

City of Cleveland
Recommended Tree List

SMALL TREES
(mature height < 25')

Small trees are appropriate in locations where to space limitations, larger plants cannot be properly used without creating spatial conflicts with other trees and infrastructure Overhead utilities dictate the use of Small trees in order to avoid the unnecessary cost and disfiguring of tree pruning. On the whole, small trees tend to be more ornamental than their larger counterparts and can create an added aesthetic dimension to the streetscape.

Common Name

Scientific Name

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| Serviceberry | Amelanchier spp. |
| Eastern Redbud | Cercis Canadensis |
| Flowering Dogwood | Cornus florida |
| Kousa Dogwood | Cornus kousa |
| Hawthorn | Crataegus spp. |
| Carolina Silverbell | Halesia carolina |
| Crape Myrtle | Lagerstroemia indica |
| Crabapple* | Malus spp. |
| Star Magnolia | Magnolia stellata |

*Note: All forms of Crabapple shall be selected for form and resistance to host specific crabapple diseases such as scab and rust.