

RESTRICTED TREE SPECIES FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY

The tree species below are currently experiencing pest/disease pressures or are causing ecological harm and should not be considered for planting.



Common Name	Latin Name	Notes
Maple, Trident	<i>Acer buergerianum</i>	Hardiness, poor performance
Maple, Amur	<i>Acer ginnala</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Maple, Striped	<i>Acer pensylvanicum</i>	Poor performance
Maple, Norway	<i>Acer platanoides</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Maple, Sycamore	<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Maple, Tatarian	<i>Acer tataricum</i>	Relation to <i>A. ginnala</i> , invasive, poor performance
Tree of Heaven	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Mimosa	<i>Albizia julibrissin</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Alder, European Black	<i>Alnus glutinosa</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Angelica, Japanese	<i>Aralia elata</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Mulberry, Paper	<i>Broussonetia papyrifera</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Chestnut, American	<i>Castanea dentata</i>	Oak wilt, chestnut blight
Chestnut, Chinese	<i>Castanea mollissima</i>	Oak wilt, chestnut blight
Chinkapin, Allegheny	<i>Castanea pumila</i>	Oak wilt, chestnut blight
Dogwood, Flowering	<i>Cornus florida</i>	Pests and disease, poor performance
Filbert, Turkish	<i>Corylus colurna</i>	Eastern Filbert Blight (EFB)
Cypress, Leyland	<i>Cupressus x leylandii</i>	Hardiness, poor performance
Beech, American	<i>Fagus grandifolia</i>	Beech leaf disease, beech bark disease
Beech, European	<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>	Beech leaf disease, beech bark disease
Ash, White	<i>Fraxinus americana</i>	Emerald Ash Borer (EAB)
Ash, Black	<i>Fraxinus nigra</i>	Emerald Ash Borer (EAB)
Ash, Green	<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i>	Emerald Ash Borer (EAB)
Ash, Pumpkin	<i>Fraxinus profunda</i>	Emerald Ash Borer (EAB)
Butternut	<i>Juglans cinerea</i>	Canker

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Crabapple, Red Barron	Malus spp. 'Red Barron'	Poor performance
Mulberry, White	Morus alba	DCNR Invasive Species List
Royal Princess Tree	Paulownia tomentosa	DCNR Invasive Species List
Corktree, Amur	Phellodendron amurense	DCNR Invasive Species List
Corktree, Japanese	Phellodendron japonicum	DCNR Invasive Species List
Corktree, Lavalley	Phellodendron lavalleyi	DCNR Invasive Species List
Spruce, Norway	Picea abies	Spruce decline
Spruce, Engelman	Picea engelmannii	Spruce decline
Spruce, White	Picea glauca	Spruce decline
Spruce, Dwarf Alberta	Picea glauca var. albertiana	Spruce decline
Spruce, Black	Picea mariana	Spruce decline
Spruce, Serbian	Picea omorika	Spruce decline
Spruce, Blue	Picea pungens	Spruce decline
Spruce, Red	Picea rubens	Spruce decline
Pine, Austrian Black	Pinus nigra	Population crash due to disease
Pine, Red	Pinus resinosa	Population crash due to disease
Cherry, Okame	Prunus 'Okame'	Poor performance
Fir, Douglas	Pseudotsuga menziesii	Population crash due to disease
Pear, Callery	Pyrus calleryana	DCNR Invasive Species List
Oak, Willow	Quercus phellos	Poor performance
Mountain Ash, American	Sorbus americana	Population crash due to disease
Mountain Ash, European	Sorbus aucuparia	Population crash due to disease
Mountain Ash, Showy	Sorbus decora	Population crash due to disease
Bee Bee Tree	Tetradium daniellii	DCNR Invasive Species List
Sumac, Poison	Toxicodendron vernix	Poisonous
Hemlock, Eastern	Tsuga canadensis	Hemlock Woolly Adelgid, Hemlock Elongate Scale

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Hemlock, Carolina	<i>Tsuga caroliniana</i>	Hemlock Woolly Adelgid, Hemlock Elongate Scale
Elm, American	<i>Ulmus americana</i>	Poor performance, Dutch Elm Disease (DED)
Elm, Chinese	<i>Ulmus parvifolia</i>	Poor performance
Elm, Siberian	<i>Ulmus pumila</i>	DCNR Invasive Species List
Elm, Slippery	<i>Ulmus rubra</i>	Dutch Elm Disease (DED)