

**CITY OF SHEBOYGAN
RESOLUTION 60-23-24**

BY ALDERPERSONS DEKKER AND RUST.

SEPTEMBER 18, 2023.

A RESOLUTION authorizing the Purchasing Agent to issue purchase orders for the purchase of 717 trees to be received and planted in the spring of 2024 by the Department of Public Works Parks & Forestry Division.

WHEREAS, in response to the ravages of the Emerald Ash Borer, the Parks & Forestry Division has mounted a multi-year campaign to restore the urban canopy by planting a variety of blight-resistant species as part of its overall Urban Forestry Plan; and

WHEREAS, funding for the trees purchase is anticipated to be included in the 2024 budget; and

WHEREAS, given the degree of loss nationwide, demand for blight-resistant tree species is quite high necessitating the City to pre-order for the 2024 planting season; and

WHEREAS, a request for bids was issued for the tree purchase, which allowed the City to purchase trees from multiple bidders; and

WHEREAS, payment and delivery of the trees would occur in spring for planting in 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Purchasing Agent is authorized to issue a Purchase Order to Chestnut Ridge Nursery, Inc., Orchard Park, NY in the amount of \$18,214.00; Schichtel's Nursery, Springville, NY in the amount of \$43,974.00, and Leaves Inspired Nursery, Chilton, WI in the amount of \$5,350.00 (see attached listing of trees).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Finance Director is directed to include this expense in the 2024 budget.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That the appropriate City officials are hereby authorized to draw funds in the amount of \$67,538.00 for the purchase of 717 trees for delivery in spring of 2024, with freight and delivery included, from Account No. 400300-641150 (Capital Projects – Public Works Projects – Trees/Forestry) for the purchase of the trees.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF SHEBOYGAN COMMON COUNCIL

Presiding Officer

Attest

Ryan Sorenson, Mayor, City of
Sheboygan

Meredith DeBruin, City Clerk, City of
Sheboygan

**CITY OF SHEBOYGAN
REQUEST FOR BIDS 2035-23
STREET TREES
Notice of Award Decision**

Schichtels Nursery

	# of Trees	Cost per tree	Total \$
Firespire American Hornbeam(25)	25	86	2150
Beacon Oak (55)	55	109	5995
New Harmony Elm (50)	50	70	3500
Wright Brothers Maple (50)	50	109	5450
Boulevard Tree Lilac (44)	44	78	3432
Apolo Maple (25)	25	109	2725
Wedding bells Silver bell (10)	10	123	1230
Hardy Rubber Tree (44)	44	82	3608
Street Keeper Honey locust (44)	44	85	3740
American Hornbeam (44)	44	95	4180
Village Green Zelkova (44)	44	76	3344
Spaeth's Alder (44)	44	105	4620
			43974 Total

Chestnut Ridge Nursery

	# of Trees	Cost per tree	Total \$
Heritage Birch (50)	50	88	4400
Sugar cone maple (28)	28	106	2968
Wedding bells Silver bell (22)	22	115	2530
Golden Glory Dogwood (44)	44	109	4796
Tulip Tree (44)	44	80	3520
			18214 Total

Leaves Inspired Nursery

	# of Trees	Cost per tree	Total \$
Amur Maackia (50)	50	107	5350
			5350 Total

Grand Total	# of Trees	\$
	717	67538