

About Our Trees

Windbreaks provide numerous benefits:

- Prevent soil erosion by slowing down the wind
- Shelter people and livestock from heat and cold
- Reduce home heating and cooling costs
- Provide habitat for wildlife and birds
- Increase property values

The North Platte NRD sells trees for conservation purposes ONLY. The District does not sell trees for landscaping. Our trees are grown at either the Bessey Nursery in Halsey, NE or the Colorado State Nursery in Ft. Collins, CO. and then shipped to the NRD each spring, where they are then stored in our large cooler.

Bare-root trees are **2-year-old seedlings**, sold in bundles of 50 at a cost of **\$.75 per tree**. Varieties include evergreens, broadleaf, and shrubs.

Potted trees are **10 to 14 inches tall** and

sold in containers of 30 for **\$1.50 per tree (\$45 per box)**. Descriptions and photos of these species can be seen at Conservation Trees for Nebraska <http://www.nrdnet.org/trees/>.



OUR TREES

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two-inch diameter flats. Sold in multiples of 30
@ \$1.50 per tree.**

OUR SERVICES

- * **Tree planting at 75 cents per tree**
- * **Weed control** * **Windbreak planning**
- * **Cost share available (Minimum 350 trees or \$350)**

How to Order

Customers may begin ordering trees and planning windbreaks each November. The trees arrive in April and are stored at the District office until planting time or customer pick-up.

To Order Trees:

Call or stop by the North Platte NRD
100547 Airport Road, Scottsbluff, NE
(308) 632-2749

or your local NRCS Office,
Scottsbluff - (308) 635-2513 Ext. 3
Bridgeport - (308) 262-0680 Ext. 3
Oshkosh - (308) 772-3743 Ext. 3

The North Platte NRD offers services

to help establish windbreaks on lands within the District boundaries (Scotts Bluff, Banner, Morrill, Garden, and southern Sioux Counties). **The District will plant trees for customers at a cost of 75 cents per tree.** Many customers choose this option; others plant the trees themselves. The District also offers chemical weed control of windbreak sites, which improves the survival rate for young trees.

Cost-share programs are available to reimburse landowners for up to 65 percent of the costs of installing windbreaks. These funds are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Contact the us or your local NRCS office for more information.

Caring for trees after planting is just as important as planting trees. For the best chance of survival, young trees need proper care. To learn how to water them, protect them from weeds and prevent problems such as disease and wildlife damage, go to our Tree Care Tips at www.npnrd.org/treetips.htm.

Conservation Trees



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NORTH PLATTE
Natural Resources District

**P.O. Box 280, Scottsbluff, NE 69363-0280
(308) 632-2749**

**North Platte NRD
Conservation Tree Program ORDER FORM**

NAME _____ PHONE (include cell) _____ CITY/STATE _____ ZIP _____
 ADDRESS _____

SPECIES **QUANTITY**
 (Multiples of 50)

EVERGREEN
 (Bare Root)

- 40 Austrian Pine _____
- 41 Colo Blue Spruce _____
- 42 Red Cedar _____
- 43 Ponderosa Pine _____
- 44 Rocky Mtn Juniper _____
- 45 Scotch Pine _____
- 62 Jack Pine _____
- 106 Black Hills Spruce _____

SPECIES **QUANTITY**
 (Multiples of 30)

POTTED
 (10" to 14")

- 50 Aspen _____
- 51 Austrian Pine _____
- 52 Colo Blue Spruce _____
- Juniper _____
- Ponderosa Pine _____
- 67 Black Hills Spruce _____
- 94 Cedar _____
- 103 Scotch Pine _____

BROADLEAF
 (Bare Root)

- 20 Green Ash _____
- 21 Siberian Elm _____
- 22 Cottonwood (hybrid) _____
- 25 Hackberry _____
- 26 Honeylocust _____
- 30 Bur Oak _____

- 7 Sumac _____
- 8 Sand Cherry _____
- 9 Nanking Cherry _____
- 11 Woods Rose _____
- 12 Buffaloberry _____
- 14 Golden Currant _____
- 101 Wax Currant _____

- 100 Cottonwood (native) _____
- 2 Cotoneaster _____
- 4 Chokecherry _____
- 5 Lilac _____
- 6 Plum (native) _____



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 North Platte NRD
 P.O. Box 280
 Scottsbluff, NE 69363-0280 PHONE:
 (308) 632-2749
 FAX: (308) 632-4346

TOTAL ORDERED of: BARE ROOT _____ POTTED _____

PRICE (Subject to change without notice) @ \$.75 _____ @ \$1.50 _____

SALES TAX
 (NPNRD office 5.5%; Bridgeport 6.5%; Oshkosh 7%) _____

TOTAL COST PER VARIETY _____

ORDER TOTAL \$ _____

Pick-up information:

If you want the NRD to plant your trees, you must contact the office to make arrangements.
 If you will make other planting arrangements or plant them yourself, check where the trees will be picked up:
 _____ Scottsbluff _____ Bridgeport _____ Oshkosh

Terms of Sale:

1. Payment must accompany order. No credit will be given.
2. NPNRD charges 1.0% interest per month on unpaid balances after 60 days regardless of pending Cost-Share.
3. NO SURVIVAL GUARANTEE ON STOCK SOLD OR PLANTED BY THE DISTRICT.
4. Trees may be used only for windbreaks, erosion control, or wildlife habitat, not resold or planted as ornaments.