

Northern hackberry
Celtis occidentalis

40-60'h x 30-50'w
Shade, wildlife

A large, native tree, perfect for a property in need of shade! Interesting corky bark appears as the tree matures. This tree produces a small fruit enjoyed by many types of wildlife. Tolerant of a wide range of soil conditions and does best in full sun. For maximum energy conservation, plant this excellent shade tree on the west or east side of your property.



Sensation boxelder
Acer negundo 'Sensation'

30'h x 25'w
Shade, fall color

Introducing the Sensation boxelder, a cousin of (but not to be mistaken by) the ever-hardy and adaptable boxelder tree. A great tree to try if you have tough soil conditions, this selection vaunts good form and unbeatable fall color. It is a fruitless variety and will not produce seeds.

Northern catalpa
Catalpa speciosa

40-60'h x 20-40'w
Showy, shade

Every year, in late spring, this tree becomes adorned in a breathtaking display of showy white flowers. Not only are the flowers impressive, this tree has interesting upright architecture and as-big-as-your-face heart shaped leaves. A medium to fast growing tree, the catalpa can provide shade to a sunny property in little time.



London Planetree 'Bloodgood'
Platanus x acerfolia 'Bloodgood'

50'h x 40'w
Shade, ornamental

Be brave and give this zone 5 tree a chance. The dappled shade of this regal beauty will shine onto what this tree is most famous for; creamy yellow and tan multicolored bark. Shade and ornamental quality don't always go together except when talking about this urban avenger.

Ironwood
Ostrya virginiana

30'h x 25'w
Showy, Shade tolerant

Handsome medium sized tree perfect for Minneapolis properties. This shade tolerant species has interesting bark characteristics. Hop-like fruit emerge in late summer and persist throughout the winter. This graceful tree has horizontal branching which evolves into a rounded shade when mature.

