

City of Biloxi Tree Committee

Suggested Native Trees for Replanting/Mitigation (organized by size and growth cycle)

Information on preferred light, soils, habit, fruit/flowering, and drainage for each species is available at https://extension.msstate.edu/sites/default/files/publications/publications/p2330_0.pdf

LARGE TREES (Over 40' ht)

Deciduous

Acer rubrum var. *drummondii* Sargent
Acer rubrum Linnaeus
Carya glabra
Celtis laevigata
Fraxinus americana
Liquidambar styraciflua
Liriodendron tulipifera
Magnolia virginiana
Plantanus occidentalis
Prunus serotina Ehrhart
Quercus alba Linnaeus
Quercus falcata var. *pagodifolia* Elliott
Quercus michauxii Nuttall
Quercus nuttallii Palmer
Quercus shumardii
Quercus phellos Linnaeus
Nyssa sylvatica Marshall var. *sylvatica*
Nyssa sylvatica var. *biflora* Sargent
Taxodium ascendens
Taxodium distichum
Ulmus alata
Ulmus crassifolia Nuttall

Swamp Red Maple
Red Maple
Pignut Hickory
Sugarberry
White Ash
Sweetgum
Tulip Tree
Sweetbay
Sycamore
Black Cherry
White Oak
Cherrybark Oak
Swamp Chestnut Oak
Nattall Oak
Shumard Oak
Willow Oak
Tupelo Gum
Black Gum
Pond Cypress
Bald Cypress
Winged Elm
Cedar Elm

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Evergreen

Magnolia grandiflora
Pinus glabra
Pinus palustris Miller
Quercus virginiana

Southern Magnolia
Spruce Pine
Long Leaf Pine
Live Oak

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MEDIUM TREES (20-40' ht)

Deciduous

Acer saccharum floridanum
Betula nigra,
Carpinus caroliniana Walter
Cornus alternifolia Linne
Cornus strica Lamarack
Crataegus marshallii Eggleston
Crataegus opaca Hooker and Arnott
Cyrilla racemiflora Linnaeus
Diospyros virginiana
Halesia diptera Ellis
Ilex decidua Walter
Malus angustifolia Michaux
Rhus coppalina Linnaeus

Florida Maple
River Birch
Ironwood
Pagoda Dogwood
Swamp Dogwood
Parsley Hawthorne
Mayhaw
Titi
Native Persimmon
Silverbell
Deciduous Holly
Southern Crabapple
Winged Sumac

Evergreen

Ilex opaca Aiton

American Holly

Ilex vomitoria Aiton

Yaupon Holly

Prunus caroliniana Ehrhart

Cherry Laurel

SMALL TREES (under 20' ht)

Deciduous

Aesculus pavia

Red Buckeye

Amorpha fruticosa Linnaeus

Indigo Bush

Euonymus atropurpureus Jacq.

Burning Bush

Forestiera acuminata Poir

Swamp Privet

Hydrangea quercifolia Bartr

Oakleaf Hydrangea

Vaccinium arboreum

Sparkleberry

Chionanthus virginicus

Fringe Tree

Evergreen

Baccharis hamifolia

Groundsel Tree

Myrica cerifera

Wax Myrtle

This list is not comprehensive. References should be consulted for a comprehensive list and information regarding height, form, spacing, soil, drainage and light requirements.

References:

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