



2025 TOWN OF HENLOPEN ACRES – APPROVED TREE LIST

NATIVE CANOPY TREES

American Beech	<i>Fagus grandifolia</i>
American Holly	<i>Ilex opaca thyoides</i>
Bald Cypress	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>
Basswood	<i>Tilia americana</i>
Birch*	<i>Betula spp</i>
River Birch	<i>Betula nigra</i>
Sweet Birch	<i>Betula lenta</i>
Black Gum Tupelo	<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>
Black Walnut	<i>Juglans nigra</i>
Box Elder	<i>Acer negundo</i>
Eastern Cottonwood	<i>Populus deltoides</i>
Eastern Red Cedar	<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>
Hackberry	<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>
Hickory*	<i>Carya spp</i>
Bitternut Hickory	<i>Carya cordiformis</i>
Pignut Hickory	<i>Carya glabra</i>
Shagbark Hickory	<i>Carya ovata</i>
Large Tooth Aspen	<i>Populus grandidentata</i>
Lindens*	<i>Tilia spp</i>
Maple*	<i>Acer spp</i>
Red Maple	<i>Acer rubrum</i>
Silver Maple	<i>Acer saccharinum</i>
Oak*	<i>Quercus spp</i>
Black Oak	<i>Quercus velutina</i>
Laurel Oak	<i>Quercus hemisphaerica</i>
Pin Oak	<i>Quercus palustris</i>
Scarlet Oak	<i>Quercus coccinea</i>
Southern Red Oak	<i>Quercus falcata</i>
Water Oak	<i>Quercus nigra</i>
White Oak	<i>Quercus alba</i>
Willow Oak	<i>Quercus phellos</i>
Persimmon	<i>Diospyrus virginiana</i>
Pine*	<i>Pinus spp</i>
Loblolly Pine	<i>Pinus taeda</i>
Short Leaf Pine	<i>Pinus echinata</i>
Red Mulberry	<i>Morus rubra</i>
Sassafras	<i>Sassafras albidum</i>
Southern Magnolia	<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i>
Sweetgum	<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>
Sycamore	<i>Plantanus occidentalis</i>
Tulip Poplar	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>
Wild Black Cherry	<i>Prunus serotina</i>

NON-CANOPY EVERGREENS

Fir*	<i>Abies spp</i>
Cedar*	<i>Cedrus spp</i>
Atlantic White Cedar	<i>Chamaecyparis</i>
Atlas Cedar	<i>Cedrus atlantico</i>
Deodar Cedar	<i>Cedrus deodara</i>
Cryptomeria	<i>Cryptomeria japonica</i>
Spruce	<i>Picea</i>
Sweet Bay Magnolia	<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>

SPECIMEN TREES**

American Fringetree	<i>Chionanthus virginicus</i>
Catalpa	<i>Catalpa spp</i>
Crabapple*	<i>Malus spp</i>
Southern Crabapple	<i>Malus angustifolia</i>
Sweet Crabapple	<i>Malus coronaira</i>
Crepe Myrtle	<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i>
Eastern Redbud	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>
Flowering Cherry	<i>Prunus xyedoensis</i>
Flowering Dogwood	<i>Cornus florida</i>
Ginkgo	<i>Ginkgo biloba</i>
Hawthorn*	<i>Crataegus spp</i>
Serviceberry*	<i>Amelanchier spp</i>
Sourwood	<i>Oxydendrum arboreum</i>

STATEMENT ON APPROVED TREE LIST

This is not an exhaustive list of tree species. If you wish to use a tree that is not on this approved list, please contact the Town Manager at 302-227-6411 or townmgr@henlopenacres.com.

Planting of invasive species is strictly prohibited. For the Delaware Invasive Species Council (DISC) Invasive Plant List, visit www.delawareinvasives.net

*all native varieties in our growing zone acceptable.

**no longer counted toward minimum tree density.