



Trees
Hamilton

**Every
Tree
Counts.**



Hamilton
Public Works

***Free Street
Tree Program***

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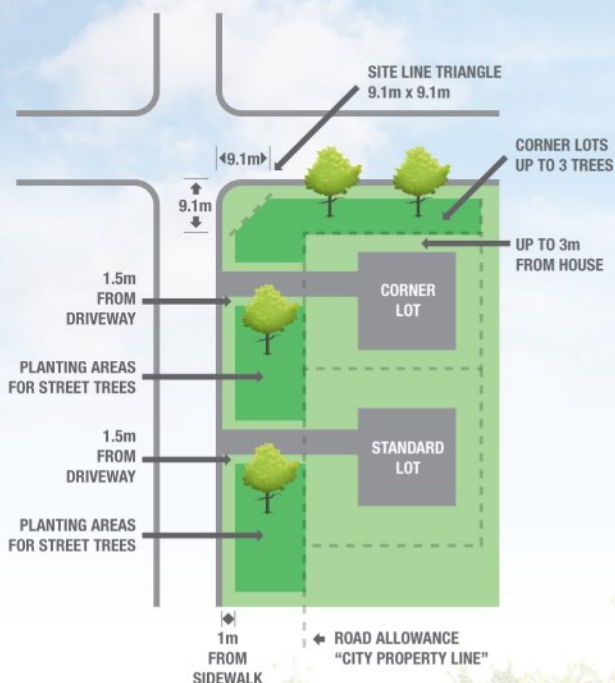
Lets' Get Growing!

The City of Hamilton's Street Tree Planting Program offers FREE trees for residential and other properties across Hamilton area. This fully-funded program provides new and/or replacement trees in the City-owned portion of residential, commercial and City-properties road allowance.

The benefits of trees are important to achieve Hamilton's objective of a cleaner, greener environment. The benefits of the Tree Planting Program include:

- Improved air quality
- Reduced emissions
- Reduced "Urban Heat Island" effect
- Reduced smog
- Increased storm water control
- Reduced green house gas
- Absorption and reduction of breathable particulates
- Noise abatement
- Improved health of citizens
- Aesthetically enhanced landscapes

Street Requirement Overview



Road allowances vary throughout Hamilton. City staff will confirm the measurements of your property at the time of inspection.

This diagram has been simplified and is to be used as a guideline only. Traffic site lines vary depending on road layouts and speed limits. City staff will confirm site lines in all situations.

Help Green Hamilton Streets!

Order your Free Street Tree...as easy as 1-2-3

STEP

1.

Review the site selection criteria

- Standard lot gets one free tree
- Corner lot gets up to three free trees
- Requested trees must be compatible with location
- All trees must be planted on the City-owned portion of a property, known as the “road allowance”

STEP

2.

Pick your top three choices from the tree planting list

- Visit www.treeshamilton.com and choose from over 35 tree species
- Pick three species in order of preference
- Not all species are available at all times
Every effort will be made to accommodate one of your choices
- City staff will confirm your selection and site requirements

STEP

3.

Submit your request using one of these methods:

Call: 905-546-CITY⁽²⁴⁸⁹⁾

Email: treeplanting@hamilton.ca

Internet: www.treeshamilton.com

Mail: City of Hamilton – Forestry Section
71 Main St. W. Hamilton ON L8P 4Y5

Drop-off: At your nearest Municipal Service Centre

Let your friends and neighbours know about the Free Street Tree Planting Program!

When you think of Hamilton, think green!

The Forestry Section has stewardship of hundreds of thousands of municipal trees across Hamilton. We care for, trim and maintain more than 120,000 trees located in parks, open spaces and cemeteries. In addition, our arborists maintain over 300,000 street trees located within the road allowance of the 6522 lane kilometres of City roads.

Hamilton's Street Tree Planting Program - Request Form

PLEASE CHECK ONE: Standard Lot Corner Lot

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Street: _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Please list three tree choices for planting in order of preference:

1. _____ Daytime Phone #: _____

2. _____ Evening Phone #: _____

3. _____

NOTE: Not all tree species are available at all times. Every effort will be made to accommodate one of your choices

Please provide any additional comments: _____

Mailing Address:

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