

# Lehi City's Unacceptable Public Tree List

The following species are **NOT** allowed to be planted in any park strip in Lehi.

These trees exhibit characteristics including but not limited to: Undesirable root systems, extreme insect or disease susceptibility, soft or brittle wood, fruit, line of site restrictions, provide a diverse urban canopy and/or limited cold or heat hardiness.

Such problems often lead to excessive maintenance costs, hazards to other trees and potential public safety hazards.

All species of the following trees:

- Ash— All cultivars/varieties of Fraxinus
- Birch— All cultivars/varieties of Betulus
- Black Locust— All cultivars/varieties of Robinia pseudoacacia
- Boxelder— All cultivars/varieties of Acer negundo
- Cottonwoods/Aspens/Poplars— All cultivars/varieties of Populus species
- Elm Siberian—Ulmus pumila
- Evergreens/Conifers -All cultivars/varieties
- Flowering Pear— All cultivars/varieties of Pyrus calleryana
- Fruit Bearing Trees -All cultivars/varieties
- Fruitless Mulberry—Morus alba
- Honeylocust— All cultivars/varieties of Gledestia sp. (acceptable in strips 10' or larger)
- Maple -Freeman— All cultivars/varieties of Acer x freemanii
- Maple Red—All cultivars/varieties of Acer rubrum
- Maple, Silver—Acer saccharinum
- Maple Sugar— All cultivars/varieties of Acer Saccharum
- Multi-Stemmed or Clump Formed Trees—Numerous Species
- Russian Olive—Elaeagnus angustifolia
- Saltcedars—Tamarix
- Tree of Heaven— Alianthus altissima
- Umbrella Catalpa—Catalpa bignonioides 'Nana'
- Weeping Formed Trees—Numerous Species
- Willows— All cultivars/varieties of Salix

No trees are to be planted within 10' of any power line including a mature canopy.

Planted closer than 10' from power transformers.

Planted within 35' of a street warning sign or a street intersection.

40' from a traffic light.

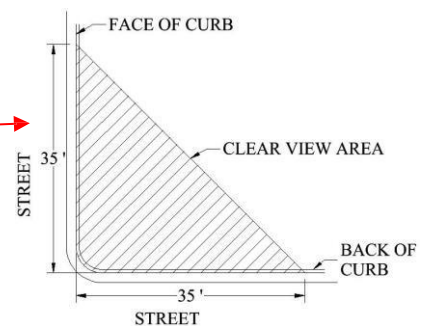
10' from a fire hydrant.

5' from a water meter.

20' from a light pole.

Private trees located in the yard and not in the park strip cannot be planted closer than 4' to any city sidewalk or curb.

Lehi Community Forestry Ordinances in Chapter 35 pertains to all vegetation within the Right of Way areas.



**All residential installations require a permit before planting in any park strip.**

<https://www.lehi-ut.gov/recreation/parks/urban-forestry/>