GREENING MILWAUKEE

ADOPT-A-TREE INITIATIVE

What is Greening Milwaukee?

Greening Milwaukee was established to coordinate and actively promote greening activities that will improve our urban environment, educate and train citizens, and increase community wealth sustainable neighborhoods.

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Tree planting on private property is an economic and educational decision for the p areas where canopy cover has been reduced, residents may be unable to plant trees information. Over the years, this has left many neighborhoods in Milwaukee without a beneficial tree canopy.

Greening Milwaukee will conduct a lot evaluation to recommend a tree species and its placement to provide for healthy growth and energy conservation, will contact Digger's Hotline to ensure a safe dig, and will supply a free tree to ***eligible*** **Milwaukee citizens.**

How you can qualify:

- *Reside and own property within the City of Milwaukee*
- *Own space to support a large shade tree; ie, approximately 20' from any foundations, overhead wires, competing trees or property lines*
- *Attend a community tree training session and/or receive training information on proper planting/care of your tree*

Frequently asked questions:

- *Is the tree free? Yes, Greening Milwaukee provides the tree.*
- *Do I plant my own tree? Yes, homeowners will be notified of the day, time, and location for tree pickup and will plant their own tree.*
- *How many trees can I receive? One tree per season.*
- *What if I own more than one property in the City of Milwaukee? One tree per property.*
- *What kinds of trees are available? Nursery stock varies each season; a species will be recommended based on your lot evaluation.*
- *Can I pick the species of tree? No, we will provide species based on available stock. You may indicate a preference, but choice is NOT guaranteed.*
- *How big are the trees? Generally, 1 ½ to 2 inches in diameter; 8 to 14 feet tall.*
- *How big will they grow? Shade trees may grow 60-80 feet tall with a 40 – 50 foot spread.*

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BEING PLACED ON THE WAITING LIST FOR THE NEXT TREE DISTRIBUTION (Spring or Fall), PLEASE COMPLETE THE INFORMATION BELOW AND RETURN THIS SHEET TO:

GREENING MILWAUKEE
841 North Broadway – Room 619
Milwaukee, WI 53202

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Yes, I am interested in receiving a free tree. Please place my name on the waiting list and notify me regarding the date, time, and location of distribution.

NAME **(Please print)** _____

First Name *Last Name*

MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE_____ZIP CODE _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____ _____

Home Work

Fax _____ E-Mail: -_____

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*ADDRESS WHERE TREE WILL BE PLANTED, IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE
(IF REQUESTING MORE THAN ONE TREE FOR PROPERTIES YOU OWN,
PLEASE LIST ALL ADDRESSES BELOW)

I own multiple properties in the City of Milwaukee. I request a tree for the properties listed below:

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