



**TOWN OF NEEDHAM
TREE PLANTING
STREET BEAUTIFICATION PROGRAM**

TO: The Board of Selectmen, Town of Needham, Massachusetts.

Permission is hereby granted to the Tree Warden of the Town of Needham, or his Designee, for the planting of _____ tree(s) on my property at _____.

Tree(s) will be planted following Town of Needham planting guidelines. The location of the tree(s) will depend upon the location of underground utilities, existing trees and structures.

The Town of Needham will own and maintain the tree(s) for one year from the date of planting. For that year the trees are protected under Massachusetts General Laws, Ch. 87. After one year, the trees would be owned and maintained by the residents.

The landowner hereby grants to the Town the right to enter upon said land at reasonable times for the inspection of said tree(s), for the one year following planting. Nothing in this agreement shall be construed to limit or otherwise interfere with all powers granted to the Tree Warden of the Town of Needham pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Ch. 87.

SIGNATURE OF OWNER

_____ DATE: _____

Requests for tree plantings will be handled on a first-come first-served basis determined by the inventory of trees for each planting season.

Edward J. Olsen, Superintendent
Parks and Forestry Division
Department of Public Works
781-455-7550 EXT. 316

Please indicate your 1st and 2nd choice of tree(s)

Ornamental Shade Tree

1. _____

2. _____