

ARLINGTON FOREST CITIZENS ASSOCIATION TREE GRANT APPLICATION

A matching grant is available to residents of Arlington Forest who wish to plant a shade tree on their property. The grant amount of up to \$125 is to cover one-half of the cost of buying and planting a tree (including delivery). There is a limit of two tree grants (of up to \$125 per grant) per property. Thus, for example, a Forester who planted one tree costing \$300 and a second that cost \$200 would receive a grant of \$125 for the first tree and a grant of \$100 for the second.

The Tree Grant Application must be submitted and approved by AFCA *before* the purchase of the tree. The tree must be selected from the list of desirable shade trees endorsed by the County's Urban Forester as listed below. Funding is limited to the first 5 applicants each fiscal year (Sept to August).

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

AFCA membership dues (\$10) paid for current year? YES / NO (dues must be up-to-date to participate)

Which tree will you be purchasing? (Please submit one application per tree.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> White Oak | <input type="checkbox"/> Pin Oak | <input type="checkbox"/> Dutch Elm resistant cultivars |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Northern Red Oak | <input type="checkbox"/> Red Maple | (eg. Princeton, Liberty cultivars) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Willow Oak | <input type="checkbox"/> Sycamore | <input type="checkbox"/> American Beech |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chestnut Oak | <input type="checkbox"/> Tulip Tree/Yellow Poplar | <input type="checkbox"/> Kentucky Coffee Tree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Southern Red Oak | <input type="checkbox"/> Black Gum | <input type="checkbox"/> Hickory |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Oak | <input type="checkbox"/> Lacebark Elm | <input type="checkbox"/> Linden/Basswood |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> American Elm | |

“I am applying for the AFCA Tree Grant for a tree to be planted on my property by next August 30. I understand this program does not apply to trees already planted on my property. I will be responsible for providing AFCA a receipt showing the place, date, and purchase price of the tree. After the tree is planted, I will send a copy of the receipt to the Tree Grant Administrator and indicate where on my property the tree has been planted. The Tree Grant Administrator may inspect the tree on my property once it has been planted. AFCA in no way guarantees the health or growth of the tree. AFCA will send me a check based on the cost of the tree, up to \$125, as described above.”

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Complete this form and return it
to: Lauren Mikoy
Tree Grant Administrator
43 S. Park Drive
Arlington VA, 22204
laurendyork@gmail.com
(703) 906-8218

After notification of application approval, the approved tree must be planted within 90 days. To receive reimbursement, please mail, scan/fax, or scan/e-mail a copy of the purchase receipt and a description of the location of the new tree to Lauren Mikoy within 30 days of planting.

____ App. Received ____ App. Approval ____ Receipt ____ Verified ____ Reimbursed