

## Boulevard Trees for New Subdivisions

\*\*Detach and Return\*\*

The City of Moose Jaw will provide up to 2 trees to plant on the City boulevard adjacent to your property. **This program is for newly created sub divisions in the City of Moose Jaw.**

Please complete and return to:  
**City of Moose Jaw – Parks & Recreation**  
228 Main Street N  
Moose Jaw, SK S6H 3J8  
Or by Email: [recreation@moosejaw.ca](mailto:recreation@moosejaw.ca) or  
Fax: 306-692-7151

Choose you preferred species from the list provided and list them below. Requests are filled subject to species availability and suitability to the site. **Please read “When will my trees arrive?” prior to signing.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address where tree(s) will be planted:

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Tree #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Tree #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Trees are typically in 10 gallon pots and are approximately 6 to 8 feet tall – a truck or large SUV is recommended for pick up\*

## CHOOSING A TREE

These are trees that we feel are well suited to our environment:

**Little Leaf Linden** – *Tilila cordata*  
**American Basswood** – *Tilia americana*  
**Green Ash** – *Fraxinus pennsylvanica*  
**White Ash** – *Fraxinus americana*  
**Mancana Ash** – *Fraxinus mandshurica*  
**Elm** – *Ulmus spp*  
**Silver Maple** – *Acer saccharinum*  
**Red Maple** – *Acer rubrum*  
**Amur Maple** – *Acer ginnala*  
**Manitoba Maple** – *Acer negundo*  
**Pin Oak** – *Quercus ellipsoidalis*  
**Bur Oak** – *Quercus macrocarpa*  
**Paper Birch** – *Betula papyrifera*  
**Japanese Tree Lilac** – *Syringa reticulata*  
**Hawthorne** – *Crataegus x mordenesis*



These trees can withstand our winters as well as our summers. This list offers a variety of shapes, sizes and colours to add to the landscaping of your home and neighbourhood. We have listed the common and Latin names of the trees so you may research the tree if you wish. Pictures and information on these tree species can be found on our website at [www.moosejaw.ca](http://www.moosejaw.ca)

## WHEN WILL MY TREES ARRIVE?

Trees will be ordered in the spring for spring delivery. Have your application in no later than the second Friday in February and your trees will be made available for pick up sometime in May or June. By accepting the tree(s), you are accepting responsibility to care for the tree(s) for the first 3 years. You will be responsible for the planting, watering and general care of the tree(s). After the first 3 years, the boulevard trees become the sole responsibility of the City.

At pick up, you will be given instructions on how to plant the tree(s). The Parks & Recreation Department will do follow-up calls to check on the trees.

## BOULEVARDS

The City of Moose Jaw has three kinds of boulevards; green space located between the street and the sidewalk, green space located between the sidewalk and the property line and the green space located in the centre medians of major streets. These boulevards create a more pleasant urban environment.

**No construction, cultivation or alteration of a boulevard area may be done without the consent of the Parks and Recreation Department.**

According to Section 3.(1) of City of Moose Jaw Bylaw 4760:

3.(1) “The owner or occupant of any property abutting a boulevard shall be responsible for the general care and maintenance of such boulevard area including cutting grass, keeping clear of weeds and litter, and maintaining a neat appearance.”

This section also applies to shrubs and hedges on boulevards, but does not apply to trees more than 5 years old. Call 694-4439 if your mature boulevard tree needs pruning.

## WHAT TREES CAN DO FOR YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD AND FOR OUR CITY

Trees provide many benefits, such as:

- Reduce cooling and heating costs
- Filter air pollution
- Generate oxygen, absorb CO2 and other harmful pollutants
- Increase property values
- Reduce storm water run-off and the cost of water treatment
- Provide habitat for birds and other fauna
- Add living beauty to your neighbourhood



Please encourage your neighbours to call us for a free tree and contribute to the greening of your street.

If you have questions or need more information, visit [www.moosejaw.ca](http://www.moosejaw.ca) or phone 306 694-4439

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