MASTER TREE LIST for the CITY of STOCKTON
(Parks & Streets)

Small Trees – under 30 feet high
These trees are suitable for use in small tree wells (3ft. X 3ft. or 4ft. X 4ft.), in narrow (2 to 3 feet wide) park strips (area between curb and sidewalk), in small front yards, or underneath power lines (only with approval from utility company).

Planting Distances for Small Trees:

- From pad mounted equipment (such as a transformer mounted on a concrete pad): 8 feet
- From a building foundation: 6 feet
- From walkways & driveways: 5 feet
- From an air conditioner: 3 feet
- From a fence: 3 feet
- From a utility offset (such as an underground pipe, line or cable): 6 feet
- From a swimming pool: 6 feet
- From a septic system: 15 feet
- In between trees: 12 feet

Paperbark Maple (Acer griseum) D, C
Japanese Maple (Acer palmatum) D, C
Norway Maple (Acer platanoides “Columnare” or ‘Crimson King’) D, C
Chinese Fringe (Chionanthus retusus) C, F
Fragrant Snowbell (Stytrax obassia) F, PF
Vitex or Chaste (Vitex agnus-castus) F
Chitalpa (Chitalpa tashkentensis “Pink Dawn” or “Morning Cloud”) D, C (flowers late spring to fall)
Washington Hawthorne (Crataegus phaenopyrum) D, F, C
English Hawthorne (Crataegus laevigata) D, F, C
Australian Willow (Geijera parviflora) E, DR, PF
Little Gem Magnolia (Magnolia grandiflora ‘Little Gem’) E, F
St. Mary Magnolia (Magnolia grandiflora ‘St. Mary’) E, F
Saucer Magnolia (Magnolia soulangiana) D, F, C
Flaxleaf Paperbark (Melaleuca linariifolia) E, DR, F
Flowering Cherry (Prunus serrulata “Beni Hoshi’, ‘Kwansan’, ‘Mt. Fuji’, ‘Shogetsu’, or Prunus x yedoensis ‘Akebono’) D, F, C

Medium Trees – 30 feet to 60 feet high
These trees are suitable for most average sized or large front yards or in larger park strips that are 5 feet wide or more.

Planting Distances for Medium Trees:

- From pad mounted equipment (such as a transformer mounted on a concrete pad): 8 feet
- From a building foundation: 15 feet
- From walkways & driveways: 6 feet
- From an air conditioner: 6 feet
- From a fence: 6 feet
- From a utility offset (such as an underground pipe, line or cable): 6 feet
- From a utility overhead (such as an overhead power line): 20 feet
- From a swimming pool: 12 feet
- From a septic system: 20 feet
- In between trees: 18 feet

**Red Horsechestnut (Aesculus carnea)**  D, F, C
**Autumn Blaze Maple** (Acer x freemanii ‘Autumn Blaze’)  D, C
**Bowhall Red Maple** (Acer rubrum “Bowhall”)  D, C (OK IN 4’ WIDE PLANTERS WHEN INSTALLED WITH ROOT BARRIER)
**Red Maple** (Acer rubrum ‘Red Sunset’ or ‘October Glory’)  D, C
**Trident Maple** (Acer buergeranum)  D, C
**Strawberry Madrone** (Arbutus ‘Marina’)  E, F, PF
**Eastern Redbud** (Cercis canadensis)  D, DR, F, C
**Ginkgo** (Ginkgo biloba ‘Fairmount’ or ‘Autumn Gold’) Male only  D, C, PF
**Western Juniper** (Juniperus occidentalis)  E, N, DR, PF
**Chinese Flame Tree**, (Koelreuteria bipinnata)  D, DR, F
**Golden Rain Tree**, (Koelreuteria paniculata)  D, DR, F
**Southern Magnolia** (Magnolia grandiflora ‘Samuel Sommer’ or ‘Majestic Beauty’)  E, F
**Sour Gum, Tupelo** (Nyssa sylvatica)  D, C
**Chinese Pistacia** (Pistacia chinensis ‘Keith Davey’)  D, DR, C, PF
**Fern Pine** (Podocarpus gracilior)  E
**Flowering Pear** (Pyrus calleryana ‘New Bradford’, or ‘Chanticleer’)  D, F, C
**Cork Oak** (Quercus suber)  E, DR
**Interior Live Oak** (Quercus wislizenii)  E, N, DR
**Sawleaf Zelkova** (Zelkova serrata ‘Village Green’ or ‘Green Vase’)  D, DR, C

**Large Trees – over 60 feet high**
These trees are most suitable for larger areas such as parks, greenbelts, or large front yards with no overhead obstructions.

**Planting Distances for Large Trees:**
- From pad mounted equipment (such as a transformer mounted on a concrete pad): 8 feet
- From a building foundation: 15 feet
- From walkways & driveways: 8 feet
- From an air conditioner: 8 feet
- From a fence: 6 feet
- From a utility offset (such as an underground pipe, line or cable): 6 feet
- From a utility overhead (such as an overhead power line): 30 feet
- From a swimming pool: 15 feet
- From a septic system: 15 feet
- In between trees: 25 feet

**Big Leaf Maple** (Acer macrophyllum)  D, N, C
**Incense Cedar** (Calocedrus decurrens)  E, N, DR
**Blue Atlas Cedar** (Cedrus atlantica ‘Glauc’)  E, DR
Deodar Cedar (*Cedrus deodara*)  E, DR
Silver Dollar Gum (*Eucalyptus polyanthemus*)  E, DR
Red Ironbark (*Eucalyptus sideroxylon*)  E, DR
Canary Island Pine (*Pinus canariensis*)  E, DR
Afghan Pine (*Pinus elderica*)  E, DR
Ponderosa Pine (*Pinus ponderosa*)  E, N, DR
London plane (*Platanus acerifolia ‘Bloodgood’, ‘Yarwood’)  D, DR
Douglas Fir (*Pseudotsuga menziesii*)  E, N, DR
California Bay (*Umbellularia californica*)  E, N

**Trees for Parks only:**

Arizona Cypress (*Cupressus arizonica*)  E, DR
Beefwood, She-Oak (*Casuarina stricta*)  E, DR
Blue Oak (*Quercus douglasii*)  C
Bur Oak (*Quercus macrocarpa*)  D, C
Camphor (*Cinnamomum camphora*)  E
Chestnut Leaf Oak (*Quercus montana*)  C
Coast Live Oak (*Quercus agrifolia*)  E, N, DR
Holly Oak (*Quercus ilex*)  E, DR
Red Oak (*Quercus rubra*)  D, C
Scarlet Oak (*Quercus coccinea*)  C, D
Shumard Oak (*Quercus shumardii*)  C
Valley Oak (*Quercus lobata*)  D, N, DR
Willow Oak (*Quercus phellos*)  C, D
Coast Redwood (*Sequoia sempervirens ‘Aptos Blue, ‘Soquel’, or ‘Santa Cruz’)  E, N, PF
Dawn Redwood (*Metasequoia glyptostroboides*)  D
Seedless Sweetgum (*Liquidambar S. ‘Rotundiloba’)  D, C, PF
California Sycamore (*Platanus racemosa*)  C, N

**Descriptive Key:**

E = evergreen
D = deciduous
N = California native
DR = drought tolerant
F = flowering
C = fall color, deciduous
PF = relatively pest free

**TREES NOT APPROVED FOR STREET TREE PLANTING:**

- Any tree with fruit, or undesirable seeds, cones or nuts not listed above.
- Any tree with a voracious, shallow root system that is known to cause sidewalk or driveway damage.
- Any tree with an uncontrollable pest (disease, insect or invertebrate) problem will not be allowed.
- Any tree not listed above without prior consent from the City Parks Manager or City Landscape Architect.

For more information contact the TREE DIVISION: (209) 937-8317