



ANABRANCH
BURONGA
COOMEALLA
CURLWAA
DARETON
ELLERSLIE
GOL GOL
MONAK
PALINYEWAH
POMONA
POONCARIE
RUFUS RIVER
TRENTHAM CLIFFS
WENTWORTH

Street Trees Policy

Policy No: CC008
Approved: 27 April 2022

INTERPRETER SERVICES



MAHALAGA | FILIPINO

Kung kailangan mo ng tulong sa pagbabasa at pag-unawa sa dokumentong ito, ang mga kawani ng customer service ng Wentworth Shire Council ay masaya na tumulong sa pag-aayos ng isang libreng serbisyo ng interpretasyon. Upang ayusin ang isang interpreter, mangyaring makipag-ugnayan sa Council sa 03 5027 5027, o bisitahin ang isang Council Office na nakalista sa ibaba.



IMPORTANT | FRANÇAIS

Si vous avez besoin d'aide pour lire et comprendre ce document, le personnel du service client du Wentworth Shire Council se fera un plaisir de vous aider à organiser un service d'interprétation gratuit. Pour organiser un interprète, veuillez contacter le Conseil au 03 5027 5027 ou visitez un bureau du Conseil indiqué ci-dessous.



ΣΗΜΑΝΤΙΚΟ | ΕΛΛΗΝΙΚΟ

Εάν χρειάζεστε βοήθεια για την ανάγνωση και την κατανόηση αυτού του εγγράφου, το προσωπικό εξυπηρέτησης πελατών του Wentworth Shire Council είναι πρόθυμο να σας βοηθήσει στη διευθέτηση μιας δωρεάν υπηρεσίας διερμηνείας. Για να κανονίσετε έναν διερμηνέα, επικοινωνήστε με το Δήμο στο 03 5027 5027 ή επισκεφθείτε ένα Γραφείο του Συμβουλίου που αναφέρεται παρακάτω.



IMPORTANTE | ITALIANO

Se hai bisogno di assistenza per leggere e comprendere questo documento, il personale del servizio clienti del Wentworth Shire Council sarà lieto di assisterti nell'organizzazione di un servizio interpretativo gratuito. Per organizzare un interprete, contattare il Comune allo 03 5027 5027 o visitare uno degli uffici del Comune elencati di seguito.



PENTING | MELAYU

Jika anda memerlukan bantuan membaca dan memahami dokumen ini, kakitangan perkhidmatan pelanggan Wentworth Shire Council berbesar hati untuk membantu dalam pengaturan perkhidmatan tafsiran percuma. Untuk mengatur jurubahasa, sila hubungi Majlis di 03 5027 5027, atau lawati Pejabat Majlis yang disenaraikan di bawah.



重要 | 普通话 (简体中文)

如果您在阅读和理解本文件时需要帮助, 温特沃思郡议会的客户服务人员很乐意协助安排免费口译服务。如需安排口译员, 请致电 03 5027 5027 联系议会, 或前往下列议会办公室。



મહત્વપૂર્ણ | અંગ્રેજી

જેકર તુહાનું દિસ દસઝાવેજી તું પઝગન અઝે સમઝતે વૈંચિ સઘાઈઝા દી લેઝ રૈ, ઝાં વૈનટવરથ સઘાઈર કાઉસિલિ દે ગાઠક મેટા સટાઢ ઈંક મુઢઝ વૈઆધિઆ મેટા દે પુરંચપ વૈંચિ સઘાઈઝા કરન લઈ ખુસ ઠન। દુઝામીદે દા ઈંઝામ કરન લઈ, કચિપા કરવે 03 5027 5027 'ઝે કાઉસિલિ નાલ મંપરક કરે, જાં ઠેઠાં સુચીચંપ કમિ કાઉસિલિ દઢઝર 'ઝે જાઈ।



สำคัญ | แบบไทย

หากคุณต้องการความช่วยเหลือในการอ่านและทำความเข้าใจเอกสารนี้ เจ้าหน้าที่บริการลูกค้าของ Wentworth Shire Council ยินดีให้ความช่วยเหลือในการจัดการบริการล่ามฟรี หากต้องการจัดเตรียมล่าม โปรดติดต่อสภาที่ 03 5027 5027 หรือไปที่สำนักงานสภาตามรายการด้านล่าง



ÖNEMLİ | TÜRKÇE

Bu belgeyi okuma ve anlama konusunda yardıma ihtiyacınız varsa, Wentworth Shire Belediyesi'nin müşteri hizmetleri personeli, ücretsiz tercümanlık hizmetinin ayarlanmasında yardımcı olmaktan mutluluk duyacaktır. Bir tercüman ayarlamak için lütfen 03 5027 5027 numaralı telefondan Belediye ile iletişime geçin veya aşağıda listelenen bir Belediye Ofisini ziyaret edin.



QUAN TRỌNG | TIẾNG VIỆT

Nếu bạn cần trợ giúp để đọc và hiểu tài liệu này, nhân viên dịch vụ khách hàng của Hội đồng Wentworth Shire sẵn lòng hỗ trợ sắp xếp dịch vụ thông dịch miễn phí. Để sắp xếp một thông dịch viên, vui lòng liên hệ với Hội đồng theo số 03 5027 5027 hoặc đến Văn phòng Hội đồng được liệt kê bên dưới.

IMPORTANT | ENGLISH

If you require assistance reading and understanding this document, customer service staff of Wentworth Shire Council are happy to assist in the arrangement of a free interpretive service.

To arrange an interpreter, please contact Council on 03 5027 5027, or visit a Council Office listed below.

COUNCIL
OFFICES



Midway Community Centre
3 Midway Drive, Buronga NSW 2739



Wentworth Visitor Centre (Main Administration Office)
61 Darling Street, Wentworth NSW 2648

POLICY OBJECTIVE

This Official Council Policy is to ensure a coordinated, collaborative and consistent approach to type, planting, maintenance and replacement of street trees in the Wentworth Shire Council.

1. POLICY STATEMENT

The intent of this policy is to ensure that Council establish a system which provides consistency in relation to street trees, at the same time, considering the local climate, degree of maintenance required – including watering.

It also establishes protocols regarding responsibility where street trees are concerned.

2. POLICY COVERAGE

This policy is applicable to all street trees operations within the Wentworth Shire Council local government area.

3. STRATEGIC PLAN LINK

Objective: 3.0 Wentworth is a community that works to enhance and protect its physical and natural assets.

Strategy: 3.2 Plan for and develop the right assets and infrastructure.

4. DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS

Term/Word	Definition
Council	Council of the Shire of Wentworth
Heritage Significant Trees	A tree that has been Heritage listed, or deemed significant
Preferred Species	Wentworth Shire Council Preferred Species list of street trees. (Full list with description and photographs attached).
Street Trees	Trees planted on nature strips and/or areas of Crown Land in the Wentworth Shire Council area.

5. POLICY CONTENT

It is the policy of this Council that:

- New street tree plantings are to be selected from the preferred species list – as per list attached to this policy.
- Where an owner or occupier requests the removal of live street trees, the work is to be carried out at their own expense, and that where replacements are required, suitable varieties and spacing be arranged through Council staff.
- New Street trees shall be provided by Council.
- Preferred species shall be selected considering: - the local climate, maintenance requirements and watering requirements.
- Spacing and number of street trees shall be determined by Council Parks and Garden staff and/or Council's Subdivision Officer.
- Developers shall be provided with a copy of the preferred species list.
- Street trees shall not impede power lines or other overhead obstacles.

- Street trees shall not impact underground services – i.e. water, sewer, power or telephone.
- Where an owner requests the removal of a dead street tree, or Council Parks and Garden staff deem a street tree to be dead, it shall be removed by Council and be replaced by Council; unless such street tree was relocated and replanted by the said owner to accommodate a vehicular crossing, it is then the responsibility of the owner to remove and replace the street tree at their own expense.
- Heritage listed, or “significant” trees shall be assessed by Council’s Parks and Gardens Staff with regard to condition and safety. Relevant authorities shall be included in decisions regarding such trees.

6. RELATED DOCUMENTS & LEGISLATION

- NSW Civil Liberties Act 2022 (No.22)
- Local Government Act 1993

7. RELATED DOCUMENTS & LEGISLATION

Nil.

8. ATTACHMENTS

CC008 Attachment 1 – WSC Preferred Street Trees species list (DOC/19/755)

9. DOCUMENT APPROVAL

This document is the latest version of the official policy of the Wentworth Shire Council, as adopted by Council on 20 April 2022. All previous versions of this policy are null and void.

This policy may be amended or revoked by Council at any time.

A PDF copy of the signed document can be accessed from Council’s record management system and Reliansys.

Signed: 

27 April 2022

General Manager Wentworth Shire Council

Date

CC008 Attachment 1 - Preferred Street Trees Species List (DOC/19/755)

Street Trees – no power lines or overhead obstacles

1. *Pyrus Calleryana* 'Capital' - Ornamental Pear Varieties

This tree has a narrow growth habit with luscious shiny green leaves that hang vertically from branches. An attractive curl in the foliage adds further interest and the slender, columnar shape lends itself well to tight spaces. In autumn, leaves turn a purple-red colour and spring brings a beautiful display of lovely white flowers followed by small, russet coloured fruits. Excellent for street planting.

2. *Fraxinus oxycarpa* 'Raywoodii' - Claret Ash

An attractive, some say fast growing deciduous tree with an upright growth habit and open canopy. The foliage is deep green and narrow in summer and as autumn approaches, turns a rich claret colour, hence the name. This is a beautiful tree with stunning autumn colours, tolerant of frost and drought.

3. *Brachychiton Acerifolius* - Illawarra Flame Tree

A drought tolerant, slow growing tree native to the warmer parts of the east coast of Australia, this tree is known for its masses of crimson flowers in spring-summer when the tree is totally devoid of foliage. Ideal for parks and streetscapes as a feature tree.

4. *Eucalyptus Leucoxylon* 'Rosea' – Red Flowering Yellow Gum

This tree has a smooth trunk with cream to grey coloured bark which sheds in flakes. It has narrow shaped green leaves and as it matures, forms a large open canopy. From autumn to spring, an abundance of red flowers appear in clusters of three attracting a variety of birdlife. Can be used in parks, gardens and street plantings

5. *Lophostemon Confertus* - QLD Box Tree

Is a fast growing tree which is rarely affected by pests and diseases? Dome-like in shape, it develops a very dense foliage cover of dark green, leathery leaves providing good shade. This variety rarely sheds limbs and has salmon coloured bark which flakes off over summer revealing orange-brown tones on the trunk. Summer also brings clusters of small white flowers. Great for parks and gardens and as a feature tree.

Street Trees – under powerlines

1. *Fraxinus Griffithii* - Evergreen Ash

This fast growing, drought tolerant, attractive tree has leaves that are green and shiny on the top and hairy silver coloured underneath. They are oval shaped with pointy tips. The flowers appear in panicles, are white and born in spring. Great for avenue planting.

2. *Hakea Laurina* - Pincushion Hakea

Small evergreen which can be grown as a tree or shrub. Long leathery leaves are thick and smooth with prominent veining and have a tendency to wave and curl. Fascinating, cherry red, ball like flowers appear from autumn to late winter, adorned with long, white pin-like stamens. It is a hardy, drought tolerant plant which attracts birds.

3. *Eucalyptus Platypus* - Platypus Gum

The multi stemmed nature of this variety together with its dense canopy of rounded leaves gives this tree a large shrubby look. Growing between 5 - 7 metres in height, it has a rounded form to ground level, making it a good choice for screening and windbreaks. Bark is smooth and light brown in colour. Creamy yellow to greenish yellow coloured flowers appear from spring through to autumn. Relatively fast growing, this variety will tolerate heavy soils and responds well to pruning.

4. *Wilga Tree- Gerijera Parvifolia*

Slow growing native tree with attractive dark green foliage. Flowers are small and white and strongly-scented. With a rounded form to 9m. This tree is extremely hardy once established. It is tolerant to a wide range of soil and climate types.

5. *Lagerstroemia Indica x Fauriei*- Crepe Myrtle

Attractive flowering tree. They are deciduous, growing between 3-6m tall. Trusses of white, pink, mauve or purple blooms appear in late summer. Great as a feature tree.

1

¹ Information sourced from Speciality Trees www.specialitytrees.com.au

Street Trees – no power lines or overhead obstacles

Eucalyptus Torquata - Coral Gum

- Removed

Pyrus Calleryana 'Capital' - Ornamental Pear Varieties



Eucalyptus Leucoxylon 'Rosea' – Red Flowering Yellow Gum



Fraxinus oxycarpa 'Raywoodii' - Claret Ash



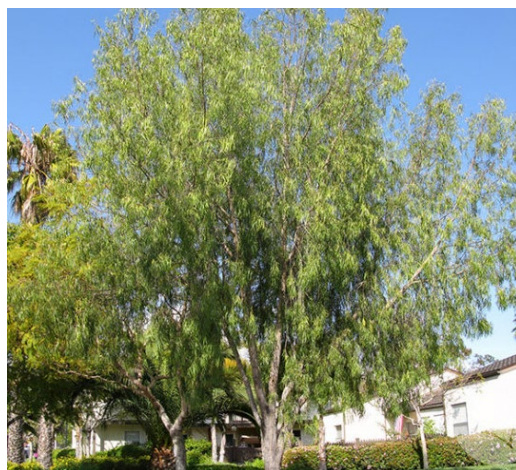
Lophostemon Confertus - QLD Brush Box



Brachychiton Acerifolius - Illawarra Flame Tree

Street Trees - under powerlines

Fraxinus Griffithii - Evergreen Ash



Lagerstroemia Indica x Fauriei - Crepe Myrtle



Hakea Laurina - Pincushion Hakea



Callistemon Viminalis - Bottle Brush Varieties

- Removed

Eucalyptus Platypus - Platypus Gum



Wilga Tree - *Gerijera Parvifolia*

This page intentionally left blank



Contact

 **Main Service Centre**
61 Darling Street, Wentworth

 **Postal Address**
PO Box 81, Wentworth NSW 2648

 **(03) 5027 5027**

 **council@wentworth.nsw.gov.au**

 **wentworth.nsw.gov.au**

Have Your Say:
wentworth.nsw.gov.au/have-your-say