

## SMALL TREES FOR PLANTING UNDER UTILITY LINES



### Mature Growth Shrub

Genus species	Common Name	Height	Rate*	/Tree	Comments
Acer buergerianum	Trident Maple	20-30'	S-M	T	Greenish yellow flowers, forks and spreads wide
Acer circinatum	Vine Maple	20-25'	S-M	S/T	Gnarled/Crooked appearance, needs moisture, winged fruit
Acer ginnala	Amur Maple	15-20'	S	T	Fragrant flowers, good fall color
Acer glabrum	Rocky Mountain Maple	20-35'	M	T	Winged fruit 'helicopters'
Acer griseum	Paperbark Maple	20-30'	S	T	Exfoliating bark, light shade
Acer palmatum	Japanese Maple	8-20'	S-M	T	Many varieties for size and color
Acer tataricum	Tatarian Maple	20-25'	S-M	S/T	Tolerant of alkaline soils, small stature and slow growth rate
Amelanchier laevis	Serviceberry/Juneberry	20-25'	M	T	White flowers and fruit in fall
Betula occidentalis	Water Birch	20-35'	M	S/T	Shallow rooted, likes water
Capinus japonicus	Japanese Hornbeam	20-30'	S	T	Wide spread, densely branched
Carpinus caroliniana	American Hornbeam	20-30'	S	T	Fall color leaves, spread wide
Chionanthus virginicus	White Fringe	12-20'	S-M	S/T	Large shrub to small tree, fruit attracts birds
Cornus mas	Cornelian Cherry Dogwood	20-25'	M	S/T	Large shrub to small tree, flaking bark, attracts birds
Cornus spp.	Dogwoods	15-30'	S	S/T	Many varieties, good spring flowers and fall color
Cotinus coggygria	Smoke Tree	10-15'	M-R	T	Produces cloud of smoky pink flowers
Crataegus spp.	Hawthorn	10-30'	M-R	T	Many species, good flowers and fruit, some w/ unpleasant odors, thorny, disease prone
Juniperus osteosperma	Juniper	2-10'	S-M	T	Very tolerant of location, cones, many varying varieties
Koelreuteria bipinnata	Chinese Flame Tree	20-30'	M-R	T	Seed pods, needs sun
Maackia amurensis	Amur Maackia	12-30'	S	T	White summer flowers, fragrant, peeling bark
Magnolia x soulangiana	Saucer Magnolia/Tulip Tree	15-30'	M	T	Big white/pink flowers, spread wide
Malus spp.	Crabapple	10-25'	M	T	Many varieties of size and color, look for disease resistant cultivars
Pinus arisata	Bristle Cone Pine	8-20'	Very S	T	Needles
Pinus edulis	Pinyon Pine	10-20'	S	T	Needles, needs sun
Prunus spp.	Flowering Cherry/plum	10-30'	M-R	S/T	Many varieties, some poisonous to livestock, short lived
Prunus virginiana	Choke Cherry	20-30'	M	T	Small white flowers
Pyrus calleryana	Chanticleer Pear	20-35'	R	T	Flowers heavily in spring, turns to reddish/purple in fall
Quercus gambelli	Rocky Mtn. White Oak	20-30'	M	T	Acorns
Rhus copallina	Winged Sumac	15-25'	M	S/T	Large shrub to small tree, short trunk with spreading branches
Sorbus spp.	Mountain Ash	10-30'	S-M	T	Fruit attracts birds, species vary
Styrax japonica	Japanese Snowbell	20-30'	M	T	Spreads wide, mildly fragrant, not tolerant to heat or drought
Syringa spp.	Lilacs	6-20'	M	S/T	Colorful, fragrant, non-suckering, cast shade
Taxus x media 'Hicksii'	Anglo Yew	2-20'	S	S/T	Large shrub to medium tree, varies by cultivar

\*S-small, M-moderate, R-rapid growth

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