

Revised Proposed Tree Definitions, Classification, and Replacement

TREES:

Protected Tree means:

- a tree of any species, except *invasive species*, on public and private property, that has a minimum diameter of 8 inches and is subject to replacement upon removal, unless the tree is listed as **passive unrestricted**.
- any tree in a stand which projects a tree canopy cover over a lot or tract when identified as a part of the Urban Forest within Forest Stand Delineation review; or
- a tree that was planted as a replacement tree; or
- a Significant tree or a Heritage tree

Passive Unrestricted Tree means a protected tree which does not require replacement when removed except when in Primary Natural Areas.

Passive Unrestricted Trees:

Silver maple

Tree-of-heaven

Mimosa

Hackberry/Sugarberry

Arizona ash

Chinaberry*

Black willow

Chinese tallow*

Siberian elm

Bradford pear

Palm

Any tree listed as *Invasive Species*

Significant trees: (1.5x replacement)

12" or larger: Post Oaks

24" or larger: all Oaks (other than Post Oaks), pecan, cedar elm, American elm, chittamwood, juniper, walnut.

Heritage trees (formerly Historic) subject to Council resolution and deed restriction. (5x replacement)

Passive **Unrestricted** trees require replacement when located in:

Primary Natural Area which includes, 100 year floodplain and riparian areas, escarpment zone (Article V), Geologically Similar Area - GSA (drainage basin above the escarpment zone as defined in Article V), wetland, >25% of slope (measured to 5 feet above top of slope), perennial and intermittent stream (measured to 25 feet above top bank, or extent of 100 year floodplain, whichever is greater).