City of Fort Collins





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Colorado Tree Coalition's Notable Tree Tour in Fort Collins



(European Larch)





What is a Notable Tree?

A notable tree is one that is remarkable or distinguishable in some way, or related to a famous or historical person, place, or event. A tree may also be notable if the surrounding community accepts it as being special based upon its species, uniqueness, or contribution to the community. Many of the trees in this guide are notable because they are among the largest of their species in Colorado and are called Champion Trees. The Colorado Tree Coalition updates their Champion Tree List every year, so check out the website at www.coloradotrees.org for the latest champions or to nominate a champion or notable tree.

THE TOUR BEGINS AT...

GARDENS AT SPRING CREEK

I) Giant Sequoia (Sequoiadendron giganteum 'Hazel Smith')

Location: Gardens on Spring Creek, 2145 S. Centre Ave. Notable: 4th Largest in CO (DBH 9.55"/Height 25')

2) Apricot (Prunus mandshurica) Location: 2000 Matthews St., S. of driveway at Poudre Valley Firestation. Notable: 4th Largest in CO (DBH 19.8"/Height 32')

3) Japanese Tree Lilac (Syringa reticulata) Location: Trial Gardens located on Remington St. NW corner, parallel to College Ave. Notable: 4th Largest in CO (DBH 16.6"/Height 19')

4) Horsechesnut (Aesculus hippocastanum) Location: Old Fort Collins High School, SE corner of Pitkin St. & Remington St. Notable: 6th Largest in CO (DBH 28.4"/Height 54')

5) Shagbark Hickory (Carya ovata) Location: 1117 Remington St. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 18.4"/Height 65')

6) Littleleaf Linden (Tilia cordata) Location: 1311 S. College Ave. Notable: 2nd Largest in CO (DBH 43"/Height 71')

COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY

7) Manchurian Oak (Quercus fabri) Location: 307 University Ave., N. side of Plant Sciences Building Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 21.5"/Height 40')

8) Hackberry (Celtis occidentalis) Location: 150 Old Main Dr., SW corner of Spruce Hall Notable: 4th Largest in CO (DBH 43.5"/Height 76')

9) Rock Elm (Ulmus thomasii) Location: SW corner of Laurel St and College Ave., 5th Tree W. of College Ave. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 36.8"/Height 94')

10) Gingko (Gingko biloba)

Location: SW corner of College Ave. & Mulberry St. at Goodtimes Restaurant. Notable: 4th Largest in CO (DBH 8.2"/Height 27') II) Camperdown Elm

(Ulmus glabra 'camperdownii') Location: 505 Peterson St., NE corner of Firestation Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 26.3"/Height 15')

LIBRARY PARK

12) Green Ash (Fraxinus pennsylvanica) Location: 207 Peterson St., SW corner of Library Notable: 3rd Largest in CO (DBH 47.4"/Height 90')

(Ohio Buckeye)

13) Bur Oak (Quercus macrocarpa) Location: 207 Peterson St., between Library & Museum Notable: 6th Largest in CO (DBH 37.2"/Height 81') Memorial tree planted in honor of the Grand Army of the Republic

14) Paperbark Maple (Acer griseum) Location: 109 W. Olive St. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 4.5"/Height 16')

15) Red Elm (Ulmus rubra) Location: 105 S. Whitcomb St. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 55.4"/Height 84')

16) Tulip Tree (*Liriodendron tulipifera*) Location: 1106 W. Oak St. Notable: 4th Largest in CO (DBH 26.6"/Height 69')

CITY PARK

17) Thomsen Blue Spruce (Picea pungens 'Thomsen') Location: City Park, NE corner of Sheldon Dr. & W. Mulberry St. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 13.9"/Height 44')

18) White Spruce (Picea glauca) Location: City Park, NE corner of City Park Dr. & Sheldon Dr. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 29.8"/Height 89')

19) European Larch (Larix decidua) Location: City Park, SW corner of City Park Dr. & lackson Ave.

Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 38.7"/Height 84')

20) Norway Maple (Acer platanoides) Location: 1212 W. Mountain Ave. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 40.8"/Height 83")

21) Sweetgum (Liquidambar styraciflua) Location: 1300 W. Mountain Ave. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 17"/Height 57')

RETURN TO CITY PARK

22) Canyon Maple (Acer grandidentatum) Location: City Park, NW corner of City Park Dr. & Bryan Ave. Notable: CO State Champion (Tied)(DBH 16.4"/Height 34.5')

23) Northern Red Oak

(Quercus rubra) Location: City Park, City Park Dr. & Bryan Ave., N.W. of playground Notable: 2nd Largest in CO (DBH 47.3"/Height 94')

24) White Ash (Fraxinus americana) Location: City Park, 211 S. Bryan Ave., E. side of S. Ballfeild Notable: 2nd Largest in CO (DBH 46"/Height 64")

25) Lacebark Elm (Ulmus parvifolia) Location: City Park, 1715 W. Mountain Ave., Housing Authority, E. side of parking lot Notable: 3rd Largest in CO (DBH 7.5"/Height 34')

26) Lanceleaf Cottonwood (Populus x acuminata) Location: City Park, 1715 W. Mountain Ave., E. of

Housing Authority, along ditch Notable: CO State Champion (Tied) (DBH 78"/Height 98')



(Lanceleaf Cottonwood)

GRANDVIEW CEMETERY

27) Sugar Maple (Acer saccharum) Location: 1900 W. Mountain Ave., NE corner of G Block Notable: 5th Largest in CO (DBH 22.6"/Height 65')

28) Blue Spruce (Picea pungens)

Location: 1900 W. Mountain Ave., SE corner of F Block Notable: 5th Largest in CO (DBH 45.2"/Height 95') Large Burl

29) Ohio Buckeye (Aesculus glabra) Location: W. side of Grandveiw Ave., between Mountain Ave. & Laporte Ave. Notable: CO State Champion (DBH 26.9"/Height 57')

