

## GARFIELD TREE REPLACEMENT PROGRAM FORM

Each year we plant an average of 200 new trees in town. These trees are replacement for the ones we have lost due to weather and disease or new plantings, which are an important part of maintaining our urban forest.

All trees are planted in the City's right of way on each street, which can vary as shown on our tax maps which the norm being 10 feet. The location of the new tree can be influenced by many variables such as the distance between the curb and sidewalk, the location of gas, water, sewer and electric lines, and the distance between adjoining trees. The surrounding area also governs the type of tree to be planted. Trees properly placed and planted benefit the property owner, neighborhood property values, and the public at large.

If you have an interest in having a tree planted please complete the form below and mail or bring it to the City Hall or DPW Office by March 15<sup>th</sup>. After receipt and review by the Superintendent of Public Works, you will be notified as to the type and location of the new tree. Tree will be planted on a first come first serve basis, so please respond as soon as possible. We anticipate planting to begin this spring during April and May subject to drought conditions at that time. Please call Sam Garofalo, DPW Superintendent, at the DPW Office if you have any questions regarding this year's program (973) 546-2200. Fill out and return form on the bottom, Thank You.

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### TREE REQUEST FORM

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CLOSEST CROSS STREET: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF TREES REQUESTED: \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU HAVE AN UNDERGROUND WATERING SYSTEM?      (circle one)      YES      NO