Village of Alsip Approved Parkway Tree List

NO ASH TREE ARE ALLOWED TO BE PLANTED IN ALSIP TO AVOID EMERALD ASH BORER DISEASE

These trees are large with tall and /or spreading crowns, needing 45' between trees.

- Beech, European (Fagus sylvatica)
- Catalpa (Catalpa speciosa)
- Elm, Hybrid such as "Triumph" or "Accolade" (Ulmus hybrid species)
- Ginkgo (Ginkgo biloba "Magyar" or "Princeton Sentry") male, non fruiting
- Hackberry (Celtis occidentalis)
- Kentucky Coffeetree (Gymnocladus diocicus)
- Oak, Bur (Quercus macrocarpa) slow growing, very hardy
- Oak, Swamp White (Quercus bicolor)
- Oak, Chinquapin (Quercus muehlenbergii)
- Oak, Shingle (Quercus imbricaria)
- Yellowwood (Cladrastis kentukea)
- Sweetgum (Liquidambar styraciflua)
- Tuliptree (Liriodendron tulipifera)
- Maple, Norway "Norwegian Sunset" (Acer platanoides)
- Maple, Sugar "Green Mountain" (Acer saccharum)
- Maple, Red (Acer rubrum)
- Honeylocust (Gleditsia triacanthos)

These tress are medium-large with compact or oval crowns, needing 35-40' between trees.

- Black Alder (Alnus glutinosa)
- Baldcypress (Taxodium distichum) well suited for wet, poor drainage conditions
- Linden, Silver (Tilia tomentosa)
- Black Locust (Robinia speudoacacia)
- Reqal Prince Oak, a columnar variety (Quercus rober "Regal Prince")
- Black gum/Tupelo (Nyssa sylvatica)
- Zelkova (Zelkova serrata) vase shaped like American Elms
- Filbert/Hazelnut (Corylus avellana)

These trees are small, suitable for narrow parkways, under utility lines or near buildings.

- Dogwood (Cornus species)
- Hornbeam (Carpinus caroliniana)
- Japanese Tree Lilac (Syringa reticulata)
- Miyabei Maple (Acer miyabeii)
- Paperback Maple (Acer griseum)
- Redbud (Cercis Canadensis)
- Serviceberry (Amelanchier Canadensis or grandiflora)

There should be a minimum of one tree per 50 foot lot, and two trees per corner lot. Contact the Alsip Public Works at 708-385-6902 ext. 364 with any questions you may have.