

**BOROUGH OF ALLENTOWN
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH
STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

ORDINANCE NO. 04-2018

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE REVISED GENERAL
ORDINANCE CHAPTER 24: "PROTECTION OF TREES" OF
THE BOROUGH CODE TO INCLUDE NEW PERMITTED
SPECIES OF UTILITY TREES**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Allentown, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, that Chapter 24: "Protection of Trees" of the Revised General Ordinances of the Borough of Allentown, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, is hereby amended as follows (~~stricken text~~ indicates deletions, underlined text indicates additions):

24-2 STREET TREES PERMITTED.

The following list constitutes and includes the species of trees, shrubs, and bushes that may be planted as Street Trees within the Borough of Allentown:

Small Trees	Medium Trees	Large Trees
Amelanchier Canadensis, Serviceberry Crataegus viridis, Winter King Hawthorn Carpinus caroliniana, American hornbeam Cercis canadensis, Eastern Redbud, Acer buergerianum, Trident Maple, Acer griseum, Paperbark Maple Acer campestre, Hedge Maple Lagerstroemia spp, Crape Myrtle Parrotia persica, Persian Ironwood Syringa reticulata, Japanese Tree Lilac Prunus okame, Okame Cherry Prunus autumnalis, Autumn Flowering Cherry Prunus yeodensis, Yoshino Cherry Styrax japonica, Japanese Snowbell Cornus florida cvs, Dogwood cultivars Cornus kousa cvs, Kousa Dogwood cultivars Cornus Rutgers Hybrids, Rutgers hybrid Dogwoods Cornus mas, Cornelian Cherry	Nyssa sylvatica, Black Gum Acer x freemanii, Freeman Maple Ostrya virginiana, American hophornbeam Cercidiphyllum japonicum Cladrastis kentukea, Yellowwood Gleditsia triacanthus inermis., Honeylocust Koelreuteria paniculata, Golden Rain Tree	Acer rubrum, Red Maple Celtis occidentalis, Hackberry Platanus x acerifolia 'Bloodgood', Sycamore Ulnus Americana, American Elm resistant var. Ulmus parvifolia, Lacebark Elm Zelkova serrata, Zelkova Ginkgo biloba, Male Ginko Tilia cordata, Littleleaf Linden Liriodendron tulipifera, Tuliptree Acer saccharum, Sugar Maple
<u>Utility Trees</u>		
<u>Acer buergerianum. Trident Maple</u> <u>Acer griseum. Paperbark Maple</u> <u>Amelanchier x grandiflora.</u> <u>Serviceberry var. Autumn Brilliance.</u> <u>Princess Diana Chionanthus retusus.</u>		

<u>Fringe Tree var. Tokyo Tower</u> <u>Maackia amurensis, Amur Maackia</u> <u>Parrotia persica, Persian Ironwood</u> <u>var. Persian Spire, Vanessa, Ruby</u> <u>Vase Prunus Okame, Okame Cherry</u> <u>Prunus x cistena, Plum var. Big Cis</u> <u>Syringa reticulata, Japanese Tree</u> <u>Lilac var. Ivory Silk Tilia cordata,</u> <u>Linden var. Summer Sprite</u>		
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No species other than those included on the above list may be planted as Street Trees within the Borough of Allentown with the written permission of the Shade Tree Commission. If a variety is indicated for a species of tree, that variety, or one of similar height, habit and hardiness, must be used.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by Mayor and Council that should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phase of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remaining portion of this ordinance shall not be affected thereby and shall remain in full force and effect, and to that end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by Mayor and Council that all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this amending ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of their inconsistencies only.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by Mayor and Council that this ordinance shall be in full force and take effect twenty (20) days after final passage and publication, as required by law.

ATTEST:



 GREGORY WESTFALL, Mayor



 LAURIE A. GAVIN, Borough Clerk

DATED: 3/27/2018

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PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced and passed on first reading on the 13^m day of March, 2018, at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Allentown and will be taken up for final consideration and passage at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Allentown to be held on the 27^m day of March, 2018 at the Municipal Building, 8 N. Main Street, Allentown, New Jersey.



LAURIE A. GAVIN, Borough Clerk