MEMORIAL/HERITAGE TREE & BENCH PROGRAM

Sponsored by Belton Parks and Recreation, the memorial/Heritage tree and Bench Program allows groups and individuals to donate trees and benches to commemorate special events or as memorials to loved ones. Trees and benches purchased through the program are planted and placed in city parks and along trails. Exact placement is at the discretion of the Parks and Recreation Department.

TREE PROGRAM

Cost of the program is $350 per tree. This includes the tree, plaque and continued maintenance of the tree (fertilizing, pruning, mulching, etc.). After the tree is planted, the contact person will receive a certificate and map of the planting location.

Plaques will be installed approximately 6-8 weeks following planting. For more information, call the Park office at 816.331.0336.

RECOMMENDED TREES*

Elm
Rubber
Shag Bark Hickory
Buckeye
Parrotia Ironwood
Planetree
Larch
Redbud
Tulip Tree
Yellowwood
Norway Spruce
Bald Cypress
London Planetree

Black Gum
American Chestnut
Hornbeam
Katsura Tree
Pine - Pondarosa and Jack
Wingnut
Sawtooth Oak
Bur Oak
White Oak
Red Maple
Sugar Maple
Sweetgum
Swamp White Oak

* Species selection will depend on location chosen. Parks/Trails include: Peace, Markey, Memorial, Wallace, Countryview, Cimarron Trails and Oil Creek Trail. If appropriate to the site, other species may also be considered. Please discuss your preferences with the park building and grounds manager.

TREE ORDER FORM

Contact Name: ______________________
E-Mail Address: ______________________
Mailing Address: ______________________
Preferred Species (first choice): ______________________
Alternate: ______________________

Please select: ☐ Memorial ☐ Heritage

City Park preferred: ______________________

Plaque to read (max 8 lines, 20 letters/spaces per line)

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Make checks payable to: Belton Parks and Recreation
Mail check and order form to:
Belton Parks and Recreation
Memorial/Heritage Program
16400 N. Mullen Road
Belton, MO 64012
BENCH PROGRAM

The cost of the bench program is $1,000 per bench, including a commemorative plaque and installation. Benches are installed at approved sites in the order requests are received. Installation depends on the time of year received and the number of preceding orders.

The department makes every effort to install benches within three to six months of your order. Once the bench is installed, the contact person will receive notification and a map showing the bench location. Plaques can accommodate five lines of text with up to 40 letters/spaces/character per line. For more information contact the park office at 816.331.0336.

Locations include: Peace Park, Markey Park, Memorial Park, Wallace Park, Countryview Park of West Belton, Cimarron Trails Park and Ball field and Oil Creek Trail.

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Preferred Species (first choice): ____________________________
Alternate: ____________________________

Please select: ☐ Memorial ☐ Heritage City Park preferred:

Bench Plaque to read:
1) ____________________________
2) ____________________________
3) ____________________________
4) ____________________________
5) ____________________________

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