



Springdale Parks & Recreation Commemorative Tree Policy & Application

Looking for a way to memorialize a loved one, highlight a special occasion or recognize your business organization. You can donate a commemorative tree to City of Springdale. It is the perfect solution as it provides a meaningful and living remembrance and gives back to the community in a way no other gift can. The following conditions apply:

1. The cost is \$400 payable to the City of Springdale. This includes a tree and 4" x 6" commemorative plaque mounted in concrete at the base of the tree.
2. Donor may select one of three varieties of tree (Autumn Blaze Maple, American Elm and Cherrybark Oak (2" – 2.5' caliper) for placement in a Springdale park. Other trees may be substituted on request, subject to availability and landscape appropriateness. Donor may request a specific park for the location of the tree, but the exact placement would be at the discretion of the Parks Department. Placement would be based on the area best suited for the tree to thrive and to enhance the quality of the park.
3. Plaques may contain a maximum of 4 lines of text with 20 characters per line, including spaces between words. Text on the plaque is subject to the approval of the City of Springdale.
4. Donors are not permitted to add additional plantings, flowers or decorations to the commemorative area.
5. If the tree dies or becomes damaged, after one year, it may be replaced at the donor's expense or the plaque relocated to an existing tree in the park at the donor's request. The City of Springdale is not responsible for damaged or stolen plaques. If a plaque is damaged or stolen it may be replaced at the donor's expense at market cost.
6. Trees may be donated at any time of the year, but will only be planted during the appropriate season.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone # (Cell) _____ (Other) _____

Type of Tree: Autumn Blaze Maple American Elm Cherrybark Oak

Wording for Plaque:

Requested Park Location: _____

Signature of Donor: _____ Date: _____

Amount Paid \$_____ Cash Credit Card Check #_____ Rcvd By_____ Date_____

Autumn Blaze Maple

Acer Freemanii

Autumn Blaze is an extremely fast-growing maple with brilliant red fall color. Under good conditions it can grow 3ft. or more per year with a mature reaching a height of 60' and up to 40' wide.



American Elm

Ulmus Americana

The American Elm is an extremely hardy tree that occurs naturally in an assortment of habitats. This native North American tree grows quickly when young, forming a broad or upright, vase-shaped silhouette, 80 to 100 feet high and 60 to 120 feet wide.



Cherrybark Oak

Quertus Pagoda

The Cherrybark Oak has a very attractive exfoliating bark and is one of the best and most rapidly growing oak trees for both shade and ornamental bark. Many wild animals and birds use the acorns of the cherrybark as food. A mature Cherrybark Oak can reach grow to 100 to 130 feet tall with trunks over 3 feet in diameter.



**IN LOVING MEMORY OF
JOHN DOE
1922 - 1995**

4" x 6" Commemorative Plaque will be mounted in concrete at the base of the tree.