



# MEMORIAL BENCH & TREE PROGRAM

The City of Brentwood will make every effort to install your tree or bench in a timely manner. Please allow 3-6 months for staff to complete your order. This ensures trees can be planted during the season in which they will most likely flourish.

For more information about the Memorial Tree & Bench Program, please contact:

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## PAYMENT OPTIONS

Payment for a memorial tree or bench can be accepted via check in the mail, over the phone with a credit card, or in person with cash, check or credit card. Checks must be payable to Brentwood Parks and Recreation Department. Please call 314-963-8689 to complete your Visa, MasterCard or Discover Card transaction.

## Choose one of the following tree varieties:

- Burr Oak
- Dogwood
- Maple
- Purple Leaf Plum
- Redbud
- Toshino Cherry
- White Pine

## Memorial trees and benches can be placed in the following parks:

- Brentwood Park
- Broughton Park
- Cloria Rogers Parkway
- Hanley Park
- Memorial Park
- Norm West
- Oak Tree Park

# MEMORIAL TREE

The gift of a tree is a lasting tribute that recognizes and honors the legacy of a loved one, organization, or event. In turn, the tree provides tangible environmental, economic, health and aesthetic benefits to the Brentwood community. After the tree of your choice is planted, the commemorated will receive a certificate and map of the tree location. Also included in the price of the tree is a 3" x 5" mounted, personalized plaque.

## ONE MEMORIAL TREE CAN:

- ✓ Combat climate change by absorbing CO2
- ✓ Clean the air by absorbing odors and pollutant gases
- ✓ Provide enough oxygen per year to support 2-4 people
- ✓ Prevent soil erosion with its root system
- ✓ Reduce the effects of mental fatigue and illness

# MEMORIAL BENCH

Commemorative benches add beauty and permanence to the honor of a special person, the memory of a loved one, or the remembrance of an event. In turn, the park bench provides a useful amenity to the park and surrounding community. Memorial benches are mission-style, arch back cedar-colored body, with black trim. After the memorial bench is installed, the commemorated will receive a certificate and map of the bench location. Also included in the price of the bench is a 4" x 6" mounted, personalized plaque which will be attached to the bench.

## ONE PARK BENCH CAN:

- ✓ Create a sense of community in a public area
- ✓ Make any green space area usable to the public
- ✓ Provide a place for tranquil, passive recreation
- ✓ Facilitate outdoor activities public

Name of Donor: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City & State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Recipient: \_\_\_\_\_

Recipient Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Recipient City & State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

\$250 Tree Donation

Desired location of Tree/Bench: \_\_\_\_\_

\$2,000 Bench Donation

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Language for plaque: \_\_\_\_\_

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