

Town of Concord Setback Planting Agreement

Tree Location: _____

Owner's Name: _____

Owners **Address:** _____
(If different from Tree Location)

Tree Name: _____

Date Planted: _____

I hereby grant permission to the Town of Concord to plant the above-named tree(s) on my property within 20 feet of the public way. Such tree(s) is/are public shade trees and is/are protected in accordance with Chapter 87 of the Massachusetts General Laws.* In return for the cost to the Town of selecting, purchasing and planting said tree(s) I, as property owner, accept full responsibility of tree stewardship and care including watering of the tree(s). However, the above named tree(s) cannot be removed without the prior approval of the Town of Concord Tree Warden.

Property Owner Signature: _____

Date: _____

Tree Warden Signature:

Date:

* It is understood that while the property owner accepts responsibility for watering said tree(s) and all tree care, as a public shade tree(s) the Town, if it is deemed necessary, may enter this property at any time to maintain, care for, or remove said tree(s), but is under no obligation to do so.