

# Tree and Park Bench Donation Program

## General Information

This packet is to help inform you about the trees and bench style that we offer through our Tree and Park Bench Donation Program. You will find general information as well as pictures of the trees or bench style. If you choose a tree donation, there will be an aesthetically pleasing Tree Donation Recognition Plaque located in Village Hall. We will place a metal leaf on the plaque with your dedication information as well as the location that the tree is placed at. As for the benches, they are made with a dedication plaque which is set into the bench (with a personal message for the donor).



### Freeman Maple

The Freeman Maple is a medium sized tree with a contrasting silver-grey underside and deep burgundy red fall color. The Freeman maple is a shade tree with a uniform pyramidal shape. Growth rate is medium to fast and this selection is nearly seedless. There is a planting of the Freeman Maple in the median of Lombardi Ave. in front of K-Mart.



### **Ginkgo**

This unique tree was once native to North America 200 million years ago. It has a symmetrical form when young, becoming broad, spreading, and irregular at maturity. Ginkgos are usually free of pests, tolerant of urban conditions and seedless. The Village has a planting of Ginkgos along Armed Forces Way in front of the Resch Center and Brown County Veteran's Arena.



### **Swamp White Oak**

This species is native to Wisconsin and thrives on moist or swampy sites. It tolerates drought, salt, and soil compaction in urban environments and grows heavy textured green leaves. There is a planting of the swamp white oak along Ridge Road adjacent to the Target store.



### **Kentucky Coffeetree**

The Kentucky Coffeetree has huge doubly compound leaves with a bluish-green color. The huge doubly compound leaves give this tree a tropical feel, and the arching branches present an elm-like form. This is a seedless selection with a good tolerance of heat, drought and cold. The Village has a planting of the Kentucky Coffeetree along the streets at Nativity Church on both Oneida Street and Cormier Road.



### **Elm Hybrids**

The Elm Hybrids leaves are dark green, turning yellow in fall. Elm Hybrid has the classic elm vase shaped crown becoming arched with age. It is also tolerant of Dutch elm disease and leaf beetles, transplants easily and has a fast growth rate.



### **‘Skyline’ Honey locust**

The ‘Skyline’ Honeylocust is the most widely used honeylocust. This tree is generally seedless and has light green leaves with a golden fall color. The Village has a ‘Skyline’ honeylocust planted on Vanderperren Way in front of the DMV building.



### **Bench**

The bench style is a six foot long, steel Du Mor type 58 bench. They can be ordered in a green or black polyester powder finish. The bench also comes with a 2” X 10” plaque that is in-set into the bench for you to use for your own personal message. Your inscription can be up to 4 lines with up to 56 characters on each line. As a rule, the more lines you request, the smaller the “type” will be. More bench examples may be found at <http://dumor.com/products/bench-58>