PLANTING A TREE IN FOUR EASY STEPS

Step 1: Contact an authorized greenway representative

- City of Grand Forks (701) 738-8746
- City of East Grand Forks (218) 773-8000

Step 2: Select a location. Staff will be happy to work with you to find the perfect spot for your tree.

Step 3: Purchase a tree: Several local nurseries are available to assist with finding the perfect tree from the Approved Greenway Tree List. Donors are responsible for all fees associated with the purchase of the tree. The Approved Greenway Tree List can be found on the back of this brochure.

Step 4: Pat yourself on the back for contributing a gift that will keep on giving for generations.

FAQ

May I transplant a tree from a private property? This may be allowed if the tree stock meets the standards of the American Association of Nurserymen Standards.

Who will care for the tree or shrub after it is planted? Once planted and established by the donor, the tree or shrub becomes the property and responsibility of either the City of Grand Forks or East Grand Forks, depending on location.

What if the tree becomes diseased or dies? Dead or diseased trees will be removed and may not be replaced if deemed appropriate by the Greenway Staff.

Will I be able to have a plaque noting the donation near the tree? No. Plaque or other type of recognition cannot be placed near the donated tree. Greenway Staff may use other means of recognition through social media and other public announcements, as deemed appropriate.

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WHY PLANT A TREE?

Trees and shrubs play an essential role in providing landscape beauty to environmental benefits for our community. Erosion control, carbon dioxide removal, and carbon emissions reduction are just a few of the benefits of maintaining healthy vegetation in the greenway.

The Greenway Tree Planting Program is an opportunity to purchase a living, growing memorial for a loved one or special occasion. Through this program, donations of a shrub or tree can be made for planting in the greenway.

For more information on this program, call 701-787-3756 or visit our website at www.grandforksgov.com.



SPECIES APPROVED FOR PLANTING IN THE GREENWAY

Alpine Currant American Linden Amur Chokecherry Austrian Pine Basswood Black Hills Spruce Bur Oak Compact American Cranberry Bush Cottonwood (native seed and seedless accepted) Dakota Goldrush Potentilla Discovery Elm Fastern Red Cedar Fallgold Ash False Indigo Glossy Black Chokeberry Goldmound Spirea Hackberry Homestead Elm Little Leaf Linden Maney Juniper Miss Kim Lilac

Niobe Willow Norlin Linden Northern Fountain Willow Northern Pin Oak Norway Spruce Peachleaf Willow Pin Cherry Ponderosa Pine Prairie Spire Ash Quaking Aspen Red Osier Dogwood Sandbar Willow Scandia Juniper Scotch Pine Shadblow Serviceberry Siouxland Popular **Snowbird Hawthorn** Spring Snow Crabapple Summit Ash Swamp White Oak Tartarian Maple **Taunton Yew**