

# Planting a Tree?

For safety and for electric service reliability, choose one of these beautiful low-growing trees when planting near overhead utility lines.

## Eversource's Recommended 30 Trees Under 30 Feet Tall



**Hedge Maple**  
*Acer campestre*  
H 25'-30' W 20'-30'  
Golden fall color



**Paperbark Maple**  
*Acer griseum*  
H 20'-30' W 10'-15'  
Beautiful birch-like bark



**Japanese Maple**  
*Acer palmatum*  
H 15'-25' W 6'-15'  
Red leaves



**Korean Maple**  
*Acer pseudosieboldianum*  
H 15'-25' W 6'-12'  
Excellent fall color



**Three Flower Maple**  
*Acer triflorum*  
H 20'-30' W 15'-20'  
Multi-colored fall foliage



**Serviceberry**  
*Amelanchier arborea*  
H 15'-25' W 15'-25'  
Showy flowers early



**American Hornbeam**  
*Carpinus caroliniana*  
H 20'-30' W 20'-30'  
Multi-colored fall foliage



**Eastern Redbud**  
*Cercis canadensis*  
H 20'-30' W 20'-30'  
Early spring purple flowers



**Hinoki Falsecypress 'Nana'**  
*Chamaecyparis obtusa*  
H 10'-20' W 10'-20'  
Unique needles and shape



**White Fringetree**  
*Chionanthus virginicus*  
H 12'-20' W 10'-20'  
Fantastic low-hanging flowers



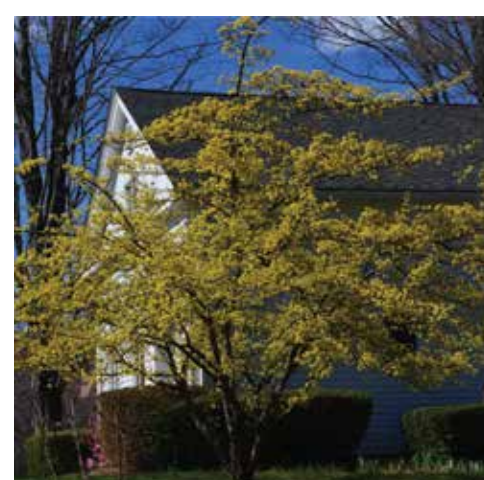
**Japanese Clethra**  
*Clethra barbinervis*  
H 10'-20' W 10'-15'  
Butterflies love the flowers



**Pagoda Dogwood**  
*Cornus alternifolia*  
H 15'-25' W 20'-25'  
Attracts birds and butterflies



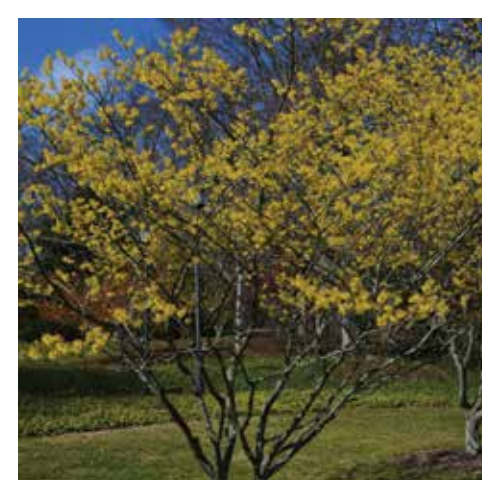
**Kousa Dogwood**  
*Cornus kousa*  
H 20'-30' W 10'-20'  
Beautiful flowers in June



**Corneliancherry Dogwood**  
*Cornus mas*  
H 15'-25' W 15'-20'  
Very early yellow flowers



**Common Smoketree**  
*Cotinus coggygria*  
H 10'-15' W 10'-15'  
Purple leaves, cool flowers



**Witch hazel**  
*Hammamelis intermedia*  
H 10'-15' W 10'-15'  
Flowers in winter



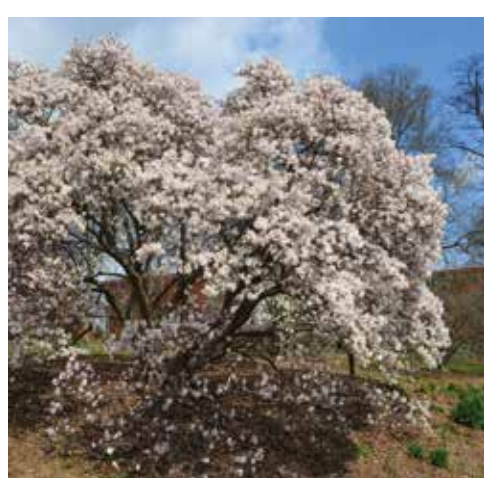
**Panicle Hydrangea**  
*Hydrangea paniculata*  
H 8'-15' W 6'-12'  
Gorgeous flowers



**Amur Maackia**  
*Maackia amurensis*  
H 15'-25' W 20'-25'  
Late summer flowers



**Saucer Magnolia**  
*Magnolia soulangeana*  
H 15'-25' W 15'-25'  
White to pink flowers



**Star Magnolia**  
*Magnolia stellata*  
H 15'-20' W 10'-15'  
Fragrant white flowers



**Royal Raindrops Crabapple**  
*Malus transcitoria*  
H 15'-20' W 12'-16'  
Purple leaves, pink flowers



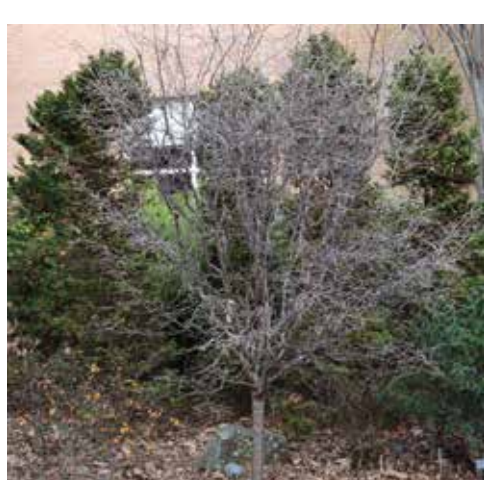
**Persian Ironwood**  
*Parrotia persica*  
H 20'-30' W 15'-30'  
Hardy, early spring flowers



**Swiss Stone Pine 'Glauca'**  
*Pinus cembra*  
H 12'-20' W 8'-15'  
Slow growing, beautiful shape



**Bosnian Pine 'Irish Bell'**  
*Pinus leucodermis*  
H 8'-12' W 8'-12'  
Dark green needles



**'Little Twist' Cherry**  
*Prunus incisa*  
H to 6' W to 6'  
Pinkish flowers with zigzag branching



**Japanese Stewartia**  
*Stewartia pseudocamelia*  
H 15'-25' W 10'-20'  
Beautiful flowers and exfoliating bark



**Tree Lilac**  
*Syringa reticulata*  
H 20'-30' W 15'-20'  
Hummingbirds and Butterflies love it



**Arborvitae**  
*Thuja occidentalis*  
H 10'-30' W 3'-6'  
Great screening plant



**Linden viburnum 'Michael Dodge'**  
*Viburnum dilatatum*  
H 5'-6' W 4'-6'  
Amazing yellow berries



**Blackhaw viburnum**  
*Viburnum prunifolium*  
H 12'-15' W 6'-12'  
Attracts birds and butterflies

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