

## TOWN OF GRAND ISLAND

### PARKS DEPARTMENT

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## 2017-Town of Grand Island Remembrance Program

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*Town of Grand Island offers a Remembrance program to commemorate your special loved one.*

We offer two options: Memorial Planting or Memorial Items

### Option 1A: Trees

We have provided a list of approved trees and shrub that are applicable to the program. Select item of particular size and species is not guaranteed and will vary year to year due to invasive and natural threats (i.e. emerald ash borer, severe drought etc.) and changes in habitat.

Donors will be required to purchase their own tree or shrub from our approved list (below) from a reputable nursery. The nursery will plant your selected tree on town property on a pre-approved site with oversight of the Parks Department. Planting locations are approximate and must be scheduled in advance with the Parks Department Crew Chief. Planting option is available throughout the growing season April to November and is pending staff and weather conditions.

The tree list includes plants that can tolerate temporary pooling of rainwater as well as dry periods. Most of the plants are native. Some of the native plants on this list may not be readily available at all garden centers.

### TREE List-

1. American Hop Hornbeam, *Ostrya virginiana*
2. American Sweetgum, *Liquidambar styraciflua*
3. Gray Birch, *Betula populifolia*
4. Green Ash, *Fraxinus pennsylvanica*
5. Pin Oak, *Quercus palustris*
6. Red Cedar, *Juniperus virginiana*
7. Red Maple *Acer Rubrum*
8. Red Oak, *Quercus rubra*
9. Red-Panicked Dogwood, *Cornus racemosa*
10. River Birch, *Betula nigra*
11. Shadblow, *Amelanchier arborea*
12. Swamp White Oak, *Quercus bicolor*
13. Tupelo, *Nyssa sylvatica*
14. White Ash, *Fraxinus Americana*
15. Witchhazel, *Hammamelis virginiana*

Arborist recommended tree list for Veterans Park only:

1. Callery Pear
2. Freeman maple
3. Hackberry
4. Hybrid Elm
5. Linden (although they can get Japanese beetles)
6. Locust
7. Tree Lilac
8. Zelkova
9. River Birch (For wetter areas)
10. Pin Oak (For wetter areas)
11. Serviceberry (For wetter areas)

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### Option 1B:-Memorial Plaque

As an additional option, a memorial marker can be purchased from our supplier. The marker size is 4" x 6" only and may have an option to include the Latin or common name of the tree/plant in addition to the memorial name. Donor is responsible to pay all plaque & engraving cost to the supplier. Once donor receives plaque and reviews spelling, it would need to be delivered to Parks Department for proper mounting.

4x6 aluminum cast is \$65.00 and .65 cents per character.  
4x6 plastic is \$5.00 and .25cents per character. Plus tax

### Option 2: Other Memorial Items: Bench or Boulder

Alternative ideas for remembrance items include: Benches & Boulders.

Selection will need to be approved by the Parks Department. The Donor may contract for installation of memorial item, with oversight by the Parks Department, or may have the Parks Department install the memorial item at a cost to be determined at time of selection.

Donor is responsible to pay all costs associated with Memorial Items and its Installation: such as; supplier cost of Items selected, Installation materials and engraving, if applicable.

### Conditions:

The Town of Grand Island shall provide for maintenance and protection of the memorial. Once installed, the memorial becomes Town of Grand Island property. The Town of Grand Island does not guarantee permanency of the memorial. If a memorial must be relocated, the donor will be notified, in writing and according to the address on the Remembrance Program Application.

- All prices are subject to change without notice.
- All memorial or remembrance items are considered a donation to the Town of Grand Island and are not subject to refund.
- The Town of Grand Island will not have the responsibility to replace trees, memorial items, or plaques.

Prices for Park Benches: 4ft. portable & permanent \$328.00 plus shipping plus tax

5ft. portable & permanent \$367.00 plus shipping plus tax

Engraving is \$3.00 per letter- You can engrave up to 15 characters per plank on the 4ft. bench.  
You can engrave up to 25 characters per plank on the 5ft. bench.

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Name of Donor (Individual or Organization): \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Day Time Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Plaque information: Please circle one: Remembrance Memory

In Loving Remembrance or Memory of \_\_\_\_\_  
*Please print clearly (please check spelling)*

Please circle all applicable item options: 1A Tree 1B Plaque 2 Other item

Please include copies of all receipts of purchased item(s) and specify location of where item (s) to be installed.  
Please complete the Remembrance Program Application and return it with a check payable to the Town of Grand Island.

**Please make check payable to Town of Grand Island.**

I have enclosed the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check# \_\_\_\_\_

**I agree to the Town of Grand Island Terms and Conditions.**

Donor signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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(This space to be completed by Town of Grand Island)

Item (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Location where item(s) to be installed: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred date to be installed: \_\_\_\_\_ Copy of store receipt(s) Yes No

Supplier Info: \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Note: page 4 & 5 can be available in a binder in-house only or with application. Recommended suppliers below.**

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BENCH Spec Options. Malibu series only. \*Engraving options available for this product. \*Warrantee & prices are according to supplier and subject to change. The donor is responsible to have **CONTRACT** with the supplier.

Belson Outdoor Products- (800) 323-5664. <a href="http://www.belson.com">http://www.belson.com</a> Call Vendor for price	4 foot or 5 foot bench only per vendor pricing	Recycled plastic- Cedar color boards with black legs, in ground mount *Engraving options available for this product
Allen Ventures- 877-423-9800 <a href="http://www.allenventures.com">http://www.allenventures.com</a> Call vendor for price	4 foot or 5 foot bench only per vendor pricing	Recycled plastic- Cedar color boards with black legs, in ground mount *Engraving options available for this product
Other-	4 foot or 5 foot bench only Style to be approved by Parks Crew Chief	recycled plastic- Cedar color boards with black legs, in ground mount

**Memorial Marker**

Tony Martin Awards- 716-836-6797	4" x 6" plaque (approx. \$65 per vendor pricing)	Cast Aluminum
	4" x 6" plaque (approx. \$60 per vendor pricing)	Plastic w/wood post & solar light

**Photo Gallery of Items**

**Bench: Malibu Series**



**Engraved**



**Plain**

**Memorial Markers**



**Plastic marker on wood post w/solar light**



**Cast Aluminum**

**TREE Nurseries** - Only Trees on the list will be considered. \*Warrantee & prices are according to supplier and subject to change. The donor is responsible to have **CONTRACT** with the nursery for the purchase and planting of the tree.

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<p><b>Supplier:</b></p> <p><b>Menne's Nursery</b>  <a href="mailto:info@mennenursery.com">info@mennenursery.com</a>              3100 Niagara Falls BLVD Amherst, NY              716-693-4444 - X 243 (nursery yard), X 230 (business office)</p> <p><b>Russell's tree's &amp; shrubs</b>              9800 Transit Rd E. Amherst NY 716-689-6764</p> <p><b>Adam's Nurseries</b>              5799 Genesee St. Lancaster NY 716-683-4885 <a href="mailto:contact@adamsnurseries.com">contact@adamsnurseries.com</a></p> <p><b>Lincoln Park Nursery</b>              147 Old Niagara Falls Blvd, Amherst NY              716-692-6100</p>	<p><b>Basic warrantee:</b></p> <p><b>Menne's -</b>              1st year- guarantee standard 100% purchase price              Yr 2- 50%or 75% of the original purchase price              Yr3- No guarantee</p> <p><b>Russell's-</b>              Possible 1 year guarantee</p> <p><b>Adam's Nurseries</b>              1 year guarantee - replacement at or below original price, proof of purchase required. Receipt with date of purchase must be presented.</p> <p><b>Lincoln Park Nursery</b>              1 year guarantee-              Condition's apply:              *Area B*              -Red tag tree (2.5 caliber) \$265 install charge + tree cost              -Green tag tree (18gallon) \$140 install charge + tree cost              -Blue tag tree (over 2.5 caliber) \$400 install charge + tree cost</p>	<p><b>Tree types:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. American Hop Hornbeam, <i>Ostrya virginiana</i></li> <li>2. American Sweetgum, <i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i></li> <li>3. Gray Birch, <i>Betula populifolia</i></li> <li>4. Green Ash, <i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i></li> <li>5. Pin Oak, <i>Quercus palustris</i></li> <li>6. Red Cedar, <i>Juniperus virginiana</i></li> <li>7. Red Maple <i>Acer Rubrum</i></li> <li>8. Red Oak, <i>Quercus rubra</i></li> <li>9. Red-Paniced Dogwood, <i>Cornus racemosa</i></li> <li>10. River Birch, <i>Betula nigra</i></li> <li>11. Shadblow, <i>Amelanchier arborea</i></li> <li>12. Swamp White Oak, <i>Quercus bicolor</i></li> <li>13. Tupelo, <i>Nyssa sylvatica</i></li> <li>14. White Ash, <i>Fraxinus Americana</i></li> <li>15. Witchhazel, <i>Hammamelis virginiana</i></li> </ol> <p>Arborist recommended tree list for Veterans Park only:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>16. Callery Pear</li> <li>17. Freeman maple</li> <li>18. Hackberry</li> <li>19. Hybrid Elm</li> <li>20. Linden (although they can get Japanese beetles)</li> <li>21. Locust</li> <li>22. Tree Lilac</li> <li>23. Zelkova</li> <li>24. River Birch (For wetter areas)</li> <li>25. Pin Oak (For wetter areas)</li> <li>26. Serviceberry (For wetter areas)</li> </ol>
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