

The Town of Cheektowaga



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LANDSCAPING SPECIFICATIONS

- 1) The primary emphasis of the landscape treatment shall be on trees. Shrubbery, hedges, grass and other vegetation are to be used to compliment the use of trees but shall not be the sole contribution to the landscape treatment.
- 2) All landscaped areas shall be bordered with approved concrete curbing.
- 3) All deciduous trees planted shall have a minimum caliper of two and one-half (2 ½) inches, measured six (6) inches above the ground. All coniferous trees shall have a minimum height of five (5) feet above the finished grade. Plastic or other types of artificial plantings or vegetation shall not be permitted.

ALL TREES SHALL BE B&B (balled & burlap) #1 ACCORDING TO N.Y. STATE NURSERYMAN ASSOCIATION STANDARDS.

ALL POTTED MATERIAL SHALL BE 3 GALLONS AND UP.

ACCEPTABLE TREES FOR PARKING AREAS AND GENERAL PLANTING.

SHADE TREES (2½ inches minimum caliper).

Common name:

Norway Maple
Columnar Norway Maple
Red Maple (Acer Rubum)
Crimson King Maple
Greenspire Linden
Little Leaf Linden
Glenleven Linden
Moraine Locust
Shademaster Locust
Imperial Locust
Skyline Locust
Sunburst Locust
London Plane Sycamore

ORNAMENTAL TREES (2 inch minimum caliper).

Common name:

Bradford Flowering Pear
Aristocrat Flowering Pear
Redspire Flowering Pear
Royalty Flowering Crab
Sargent Flowering Crab
Pink Spire Flowering Crab
Spring Snow Flowering Crab
Zumi Flowering Crab
Other trees as approved

ACCEPTABLE TREES FOR PLANTING IN AND AROUND RETENTION AND DETENTION BASINS.

Common name:

Red Maple (Acer Rubum)
Alders
Eastern Larch
Sweet Gum
Wisconsin Weeping Willow
Babylon Willow
Corkscrew Willow

CONIFEROUS TREES - Minimum Height 5 feet

(PREFERRED TREES FOR AREA CONDITIONS)

Common name:

Colorado Spruce
Austrian Pine
Red Pine
Douglas Fir

ACCEPTABLE TREES AND SHRUBS FOR SCREENING

<u>Common name:</u>	<u>SPACING</u>	<u>MIN. HEIGHT</u>
Juniper Staked Hetzi	3'	48"
Juniper Hetz Columnaris	3'	48"
Colorado Spruce	8'	60"
Austrian Pine	8'	60"
Red Pine	8'	60"
Japanese Yew (Texus Cuspidata)	3'	36"
Japanese Yew (Hatfied)	3'	36"
Japanese Yew (Hicks Yew)	3'	36"
Aborvitae (Pyramidal)	3'	48"
Canadian Hemlock	4'	60"
Tall Hedge (Rhamus Frangula (Columnaris))	2'	48"
(Deciduous – not an evergreen)		