

# NEWBURYPORT STREET TREES

These trees are specifically selected for streetside planting

This list of trees was selected by the r Newburyport Tree Committee to recommend to the Tree Warden as approved for planting

The item Ordinance Status reflects the current status of the listed plants.

Tree Species on this list drawn from sources including Newburyport Tree Ordinance, Newburyport Historical Commission, USDOT list of species native to Massachusetts and other references. Research sources include Dirr's Manual of Woody Plants, UConn Plant List (Reader can access the UConn web address given below, for each species), and several other sources.

## 56 Total Trees On List

Newburyport Height Class

Count of Trees In Height Category

Tall Trees

20

### Red Maple, Swamp Maple

Botanical **Acer rubrum** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate  
**Flowers** Insignificant  
**Salt Tolerant**  
**Fall Color** varies from greenish yellow vibrant scarlet to burgundy, can be very striking;  
 Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/a/acerub/acerub1.html>

### Common Alder, Black Alder, European Alder

Botanical **Alnus Glutinosa** **Ordinance Status Proposed-Tree Committee** Tree is Historically Appropriate  
**Flowers** Small  
**Salt Tolerant** yes  
**Fall Color** no fall color  
 Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/a/alnglu/alnglu1.html>

### River Birch, Red Birch

Botanical **Betula nigra 'Heritage'** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate  
**Flowers** Small  
**Salt Tolerant** Mod erate  
**Fall Color** Yellow - drop quickly  
 Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/b/betnig/betnig1.html>

### Paper Birch

Botanical **Betula paperifeya** **Ordinance Status Proposed-Tree Committee** Historically Appropriate  
**Flowers** Insignificant  
**Salt Tolerant**  
**Fall Color** clear bright yellow typically dependable and showy  
 Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/b/betpap/betpap1.html>

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## Sugar Hackberry, Sugarberry

Botanical **Celtis laevigata** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** blooms late April to early May  
**Fall Color** yellow fall color

Web Reference

## Common Hackberry

Botanical **Celtis occidentalis** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** blooms late April to early May  
**Fall Color** √ yellow fall color, not showy

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/c/celocc/celocc1.html>

## Common Hackberry 'Magnifica'

Botanical **Celtis occidentalis X C.** **Ordinance Status Selected for 2009 whip** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** blooms late April to early May  
**Fall Color** √ yellow fall color, not showy

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/c/celocc/celocc1.html>

## Katsura Tree

Botanical **Cercidiphyllum japonica** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Tree is Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** not showy, green, open before leaves in March-April  
**Fall Color** outstanding display, yellow to apricot fall color, spicy, brown sugar odor colors early in

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/c/cerjap/cerjap1.html>

## White Ash

Botanical **Fraxinus Americana** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** not ornamentally important, greenish flowers, mid to late April  
**Fall Color** yellow, deep purple maroon, beautiful Fall color

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/f/frapen/frapen1.html>

## Ginkgo, Maidenhair Tree

Botanical **Ginkgo biloba** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Tree is Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Fall Color** excellent yellow color, leaves drop quickly, especially following a freeze

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/g/ginbil/ginbil1.html>

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## Ginkgo 'Magyar'

Botanical **Ginkgo biloba 'Magyar'** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant **Fall Color** excellent yellow color, leaves drop quickly, especially following a freeze

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/g/ginbil/ginbil1.html>

## American Planetree, Sycamore, Buttonwood, Buttonball-tree

Botanical **Platanus occidentalis** **Ordinance Status Proposed by Historical** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** not ornamentally important, deep red flowers, blooms in late March **Fall Color** yellow-brown

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/p/plaocc/plaocc1.html>

## Bigtooth Aspen

Botanical **Populus grandidentata** **Ordinance Status Proposed-Tree Committee** Tree is Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** yellow catkins **Fall Color** yellow fall color

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/p/popgra/popgra1.html>

## Red Oak

Botanical **Quercus rubra** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** slight seasonal interest in May, pale yellow-green catkins (male) **Fall Color** mixture of russet-red, yellow & tan, can be quite good or disappointing, color develops late

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/q/querub/querub1.html>

## Japanese Pagodatree, Scholar-tree

Botanical **Sophora japonica 'Regent'** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Messy, pale yellow to creamy white, 6" to 12" long clusters, August, fragrant slightly pea- **Fall Color** no fall color, leaves drop green or yellow-green

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/s/sopjap/sopjap1.html>

## 'Accolade' Elm

Botanical **Ulmus carpinifolia** **Ordinance Status Selected for 2006 Whip** Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant **Fall Color** Yellow

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/u/ulmpar/ulmpar1.html>

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## American Elm

Botanical **Ulmus americana** **Ordinance Status** **Proposed-Tree Committee** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant **Fall Color** not ornamentally important, turns yellowish-brown

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/u/ulmame/ulmame1.html>

## Smoothleaf Elm

Botanical **Ulmus carpinifolia** **Ordinance Status** **Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant **Fall Color** turns yellowish-brown

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/u/ulmcar/ulmcar1.html>

## 'Allee' Elm

Botanical **Ulmus parvifolia "Allee"** **Ordinance Status** **Selected for 2010 whip** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant **Fall Color** turns yellow

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/u/ulmpar/ulmpar1.html>

## Zelkova 'Green Vase'

Botanical **Zelkova serrata 'Green'** **Ordinance Status** **Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** Insignificant **Fall Color** Fall color is variable, mixed yellow, russet, bronze, dark red and purple can be quite showy

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/z/zelser/zelser1.html>

Newburyport Height Class

Count of Trees In Height Category

**Small Trees**

**5**

## Crabapple 'Adirondack'

Botanical **Malus 'Adirondack'** **Ordinance Status** **Existing Ordinance** Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** Annual flowering. Dark carmine buds mature to a lighter red and open **Fall Color** Golden yellow in late autumn

Web Reference

## Crabapple 'Red Baron'

Botanical **Malus 'Red Baron'** **Ordinance Status** **Existing Ordinance** Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** Flowers single, dark red buds, opening to reddish pink. **Fall Color** Golden yellow in late autumn

Web Reference

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## Tea Crabapple

Botanical **Malus hupehensis**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** blooms in April to early May  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** mix of yellow and green

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/m/malhup/malhup1.html>

## Crabapple 'Donald Wyman'

Botanical **Malus x 'Donald Wyman'**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Deep red at first, then turn pink, then finally white, showy  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** mix of yellow and green

**Web Reference**

## Beijing Gold Tree Lilac

Botanical **Syringa pekinensis 'Beijing'**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** flowers are fragrant, small, and creamv- white 3' - 6" panicles  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color**

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/s/syrret/syrret1.html>

Newburyport Height Class

Count of Trees In Height Category

Medium Trees

31

## Trident Maple

Botanical **Acer buergeranum**

**Ordinance Status** Selected for 2010 whip

Tree is Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** yellow, orange, red; individuals vary in quality of coloration colors late for a maple

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/a/acebue/acebue1.html>

## Paperbark Maple

Botanical **Acer griseum**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Tree is Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** green, inconspicuous  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** a pronounced red, but frequently is green with red overtones on exposed leaf surfaces

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/a/acegri/acegri1.html>

## "State Street" Maple

Botanical **Acer miyabei 'Morton'**

**Ordinance Status** Selected for 2010 whip

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** May, pyramidal corymbs  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** pale yellow, but very short in duration.

**Web Reference** <http://www.mobot.org/gardeninghelp/plantfinder/Plant.asp?>

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## 'Brandywine' Red Maple

Botanical **Acer rubrum 'Brandywine'** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Insignificant, male flowers

**Tolerant** **Fall Color** Bright, enduring fall color begins red and gradually turns brilliant

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/a/acerub/acerub1.html>

## American Yellowwood

Botanical **Cladrastis kentukea (lutea)** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** white, pea-like flowers, in 10" to 16" long clusters, resembles wisteria flowers, early June,

**Tolerant** **Fall Color** soft mix of yellow, gold and orange

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/c/claken/claken1.html>

## Kousa Dogwood

Botanical **Cornus Kousa** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Tree is Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Showy, attractive

**Tolerant** **Fall Color** red or red-purple color holds for at least a few weeks

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/c/corkou/corkou1.html>

## Turkish Filbert

Botanical **Corylus colurna** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Tree is Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Insignificant

**Tolerant** **Fall Color** Yellow-purple but not handsome

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/c/corcol/corcol1.html>

## Green Ash

Botanical **Fraxinus pennsylvanica** **Ordinance Status Proposed-Tree Committee** Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Insignificant

**Tolerant** YES **Fall Color** showy, yellow fall color

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/f/frapen/frapen1.html>

## Thornless Honey Locust 'Sunburst'

Botanical **Gleditsia tricanthos** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Insignificant

**Tolerant** Yes **Fall Color** Yellow, no mess

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/g/gletri/gletri1.html>

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## Thornless, Common Honeylocust

Botanical **Gleditsia triacanthos** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate  
**Salt Tolerant** yes **Flowers** small, greenish-yellow flowers  
**Fall Color** Yellow, showy  
**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/g/gletri/gletri1.html>

## Honeylocust 'Moraine -Thornless

Botanical **Gleditsia triacanthos** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate  
**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Fall Color** Yellow, showy  
**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/g/gletri/gletri1.html>

## Shademaster Honeylocust

Botanical **Gleditsia triacanthos** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate  
**Salt Tolerant** YES **Flowers** insignificant, fragrant, small, greenish-yellow flowers, blooms in May and June  
**Fall Color** Yellow, showy  
**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/g/gletri/gletri1.html>

## Skyline Honeylocust

Botanical **Gleditsia triacanthos** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate  
**Salt Tolerant** yes **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Fall Color** Yellow, showy  
**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/g/gletri/gletri1.html>

## Golden Rain Tree

Botanical **Koelreuteria paniculata** **Ordinance Status Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate  
**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** small yellow with a red center in large, loose upright clusters flower clusters are 12" to 15"  
**Fall Color** Yellow, gold, orange yellow  
**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/k/koeipan/koeipan1.html>

## Sweet Gum 'Slender Silhouette'

Botanical **Liquidambar styraciflua** **Ordinance Status Proposed-Tree Committee** Historically Appropriate  
**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Fall Color** very showy, florescent yellow to orange to red or purple colors  
**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/n/nyssyl/nyssyl1.html>

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## Amur Maackia

Botanical **Maackia amurensis**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

**Salt** **Flowers** small dull, white pea-like flowers in upright clusters are 4" to 6" long, bloom June and July  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** no color develops, leaves drop green or brown

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/m/maaamu/maaamu1.html>

## Crabapple Species

Botanical **Malus Species**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Varying colors 1n bud usually white or pink, changing in hue or color when open to pinks  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** Golden yellow in late autumn

**Web Reference**

## Crabapple 'Adams'

Botanical **Malus 'Adams'**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** blooms carmine in bud, fading to dull pink in flower  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** Golden yellow in late autumn

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/m/malhup/malhup1.html>

## Black Tupelo, Black Gum, Sour Gum, Pepperidge

Botanical **Nyssa sylvatica 'Autumn**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** very showy, florescent yellow to orange to red or purple colors

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/n/nyssyl/nyssyl1.html>

## Persian Ironwood

Botanical **Parrotia persica**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** **Flowers** showy red flowers, flowers before leafing out, blooms in late March  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** orange, red, and yellow. showy

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/p/parper/parper1.html>

## Sargent Cherry

Botanical **Prunus sargentii**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

**Salt** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Tolerant** **Fall Color** showy, yellow, orange, or red fall color

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/p/prusar/prusar1.html>

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## Kwanzan Cherry

Botanical **Prunus serrulata**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt** Yes

**Flowers** Insignificant

**Tolerant**

**Fall Color** showy, yellow, orange, or red fall color

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/p/prusar/prusar1.html>

## Japanese Snowbell

Botanical **Styrax japonica**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Tree is Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt**

**Flowers** White with yellow stamens, groups of 3 to 6 blooms hang below the foliage, end of May

**Tolerant**

**Fall Color** yellow, often with a reddish cast, showy

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/s/styjap/styjap1.html>

## Japanese Tree Lilac

Botanical **Syringa reticulata**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt**

**Flowers** off-white flowers, in large terminal panicles, fragrant, blooms in early summer, showy

**Tolerant**

**Fall Color** poor

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/s/syrret/syrret1.html>

## Littleleaf Linden

Botanical **Tilia cordata 'Greenspire'**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Historically Appropriate

**Salt**

**Flowers** small, light yellow or creamy individual flowers in loose drooping clusters late June early

**Tolerant**

**Fall Color** yellow or yellow-green not showy

**Web Reference** <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/Plants/t/tilcor/tilcor1.html>

## 'Frontier' Elm

Botanical **Ulmus (carpinifolia x**

**Ordinance Status** Existing Ordinance

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt**

**Flowers** Insignificant, rarely

**Tolerant** Yes

**Fall Color** turns yellowish-brown

**Web Reference** [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ulmus\\_'Frontier'](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ulmus_'Frontier')

## Discovery Elm

Botanical **Ulmus dividiانا var**

**Ordinance Status** Selected for 2006 Whip

Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt**

**Flowers** Insignificant

**Tolerant**

**Fall Color** Yellow

**Web Reference** <http://www.extension.umn.>

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## Chinese Elm, Lacebark Elm

Botanical **Ulmus parvifolia** Ordinance Status **Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** Yes **Flowers** Insignificant-August September  
**Fall Color** turns yellowish-brown

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/u/ulmpar/ulmpar1.html>

## 'Cathedral' Elm

Botanical **Ulmus pumila x U. japonica** Ordinance Status **Selected for 2006 Whip** Not Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Fall Color** Yellow

Web Reference

## Zelkova serrata 'Wireless'

Botanical **Zelkova serrata** Ordinance Status **Selected for 2009 whip** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Fall Color** Fall color is variable, mixed yellow, russet, bronze, dark red and purple can be quite showy

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/z/zelser/zelser1.html>

## 'Village Green' Zelkova

Botanical **Zelkova serrata 'Village** Ordinance Status **Existing Ordinance** Historically Appropriate

**Salt Tolerant** **Flowers** Insignificant  
**Fall Color** Fall color is brilliant rusty red can be quite showy on good specimens

Web Reference <http://www.hort.uconn.edu/plants/z/zelser/zelser1.html>