

Dear Municipal Official:

I am pleased to inform you that there is a large variety of low maintenance shade trees available at the Barnstable County Municipal Shade Tree Nursery.

River Birch, Lace Bark Elm, Hedge Maple, Green Ash, Golden Rain, Red Maple and Hornbeam trees are available at below wholesale prices.

We also have a variety of low maintenance, sustainable shrubs available anytime.

Please contact me at 508-375-6701 or bclark@barnstablecounty.org if you have questions or would like to arrange a visit to the nursery to select trees and shrubs or to place your order.

Sincerely,



William F. Clark, Director
Extension Service

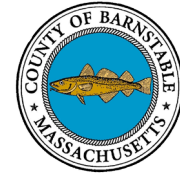
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Extension programs are conducted in Barnstable County in cooperation with the staff at the University of Massachusetts, and The Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution-Sea Grant program.

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Barnstable County Municipal Shade Tree Nursery

Municipal Shade Tree Nursery
Barnstable County Farm
County Extension Field Office
Southwest field beyond rail tracks
3675 Main Street, Barnstable





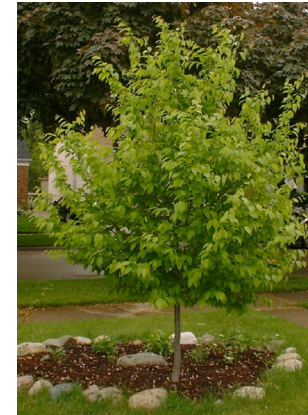
River Birch

- ✿ Height of 40'
- ✿ Distinctive cinnamon papery bark
- ✿ Year-round visual interest
- ✿ Resistant to common birch insects
- ✿ Adaptable to a variety of soil conditions



Green Ash

- ✿ Fast-growing
- ✿ Medium-sized tree
- ✿ Rich green foliage
- ✿ Adaptable to a variety of soil conditions
- ✿ Withstands drought, wind, excessive moisture



Hornbeam

- ✿ Grows 40'
- ✿ Pyramidal form while young
- ✿ Can be heavily pruned for hedging or topiary effects
- ✿ Oval, deciduous green leaves turn yellow in fall
- ✿ Bark is a handsome gray



Hedge Maple

- ✿ Unique hedge or screening tree
- ✿ Full sun or partial shade
- ✿ Moist, well-drained soil; tolerates dryness
- ✿ Adaptable to a variety of soil types



Red Maple

- ✿ Height of 50'
- ✿ Flowers, petioles, twigs, and seeds are red
- ✿ Brilliant, deep scarlet foliage in autumn
- ✿ Adaptable to variety of site conditions



American Sycamore

- ✿ Grows to 70'
- ✿ Beautiful, exfoliating bark
- ✿ Fast growing
- ✿ Tolerant of adverse conditions



Lace Bark Elm

- ✿ Fast-growing
- ✿ Long life span
- ✿ Bark peels and flakes
- ✿ Brilliant yellow fall color
- ✿ Excellent drought and disease resistance



Golden Rain

- ✿ 20' to 40'
- ✿ Nice, rounded outline
- ✿ Dark green foliage turns yellow in fall
- ✿ Flowers in summer
- ✿ Very adaptable to a variety of soil conditions
- ✿ Few insect or disease problems



Dawn Redwood

- ✿ Very fast-growing
- ✿ Deciduous conifer
- ✿ Soft, bright green foliage

Cape Cod Cooperative Extension: Barnstable County, UMass Extension, and USDA cooperating.