

Prices

\$60/package

Each package includes:

- 10** Bur Oak
- 10** Peking Cotoneaster
- 10** Swamp White Oak
- 10** Midwest Crabapple
- 10** Red-Osier Dogwood

(This package is only available with the species listed above.)



For detailed descriptions and photos of mature trees, visit Conservation Trees website:

nrdnet.org/tree-program

How to Order

Orders Accepted
November 1 - April 1

Submit order to Central Platte NRD or the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) by calling or visiting either office.

Central Platte NRD

Phone: (308) 385-6282
215 Kaufman Ave
Grand Island NE 68803

NRCS Offices (Ext. 3)

Lexington 308-324-6314
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Eastern Nebraska Small Acreage Package

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Bur Oak

(*Quercus macrocarpa*)

Native to Nebraska, Bur Oak grows on a wide variety of sites and best on rich, moist bottomlands. It has a slow to moderate growth rate and is drought tolerant.



Excellent tree for wildlife habitat plantings. It is less susceptible to oak wilt than northern red oak and has no serious insect problems. Oaks may need protection from deer when young.

Height at maturity: 35-45'

Spacing within rows: 16-22'

Spacing between rows: 16-24'

Peking Cotoneaster

(*Cotoneaster acutifolius* var. *lucidus*)

Low to medium-growing shrub introduced from Asia. Dark, glossy green foliage that turns orange to red during the fall. Berry-like fruit ripens to a dark red or black in early October and persists late into the winter, providing a good winter food source for birds. Sturdy shrub for outside row of windbreak. Fire-blight can be a problem.



Height at maturity: 5-8'

Spacing within rows: 6-10'

Spacing between rows: 12-16'

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*For landowners that want to
plant trees, but don't want
25 of one kind of tree.*

Swamp White Oak

(*Quercus bicolor*)

Swamp White Oak is native to central and southern United States.

Grows best on moist, bottomland forested soils.

Valuable for wildlife habitat and for its wood. The wood is used in fine furniture, flooring and wine casks.



Height at maturity: 30-60'

Spacing within rows: 16-22'

Spacing between rows: 16-24'

Midwest Crabapple

(*Malus baccata* var. *Mandshurica*)

Medium-sized tree with rounded crown. Extremely hardy & disease resistant. Small apples 1/4"-1/2"; excellent wildlife food through fall and winter.



White blossoms attractive during the spring. Good for single row windbreaks and between the central and outside rows of multi-row windbreaks.



Height at maturity: 12-16'

Spacing within rows: 8-12'

Spacing between rows: 12-16'

Red-Osier Dogwood

(*Cornus sericea*)

Open, spreading, multi-stem, medium to large shrub. Used for farmstead and field windbreaks and riparian plantings. Horizontal branches at base. Fruit and twigs are used by several species of wildlife, such as robins, cedar waxwings, rabbits, and deer. Provides dense cover for a large number of wildlife species.



Height at maturity: 5-10'

Spacing within rows: 6-10'

Spacing between rows: 12-16'