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VILLAGE OF LOMBARD  
REQUEST FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTION  
For Inclusion on Board Agenda

  X   Resolution or Ordinance (Blue)          *Waiver of First Requested*  
         Recommendations of Boards, Commissions & Committees (Green)  
         Other Business (Pink)

TO: PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FROM: Scott Niehaus, Village Manager

DATE: April 18, 2024 (B of T) Date: May 2, 2024

TITLE: Participation in Suburban Tree Consortium

SUBMITTED BY: Eric Hendrickson, Forestry & Urban Landscape Supervisor <sup>EH</sup>

BACKGROUND/POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

A resolution expressing intent to continue participation in the Suburban Tree Consortium for the purchase of parkway trees.

FISCAL IMPACT/FUNDING SOURCE

Annual STC Membership Dues \$575.00 101.270.325.75020

Review (as necessary):

Village Attorney X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Finance Director X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Village Manager X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

This request must be submitted to, approved by the Village Manager's Office by 12:00 pm, Wednesday, May 1, 2024.  
For Distribution



**Date:** April 18, 2024

**To:** Scott Niehaus, Village Manager

**Through:** Carl Goldsmith, Director of Public Works 

**From:** Eric Hendrickson, Forestry & Urban Landscape Supervisor EH

**Subject:** Resolution to Continue to Participate in the Suburban Tree Consortium

On August 4, 1988, the Village Board approved participation in the Suburban Tree Consortium (STC). Representing 48 member communities, the STC handles the tree planting bid process for member agencies in accordance with State of Illinois law. As a member, the Village must commit to a lead-time of five years for the purchase of trees grown based upon projected orders for trees.

The Suburban Tree Consortium provides quality trees grown specifically for parkway conditions. We have received high quality products in the past and recommend continued participation in the STC. It is anticipated that the Village will plant over 1,500 trees within the five-year period. A resolution expressing intent to continue to participate in the five-year contractual program has been attached for consideration by the Village Board.

Please place this item on the Village Board agenda for May 2, 2024. If you have any questions, feel free to call me.

Encl. Resolution  
5 yr order summary

## **RESOLUTION**

**R -24**

### **A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING INTENT TO CONTINUE PARTICIPATION IN THE SUBURBAN TREE CONSORTIUM AND TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN PURCHASES FOR FY2022**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Lombard has heretofore joined the cooperative known as the Suburban Tree Consortium; and

**WHEREAS**, the Suburban Tree Consortium was created to jointly purchase parkway trees on behalf of a number of municipalities in an effort to realize cost savings and insure a reasonable supply and variety of suitable parkway trees; and

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 65 of ILCS 5/11-73.1-1 entitled "Municipal and Joint Municipal Tree Planting Programs", authorizes municipalities to jointly enter into long term contracts for the purchase and delivery of trees; and

**WHEREAS**, due to the nature of the nursery industry and the plant materials desired by the Suburban Tree Consortium, assuring a reasonable number and variety of parkway trees at the best price is possible only with a multi-year commitment on the part of the Consortium Members, so as to allow adequate planning by the Consortium and the Nurseries/Suppliers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Suburban Tree Consortium member municipalities provide the Nurseries/Suppliers a projection of their parkway tree requirements for the next five years; and

**WHEREAS**, the Suburban Tree Consortium can realize the necessary number and variety and the best price of such parkway trees only by providing assurance to the tree Nursery/Supplier of the level of interest by the Consortium Members; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Lombard, DuPage, Illinois, as follows:

1. The Village does hereby express its intent to remain a member of the Suburban Tree Consortium and to procure parkway trees through the Consortium, subject to sufficient annual budgeting therefor for the five year period. A summary of the anticipated 5-year order is attached.
2. All ordinances and resolution or parts of ordinances and resolutions, in conflict with this resolution are hereby rescinded.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to send a copy of this Resolution to the Suburban Tree Consortium Secretariat at the West central Municipal Conference Office.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Ayes:

Nays:

Absent:

Approved this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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**Keith T. Giagnorio**  
**Village President**

ATTEST:

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**Elizabeth Brezinski**  
**Village Clerk**

| SPRING 2024 | TREE SPECIES-<br>HINSDALE         | QTY. |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|------|
|             | 2" ALLEGHENY SERVICEBERRY         | 10   |
|             | 2" 'EXCLAMATION' LONDON PLANETREE | 10   |
|             | 2" NATIVE FLAME AM HORNBEAM       | 5    |
|             | 2" REDBUD (Cercis canadensis)     | 3    |
|             | 2" 'REGAL PRINCE' OAK             | 5    |
|             | 2" CHINQUAPIN OAK                 | 5    |
|             | 2" 'URBAN PINNACLE' OAK           | 10   |
|             | 2" 'TRIUMPH' HYBRID ELM           | 5    |
|             |                                   |      |
|             |                                   |      |
|             |                                   |      |
|             |                                   |      |
|             |                                   |      |
|             |                                   |      |
|             |                                   | 53   |

| FALL 2024 | TREE SPECIES-<br>HINSDALE       | QTY. |
|-----------|---------------------------------|------|
|           | 2" ALLEGHENY SERVICEBERRY       | 15   |
|           | 2" AUTUMN GOLD GINKGO           | 15   |
|           | 2" ESPRESSO KENTUCKY COFFEETREE | 10   |
|           | 2" ROYAL RAINDROPS CRABAPPLE    | 10   |
|           | 3' HEAD CORALBURST CRABAPPLE    | 5    |
|           | 2" BEIJING GOLD PEKIN LILAC     | 15   |
|           | 2" PURPLE PRINCE CRABAPPLE      | 10   |
|           |                                 |      |
|           | 2" TRIUMPH ELM                  | 15   |
|           | 2" NEW HORIZON ELM              | 10   |
|           | 2" MATADOR FREEMAN MAPLE        | 10   |
|           | 2" CRIMSON SUNSET MAPLE         | 10   |
|           | 2" 'STERLING SILVER' LINDEN     | 20   |
|           |                                 |      |
|           |                                 | 145  |

| SPRING 2024 | TREE SPECIES -<br>GOODMARK                           | QTY. |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------|------|
|             | 2" 'AUTUMN SPLENDOR' HORSECHESTNUT                   | 4    |
|             | 2" 'AUTUMN SPLENDOR' HORSECHESTNUT (DISCOUNTED)      | 1    |
|             | 1.5" 'LEONARD MESSEL' MAGNOLIA                       | 5    |
|             | 2" TRICOLOR BEECH                                    | 4    |
|             | 1.5" TRICOLOR BEECH                                  | 1    |
|             | 2" 'WORPLESDON' SWEETGUM                             | 1    |
|             | 2" 'WORPLESDON' SWEETGUM (DISCOUNTED)                | 1    |
|             | 2" AMERICAN YELLOWWOOD                               | 5    |
|             | 2" PURPLE PRINCE CRABAPPLE                           | 10   |
|             | 2" 'BEIJING GOLD' PEKIN LILAC (ZHANG ZHIMING)        | 4    |
|             | 1.5" 'BEIJING GOLD' PEKIN LILAC (ZHANG ZHIMING)      | 1    |
|             | 2" 'SNOWDANCE' JAPANESE LILAC (ELLIOT)               | 12   |
|             | 1.5" 'SNOWDANCE' JAPANESE LILAC (ELLIOT)(DISCOUNTED) | 1    |
|             | 2" 'IVORY SILK' JAPANESE LILAC                       | 2    |
|             |                                                      | 52   |
|             |                                                      | 105  |

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| FALL 2024 | TREE SPECIES - DOTY                     | QTY. |
|-----------|-----------------------------------------|------|
|           | 2" STATE STREET MAPLE                   | 10   |
|           | 2" GREEN MOUNTAIN SUGAR MAPLE (added 5) | 15   |
|           | 2" AMERICAN SENTRY LINDEN               | 15   |
|           | 2" STARLITE CRABAPPLE (added 5)         | 15   |
|           |                                         | 55   |

| FALL 2024 | TREE SPECIES - SPRING<br>GROVE      | QTY. |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|------|
|           | 2" HACKBERRY                        | 10   |
|           | 2" EMERALD SUNSHINE ELM             | 10   |
|           | 2" GREEN MOUNTAIN SILVER LINDEN     | 10   |
|           | 2" SKINNY LATTE KENTUCKY COFFEETREE | 10   |
|           | 2" PRINCETON SENTRY GINKGO          | 10   |
|           |                                     | 50   |
|           |                                     | 250  |

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| SPRING 2026                       | TREE SPECIES- |      |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|------|
| HINSDALE                          |               | QTY. |
| 2" AUTUMN SPLENDOR HORSECHESTNUT  |               | 5    |
| 2" FORT MCNAIR HORSECHESTNUT      |               | 5    |
| 2" AUTUMN TREASURE HOPHORNBEAM    |               | 10   |
| 2" NATIVE FLAME AMERICAN HORNBEAM |               | 10   |
| 2" EXCLAMATION LONDON PLANETREE   |               | 10   |
| 2" URBAN PINNACLE BUR OAK         |               | 10   |
|                                   |               | 50   |
| SPRING 2026                       | TREE SPECIES- |      |
| WILSON                            |               | QTY. |
| 2" RIVERSII EUROPEAN BEECH        |               | 10   |
| 2" SHUMARD OAK                    |               | 5    |
| 2" BUR OAK                        |               | 5    |
| 2" CHINQUAPIN OAK                 |               | 10   |
| 2" GLADIATOR CRABAPPLE            |               | 10   |
| 2" MAJESTIC BLACK TUPELO          |               | 5    |
|                                   |               |      |
|                                   |               | 45   |

| SPRING 2026                         | TREE SPECIES - SPRING |      |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|------|
| GROVE                               |                       | QTY. |
| 2" EMERALD AVENUE EUROPEAN HORNBEAM |                       | 5    |
| 2" EARLY GLOW OHIO BUCKEYE          |                       | 5    |
| 2" SPAETH'S ALDER                   |                       | 5    |
| 2" FIRE SPIRE AMERICAN HORNBEAM     |                       | 10   |
| 2" BONNIE & MIKE SWAMP WHITE OAK    |                       | 5    |
| 2" MORRAINE SWEETGUM                |                       | 5    |
| 2" EMERALD CITY TULIPTREE           |                       | 5    |
| 2" RUBY DAYZE CRABAPPLE             |                       | 10   |
|                                     |                       |      |
| 2" BUTTERFLIES MAGNOLIA             |                       | 5    |
|                                     |                       | 55   |

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| FALL 2026                     | TREE SPECIES- |      |
|-------------------------------|---------------|------|
| HINSDALE                      |               | QTY. |
| 2" CRESCENDO SUGAR MAPLE      |               | 10   |
| 2" TRIUMPH ELM                |               | 10   |
| 2" NEW HORIZON ELM            |               | 10   |
| 2" AUTUMN GOLD GINKGO         |               | 5    |
| 2" EYE STOPPER CORKTREE       |               | 10   |
|                               |               |      |
| 2" PRAIRIE SENTINEL HACKBERRY |               | 5    |
| 2" STARLITE CRABAPPLE         |               | 10   |
| 2" ROYAL RAINDROP CRABAPPLE   |               | 10   |
| 2" BEIJING GOLD TREE LILAC    |               | 10   |
|                               |               | 80   |

| FALL 2026                     | TREE SPECIES - DOTY |      |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|------|
|                               |                     | QTY. |
| 2" COMMON HACKBERRY           |                     | 5    |
| 2" GREEN MOUNTAIN SUGAR MAPLE |                     | 10   |
| 2" AMERICAN SENTRY LINDEN     |                     | 10   |
|                               |                     | 25   |

| FALL 2026                           | TREE SPECIES - SPRING |      |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|------|
| GROVE                               |                       | QTY. |
| 2" PRINCETON SENTRY GINKGO          |                       | 5    |
| 2" SKINNY LATTE KENTUCKY COFFEETREE |                       | 10   |
| 2" AMUR MAACKI                      |                       | 10   |
| 2" GREEN MOUNTAIN SILVER LINDEN     |                       | 10   |
| 2" MUSASHINO ZELKOVA                |                       | 10   |
| 2" PINK FLAIR CHERRY                |                       | 5    |
|                                     |                       | 50   |

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| SPRING 2027 | TREE SPECIES-<br>HINSDALE         | QTY. |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|------|
|             | 2" FORT MCNAIR HORSECHESTNUT      | 5    |
|             | 2" AUTUMN SPLENDOR HORSECHESTNUT  | 5    |
|             | 2" AUTUMN TREASURE HOPHORNBEAM    | 5    |
|             | 2" BLACK TUPELO                   | 5    |
|             | 2" NATIVE FLAME AMERICAN HORNBEAM | 5    |
|             | 2" EMERALD CITY TULIPTREE         | 10   |
|             | 2" WORPLESDON SWEETGUM            | 5    |
|             | 2" GLADIATOR CRABAPPLE            | 10   |
|             | 2" SWAMP WHITE OAK                | 10   |
|             | 2" SHINGLE OAK                    | 5    |
|             | 2" CHINQUAPIN OAK                 | 5    |
|             | 2" BALD CYPRESS                   | 5    |
|             | 2" BEIJING GOLD LILAC             | 10   |
|             | 2" STARLITE CRABAPPLE             | 10   |
|             |                                   | 95   |

| SPRING 2027 | TREE SPECIES - SPRING<br>GROVE      | QTY. |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|------|
|             | 2" EMERALD AVENUE EUROPEAN HORNBEAM | 10   |
|             | 2" EARLY GLOW OHIO BUCKEYE          | 5    |
|             | 2" GREEN WHISPER BALD CYPRESS       | 5    |
|             | 2" FIRE SPIRE AMERICAN HORNBEAM     |      |
|             | 2" PERKINS PINK AMERICAN YELLOWWOOD | 5    |
|             | 2" SCARLETT LETTER OAK              | 5    |
|             | 2" PINK FLAIR CHERRY                | 5    |
|             | 2" RUBY DAYZE CRABAPPLE             | 10   |
|             | 2" SPEATH'S ALDER                   | 5    |
|             |                                     | 30   |

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| FALL 2027 | TREE SPECIES-<br>HINSDALE         | QTY. |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|------|
|           | 2" NEW HORIZON ELM                | 10   |
|           | 2" STERLING SILVER LINDEN         | 10   |
|           | 2" EYE STOPPER CORKTREE           | 10   |
|           | 2" ROYAL RAINDROPS CRABAPPLE      | 5    |
|           | 2" AUTUMN BRILLIANCE SERVICEBERRY | 10   |
|           | 2" BEIJING GOLD TREE LILAC        | 10   |
|           |                                   | 55   |

| FALL 2027 | TREE SPECIES-WILSON          | QTY. |
|-----------|------------------------------|------|
|           | 2" PRINCETON SENTRY GINKGO   | 5    |
|           | 2" COMMON HACKBERRY          | 10   |
|           | 2" AUTUMN GOLD GINKGO        | 10   |
|           | 2" DECAF KENTUCKY COFFEETREE | 5    |
|           | 2" TRIUMPH ELM               | 10   |
|           | 2" AMERICAN SENTRY LINDEN    | 10   |
|           |                              | 50   |

| FALL 2027 | TREE SPECIES - SPRING<br>GROVE      | QTY. |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|------|
|           | 2" SKINNY LATTE KENTUCKY COFFEETREE | 10   |
|           | 2" RUBY DAYZE CRABAPPLE             | 5    |
|           | 2" PINK FLAIR CHERRY                | 10   |
|           | 2" GREEN MOUNTAIN SILVER LINDEN     | 10   |
|           | 2" MUSASHINO ZELKOVA                | 5    |
|           |                                     | 40   |

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| SPRING 2028 | TREE SPECIES-HINSDALE             | QTY. |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|------|
|             | 2" FALL FIESTA SUGAR MAPLE        | 10   |
|             | 2" TULIPTREE                      | 5    |
|             | 2" CHINQUAPIN OAK                 | 5    |
|             | 2" SHINGLE OAK                    | 5    |
|             | 2" AUTUMN SPLENDOR HORSECHESTNUT  | 5    |
|             | 2" NATIVE FLAME AMERICAN HORNBEAM | 5    |
|             | 2" AUTUMN TREASURE HOPHORNBEAM    | 5    |
|             | 2" SHAWNEE BRAVE BALDCYPRESS      | 5    |
|             | 2" PURPLE PRINCE CRABAPPLE        | 5    |
|             | 2" ALLEGHENY SERVICEBERRY         | 5    |
|             | 2" AUTUMN BRILLIANCE SERVICEBERRY | 5    |
|             |                                   | 60   |

| SPRING 2028 | TREE SPECIES-WILSON          | QTY. |
|-------------|------------------------------|------|
|             | 2" RIVERSII EUROPEAN BEECH   | 5    |
|             | 2" SWAMP WHITE OAK           | 5    |
|             | 2" SHUMARD OAK               | 10   |
|             | 2" REGAL PRINCE OAK          | 5    |
|             | 2" REDPOINT RED MAPLE        | 10   |
|             | 2" FRONTIER ELM              | 5    |
|             | 2" FORT MCNAIR HORSECHESTNUT | 5    |
|             | 2" MAJESTIC BLACK TUPELO     | 5    |
|             |                              | 50   |

| SPRING 2028 | TREE SPECIES - SPRING GROVE     | QTY. |
|-------------|---------------------------------|------|
|             | 2" AMERICAN YELLOWWOOD          | 10   |
|             | 2" EMERALD SUNSHINE ELM         | 10   |
|             | 2" FASTIGIATA EUROPEAN HORNBEAM | 5    |
|             | 2" PRAIRIE GOLD QUAKING ASPEN   | 1    |
|             | 2" FIRESPIRE AMERICAN HORNBEAM  | 10   |
|             | 2" FIREBIRD CRABAPPLE           | 10   |
|             |                                 | 46   |

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|-----------------------------------------------------|------|
| Total trees planned Spring 2024 through Spring 2028 | 1371 |
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Fall 2028/Spring 2029 prices will be approved at the August 15th STC meeting and Fall 2028 and Spring 2029 orders will be planned after those prices are obtained.