

Did you know?

- Leaves of a mature tree will provide enough oxygen to keep one person breathing for a year
- One moderately-sized tree has as much cooling effect in a city as 20 average room air conditioners running 20 hours per day, cooling an individual home as much as 12 degrees on a hot day.
- An average American uses about 750 pounds of paper every year, and 95% of homes are built using wood. That means each person uses the equivalent of one 100 foot tall, 16-inch diameter, tree every year for their paper and wood project needs.
- The oldest known tree is in Methuselah grove, a bristlecone pine, almost 4,900 years old, living high in the mountains on the Nevada/California border. The exact location of the tree is kept secret by the US Forest Service to protect it.
- With your help, the Morgan County SWCD has brought over 11,000 new trees into our community in the last 3 years!

THANK YOU!



Check out our website: www.MorganCountySWCD.org



Have a question?

Email us: SWCDOffice@MorganCounty.in.gov

Call us: 765-349-2060



MORGAN COUNTY SWCD TREE GIVEAWAY PROGRAM

**ORDERS TAKEN NOW
WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!**

The best time to plant a tree was 20
years ago. The next best time is now.

~Chinese Proverb

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**Get up to 10 FREE seedlings
per household or business!**

Morgan County residents only.

RED OAK
PAWPAW
ELDERBERRY
BUTTERNUT
AMERICAN PLUM
WHITE PLUM

2024-25 Morgan County Tree Giveaway Order Form

Trees are the longest living organisms on the planet and one of the earth's greatest natural resources. They keep our air supply clean, reduce noise pollution, improve water quality, help prevent erosion, provide food and building materials, create shade and help make our landscapes look beautiful. This year's seedlings will be ordered from Vallonia State Nursery, whose mission is to grow and distribute to landowners high quality plant materials for conservation plantings. Conservation Plantings include plantings for timber, wildlife, windbreaks, soil and water protection, reclamation, carbon sequestering and education.

Trees ordered through this program will be available for pick up in the Spring of 2025.

We will contact you once trees have arrived to give you pick-up information. Please complete form entirely so that we can reach you!

Reserve your 10 trees today (or while supplies last) by one of these methods:

1. Go to our website to place your online order (QR code on reverse)
2. Mail-in or drop-off this order form at the SWCD office located at 180 S. Main Street, Suite 002, Martinsville, IN 46151
3. Email a picture of your order form to SWCDoffice@morgancounty.in.gov
4. Call us at: 765-349-2060

ORDERS WILL BE FILLED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS, WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!

Name (First and Last) _____ Phone # _____

Email Address _____

Mailing Address _____

YOUR CHOICES ARE:						
Species	Mature Height	Soil Drainage	Seed/Fruit Bearing Age	Light Needed	Value	# of this species you would like:
Northern Red Oak	60-75 ft	Moist-well drained	10-15 years	Full sun to partial shade	Acorns produced by this tree are a valuable food source for wildlife. Foliage is eaten by many species of butterfly and moth.	
Pawpaw	20-25 ft	Moist, well drained	4-8 years	Full sun or partial shade	Pawpaw is the largest edible native fruit in Indiana for wildlife and humans. Pawpaw leaves are the only food source for the Zebra Swallowtail butterfly.	
Elderberry	3-16 ft	Medium to wet, well drained soils	3 years	Full sun or partial shade	Big, showy white springtime blooms produce dark purple to black colored berries are edible for wildlife and humans. Unripe berries, foliage, stems, & bark are toxic. A favorite for our native birds!	
Butternut	40-60 ft.	Prefers limestone-based soils, moist & well drained	20 years	Full sun	Does not tolerate compacted soils very well. Excellent cover and food source for wildlife. Name comes from butterfly tasting nuts it produces. Listed as one of INDIANA'S ENDANGERED TREES!	
American Plum	15-30 ft	Prefers acidic Well drained soil	3	Full Sun to partial shade	Showy blooms produce 1" plums. Attracts songbirds, pollinators, wild turkey, deer, and quail. Can be used for erosion control.	
White Pine	50-100 ft	Well drained to wet	15	Full Sun	Valuable Timber, Year-round wildlife cover and food source, & can serve as a wind break	
					Total # of Trees Desired (Max. Total is 10 trees/shrubs)	