

"I think that I shall never see a poem as lovely as a tree."

American poet Joyce Kilmer

Looking for a Unique Way to Recognize an Individual or Occasion?



Consider the City of Mauston Tribute Tree Program

Program Purpose

The program encourages the purchase of trees as a gift, paying tribute to individuals or groups, or for special occasions.

- Birth
- Anniversary
- Retirement
- Graduation
- Holiday
- Memorialize someone special
- Recognize Employee Accomplishments
- Reunions
- Citizens and businesses participating in program not only leave a living, growing legacy for future generations; they assist in beautifying the city.

Did you know that trees . . .

- Are the principle generators of pure oxygen
- Clean pollutants from the air
- Purify ground water
- Stabilize the soil
- Reduce energy costs by providing shade in the summer and blocking winter winds
- Add value to real estate
- Are a refuge for wildlife
- Reduce anxiety and stress

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Tribute Tree Program

Memorial

Mother's/Father's Day

Arbor Day

Anniversary

Birthday

Earth Day

Retirement

Graduation

Employee Recognition



A Tribute that Grows...

Phone: 608-847-4070 opt. 5

Tribute Tree Program

- Citizens can purchase a tree for \$280.
- Tree purchases are tax deductible.
- Choose from a variety of species. City Forester details.
- Tree diameter is 1.5 – 2 inches. *Every effort will be made to provide the species of your choice; substitution may be necessary based on available stock*
- The donor selects which park or green space to plant the tree/s
- Planting is done in spring (April 15 – June 1)
- City crews will plant the tree and care for it for the duration of its life.
- Trees are guaranteed for one year. If a tree fails during the first year, the City will replace it at no cost.
- The donor, or the donor's recipient, will receive a Tribute Tree certificate with a personalized message from the donor and signed by the mayor of Mauston. They will also be recognized on a permanent Tribute Tree plaque at City Hall and at base of tree with plaque.

One generation plants the trees;
another gets the shade
- Chinese Proverb



Tree Selection Listing

Please consider speaking with a member of the Tree Board. Not all trees are suitable for all locations.

Large Size Trees

- Elms (Many Species)
- Common Hackberry
- Ginko
- Honey Locust
- Kentucky Coffee Tree
- Swamp White Oak
- White Oak
- Regal Prince Oak
- London Planetree
- Basswood
- Maples (Many Species)
- Turkish Filbert
- Dawn Redwood

Small Size Trees

- Eastern Redbud
- Crabapple (Many Species)
- Hawthorn (Thornless)
- Ornamental Pears (Many Species)
- Amur Maple
- Serviceberry
- Plums (Many Species)
- Iron Wood
- Japanese Lilac
- Amur Maackia

* Trees available upon nursery stock

Tribute Tree Application

****Please Print Legibly****

Applications are due by April 1

Complete form and submit with payment to City of Mauston, 303 Mansion Street, Mauston, WI 53948-1329

Make check out to City of Mauston – Tribute Tree

Name: _____

Address: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Email: _____

Tree Location:

Identify the park/s or green space/s where you would like the tree/s planted. You can include a drawing to further identify the desired location. _____

Personalized Message for Certificate and plaque at base of tree.

(Message may be edited to fit allowable space)

Notify me prior to editing message.