

10,000 UP!



The City of Detroit is planting 10,000 UP! trees across the city to help improve your home and your neighborhood.



As part of the city's revitalization and to increase property values, please request to have a new tree planted at your home on the berm between the sidewalk and the street.

Dispelling Tree Myths:

FALSE: Trees crack sidewalks

Only if not planted or cared for properly. GSD chooses appropriate tree species for root growth.

FALSE: Trees interfere with utility lines

GSD considers root growth and height of tree species for each location.

FALSE: Trees create messes

GSD specifically selects tree species that minimize dropping messy waste.

FALSE: Tree roots break sewer pipes

Roots do not break sewer lines, they only enter pipes if they are already broken.





10,000 UP! depends on you!
Here is how you can get involved:

It's easy to get a tree. Here's how:

1. Request a tree by contacting our Tree Planting Manger at **313-224-6391** or squallsa@detroitmi.gov
2. Tell other city residents about the program and they can call to have a tree planted on the city berm at their home too.
3. Enjoy watching your new tree grow.



LOWER COSTS & INCREASED PROPERTY VALUES

- Trees keep buildings cool in the summer, reducing energy costs by as much as 30%
- Property values increase on streets with trees, one large, mature tree can boost your value by 10%

SAFER & HEALTHIER COMMUNITIES

- Trees remove harmful pollution from the air
- Reduce rainwater runoff and flooding
- And keep sidewalks and homes shaded and cool

A BETTER CITY

- Trees reduce noise and add to the beauty and livability of Detroit.



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Questions?

Contact us at **313-224-6391** or squallsa@detroitmi.gov