

TREES

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APPENDIX B

Planting Regulations

REGULATIONS TO FOLLOW WHEN PLANTING STREET TREES

1. A tree planting permit must be obtained at the Carlisle Community Center, 415 Franklin Street.
2. Only those trees on the approved shade tree list may be planted within the public rights-of-way unless authorized by the Carlisle Shade Tree Commission.
3. All shade trees shall be so situated to form as nearly as possible a straight and uniform line with the other shade trees growing in the same street or highway.
4. Trees shall be planted or set from 30 to 40 feet apart where practical and shall be sound, straight and symmetrical.
5. Where space permits, street trees shall be planted just inside the sidewalk.
6. No tree shall be planted nearer than 35 feet to an intersection or alley.
7. Every tree shall be planted in a pit not smaller than three feet square filled with good topsoil; the open space outside the trunk permits the entrance of water and air to the roots.
8. New trees shall be watered weekly during hot, dry weather to keep the trees from dying.
9. Trees shall not be less than 1 3/4 inches in caliper (diameter).
10. Plant short-growing trees under utility wires. (See tree list.)
11. Keep street trees at least 10 feet from utility poles and at least six feet from water, sewer and gas services.