



## CITY OF BOISE PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT Memorial Tree Program

This popular program, established by our Community Forestry Unit, is a special way to observe important people, dates, and events in your life. Trees that have been established for at least (2) years are eligible for adoption, and will be good for a renewable 20-year term. The adoption includes the tree and the installation of a 6" x 12" granite plaque. Plaque text must adhere to the requirements outlined in the Boise Parks & Recreation Memorial Policy.

### Fees

The cost to adopt a tree is based on the size of the tree and location. The standard fees to adopt a tree are as follows:

- Trees up to 10" diameter = \$250
- Trees 10-20" diameter = \$500
- Trees over 20" diameter = \$1,000

The cost to adopt a tree in a Premier Park is as follows:

- Trees up to 10" diameter = \$500
- Trees 10-20" diameter = \$1,000
- Trees over 20" diameter = \$2,000

Premier Parks include Alta Harris Park, Ann Morrison Park, Bernadine Quinn Riverside Park, Capitol Park, Esther Simplot Park, Julia Davis Park, Marianne Williams Park, Municipal Park, Platt Gardens/Boise Depot, Riverside Park, Shoreline Park, and Warm Springs Park.

### How to Determine Tree Diameter

Mature tree trunk diameters are measured at breast height (termed diameter at breast height or DBH), defined as the diameter of the tree 4 ½ feet above ground. A flexible measuring tape can be used to measure tree trunk circumference. Once the circumference is determined, divide that number by 3.14 to determine the tree diameter.

### Location

Trees are available in most City of Boise parks. Upon request, we can send a tree map of any park of interest. Trees are **not** available in C.W. Moore Park, Capitol Park, Charles F. McDevitt Youth Sports Complex, Fairmont Park/Pool, Greenbelt, Hillside Park, Kathryn Albertson Park, Morris Hill Park, Simplot Sports Complex, and Veterans Memorial Park.

