



Township of Salisbury

MEMORIAL TREE PLANTING PROCEDURES

Residents of Salisbury Township, their relatives, and friends may have a memorial tree planted in a Township Park. Memorial trees will be identified as such and may be marked to indicate for whom they are dedicated to. To participate in the Memorial Tree Program, the following procedures will be followed:

- A. The person wishing to plant a memorial tree should submit an application indicating the number of trees desired and the desired park for their location.
- B. Upon request, the type of tree to be planted may be recommended by the Public Works Director. Trees not recommended for planting will be provided on a list prepared by Salisbury Township.
- C. The person wishing to plant the memorial tree shall pay the cost of the selected tree(s) and the identification marker.
- D. The exact location of the planting in the park will be determined by the Salisbury Township Public Works Director. All reasonable efforts will be made to place the trees in the location requested.
- E. Township personnel will plant the selected tree during normal, scheduled work hours. The individual requesting the tree will be sent an appropriate notice that the tree has been planted. The Township will install the marker or, if the individual prefers, he/she may install it either informally or as part of a private memorial service.
- F. The Township shall bear the cost of replacing those trees that are destroyed by any natural or manmade act with trees matching those destroyed.



SALISBURY TOWNSHIP

2900 South Pike Avenue, Allentown, PA 18103 (610) 797-4000

MEMORIAL TREE PROGRAM APPLICATION

Applicant Information

DATE _____

PRINT INDIVIDUAL/
ORGANIZATION NAME _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

DAYTIME TELEPHONE # _____

Applicant Signature _____

Tree Information

Applicants to purchase tree from a nursery of their choice. Please see the attached list of trees **not** recommended for planting in Salisbury Township's Parks. For assistance in selecting an appropriate tree and location, contact the Public Works Director.

Please check one. TREE () SHRUB () QUANTITY _____ COST\$ _____

SPECIES/VARIETY _____

REQUESTED PARK _____

NURSERY _____ TELEPHONE NO. _____

ADDRESS _____

*Please provide contact information of nursery so that arrangements can be made for tree planting.

Plaque Information

PLAQUE STANDARD SIZE: 5" X 7" (BRASS OR BRONZE)

ESTIMATED COST: \$240 (SUBJECT TO VENDOR CURRENT PRICING)

PLAQUE REQUESTED YES NO REQUESTED INSTALL DATE _____

In Memory of () In Honor of () Dedicated To () : _____

PLAQUE INSCRIPTION (please print) _____

For assistance with plaque order, please contact the Recreation Director.

FOR TOWNSHIP USE ONLY

APPROVED BY _____ DATE _____

COMMENTS _____

**TREES NOT RECOMMENDED FOR PLANTING IN
SALISBURY TOWNSHIP PARKS**

<u>BOTANICAL NAME</u>	<u>COMMON NAME</u>
Acer saccharinum	Silver Maple
Ailanthus altissima	Tree of Heaven
Aralia elata	Japanese Angelica Tree
Betula (white species)	Birches (white species)
Castanea (some species)	Japanese Chestnut
Catalpa species	Catalpa
Crataegus species	Hawthorn
Fraxinus species	Ash
Hemiptelea davidii	David Hemiptelea
Hippophae rhamnoides	Common Buckthorn
Kalopanax pictus	castor-aralia
Larix species	Larch
Maclura pomifera	Osage-Orange
Malus species	Crabapple (many species)
Morus species	Mulberry
Populus species	Poplar
Quercus palustris	Pin Oak
Rhamnus davurica	Dahurian Buckthorn
Robinia pseudoacacia	Black Locust
Sorbus species	Mountain Ash
Syringa amuensis japonica	Japanese Lilac Tree
Ulmus species	Elms

Trees listed above were selected for a variety of reasons such as messy nature, weak wood, large thorns, and susceptibility to insects, pests and diseases.