Elm - princeton	Ulmus americana	60-80	n s
Chinese Elm	Ulmus parvifolia	40-50	s h
Elm Hybrids - frontier, regal, homestead	Ulmus sp.	40-50	n
Japanese Zelkova	Zelkova serrata	50-80	s h

Medium to Small Trees (mature size 15 - 40 feet)

Common Name	Botanical Name	Size (ft.)	Notes
Serviceberry - single stem	Amelanchier sp.	15-25	n f
Redbud	Cercis canadensis	20-30	n f
Winter King Hawthorn - thorns	Crateagus viridis	20-25	n h f
Pagoda Dogwood	Cornus alternifolia	15-25	n f
Crabapple - small fruit	Malus sp.	15-30	n h f
Sargent or Accolade Cherry	Prunus sargentii	20-40	s f
American Hornbeam	Carpinus caroliniana	20-35	n h

Notes: n - native to the U.S., s - somewhat salt tolerant, h - hardy in stressed sites, f - flowering

Source: This list is based on the “Short List of Suggested Street Trees” on the MA Department of Transportation web site (March 2018).