

Treasured TreesFrequently Asked Questions

What organization are you from?

The Greenwich Tree Conservancy was founded in 2007 to preserve and enhance the tree and forest resources of Greenwich to benefit our community, our health and our quality of life.

Why are you doing this?

To raise awareness of special trees on private lands in our community, to encourage deliberation before any removal of nameplated trees, to create respect for unique trees and to inspire future owners to treasure this tree as you have.

How do I nominate a tree?

To nominate a tree, obtain a nominations form by visiting www.greenwichtreeconservancy.org. Complete and submit the form by **June 15**, along with any available pictures of your tree. If your tree is honored as a Treasured Tree, you will be notified about the nameplate installation and the recognition event.

What do I win?

We will provide and install a Treasured Tree nameplate on your tree. You will receive a framed citation from the Greenwich Tree Conservancy. Annually, the Treasured Trees will receive recognition at an event in the Fall and will be featured in press releases to local and social media.

How does it work?

You can nominate any tree standing on private land, including property of a private school or religious organization. You must either own the tree or have permission of the owner to nominate it.

Characteristics of Treasured Trees include: a special memory or story, its history or an important event, its Spring flowers or Fall foliage, its unique shape, its size or age.

Does the tree need to be on my property for me to nominate it?

No, you can nominate a tree, if you have permission from the property owner.