



Trees not recommended for planting in Indiana's urban forests

The following trees are not recommended for planting in Indiana's landscapes because they may have invasive tendencies, be weak wooded and break easily, or prone to insect and disease problems

Boxelder or Ashleaf Maple (*Acer negundo*)
Black Locust (*Robinia pseudoacacia*)
Bradford Pear (*Pyrus calleryana*)
Cottonwood (*Populus deltoids*)
Crabapple; unimproved varieties (*Malus sp.*)
Elm, Red Slippery and Siberian (*Ulmus rubra* and *Ulmus pumila*)
Lombardy Poplar (*Populus nigra var. italica*)
Mountain Ash (*Sorbus, sp.*)
Mulberry (*Morus*)
Norway Maple (*Acer platanoides*)-escaping into woodlots and forests
Osage Orange (*Maclura pomifera*)
Russian Olive (*Elaeagnus angustifolia*)
Sawtooth Oak (*Quercus acutissima*)
Siberian Elm (*Ulmus pumila*)
Silver Maple (*Acer saccharinum*)
Tree of Heaven (*Ailanthus altissima*)-invasive
Willow (*Salix sp.*)
Corktree (*Phellodendron amurense*) - escaping into woodlots and forests

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