

FLOWER MOUND TREE RECOGNITION PROGRAM



CALLING ALL TREE LOVERS!



Tell us about your trees!

If you own or know about a special tree located on private property in the Town of Flower Mound that you feel deserves recognition — we'd love to hear about it.!

The Town of Flower Mound has a Tree Recognition Program to honor special trees throughout the Town, and we need your help to find them.

Nominations will be accepted from May through August. Awards will be given out at the Town's Arbor Day Celebration.

Large Historic Unique / Rare

Please contact the Environmental Services Department if you have any questions, comments, or for additional information.

To learn more about the eligibility requirements for this recognition program or to nominate a tree for recognition, please refer to the following pages.



Environmental Services
2121 Cross Timbers
Flower Mound, TX 75028
(972) 874-6352



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General Description

Flower Mound's Tree Recognition Program is designed to raise awareness about the importance of trees in our community, promote proper tree care and good tree health, increase community involvement and pride in these wonderful natural resources, and recognize those who own and care for significant trees in Flower Mound.

Each year, to commemorate Texas Arbor Day (celebrated in November), Flower Mound will recognize one or more significant trees in Town. Significant can mean a lot of things, and a tree doesn't necessarily have to be large to be significant.

Eligibility Requirements

In order to qualify for recognition, the tree must fall into one or more of the following categories.

Large - The tree should be large for its species (perhaps the largest of its kind in the neighborhood, Town, region, etc.). There are three components that make up the size of a tree. The diameter of the trunk at 4.5 feet above ground level, the height of the tree, and the average spread of the canopy.

Historic - The tree is associated with a historic event, is located where a notable activity occurred, has documented history in the community (old photographs, etc.), or was considered a well-known landmark in the area prior to incorporation of the Town.

Unique / Rare - The tree is a nice specimen of a species that is unusual to this area.

All trees nominated for this program should be well maintained, in good overall condition / health, and be located in an area that is accessible for review. A tree will only be considered after it is confirmed that the property owner is willing to participate in the program and allow access to the property / tree for inspection.

Nomination Procedure

To nominate a tree for consideration, fill out the following form and return it to the Environmental Services Department using the contact information provided on the Nomination Form. Nominations will be accepted from May through August. Trees nominated for consideration will be reviewed by the Town's Arborist, and members of the Environmental Conservation Commission. Owners of selected trees will be notified of their award by October 1st. Awards will be given out in conjunction with the Town's Arbor Day Celebration in early November.



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Nomination Form

**Mail, fax, or e-mail completed forms to the
Environmental Services Department**

2121 Cross Timbers Road
Flower Mound, TX 75028
Fax # (972) 874-6473

james.hoefert@flower-mound.com

If you have questions call: (972) 874-6352

SPECIES:

Common Name _____

Scientific Name _____

NOMINATOR:

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____

Email _____

OWNER:

Name _____

Phone _____

Address _____

Email _____

Does the owner agree to the tree being selected for recognition in this program? Yes ___ No ___

Does the owner agree to allow Town staff or volunteers to inspect the tree? Yes ___ No ___

Tell us a little bit about the tree and why it is so special or significant.

Where on the property is the tree located? (Please be specific so that someone unfamiliar with the site can locate the tree for verification). _____

