Tree Species Available for Pickup

Courtesy of the City of Portsmouth

Saturday April 8th

Urban Forestry Center

27 Elwyn Road



Tree # 1 Black gum/ Tupelo

Height: 30' - 40'

Spread: 20' - 30'

Green foliage that turns bright

red in the fall

Small bluish - black fruit that is attractive to wildlife



Tree # 2 Dawn Redwood

Height: 70' Spread: 25'

Deciduous Conifer - looses its needles

Suitable for wetter locations

Beautiful feathery foliage - fresh green in the spring and summer, turning rusty orange in the fall



Tree#3 Serviceberry/

Amelanchier

Height: 20' Spread: 15'

Small multi-stemmed tree with white flowers in the spring, and bright fall foliage

Editable purplish-blue berries



Tree # 4 Sweetgum *Emerald Sentinel

*This specific variety grows narrower and more compact

Height: 30' Spread: 12'

Green foliage turns yelloworange to orange in the fall

Fruit is spiny



Tree # 5 White Oak

Height: 50' - 70'

Spread: 40' - 60'

Grows in an oval or rounded shape, and has red/burgundy foliage in the fall

Has acorns that are great food source for wildlife



Tree#6 Sourwood

Height: 20' - 30'

Spread: 15' - 20'

Small tree with white bell shaped flowers in the summer, and bright foliage in the fall

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Tree#7 American Hornbeam

Height: 20' - 30'

Spread: 20'

Smooth gray bark, "muscle wood"

with yellow to orange-red fall

color

LIMTED AVAILABILITY

Trees are available on a first come first served basis starting at 8:00 am Saturday, April 8th for people that have signed up. Sorry no reserving trees.

Please remember to bring a 5 gallon bucket or similar sized box /container to take home some great locally produced compost and soil mix to help ensure your trees gets a great start this spring. Please <u>DO NOT</u> add any additional fertilizer or soil amendments for the first growing season. Just water as needed to keep the soil moist. If you would like some natural composted woodchips please bring another container.

Staff will be onsite to help answer questions.