



## Community Heritage Bench and Tree Program Application Form

Sponsoring a tree, bench, or combination is a great way to commemorate a loved one, special event, or group. Your gift will provide a unique opportunity to create a living legacy in one of our beautiful parks or along a prized greenway trail for all patrons to enjoy. Anyone can participate and be a part of a unique dedication and contributions are tax deductible.

*Please mark the option(s) you wish to sponsor to commemorate a loved one, special event, or group.*

       **\*\$2,000.00 - \$2,500.00 Heritage Bench** – 6’ long bench with armrests and includes a custom bronze plaque.

*\*Please call for current pricing due to constant changes in product and freight pricing.*

*\*\*A Heritage Bench will not be replaced by the City after the bench’s lifetime. Any defects that occur, which are covered by the Manufacturer’s warranty, will be addressed and the City may make repairs of minor damage to the bench if possible. Also, the City makes no guarantee that any view from a selected bench location will be maintained after installation.*

       **\$300.00 – Heritage Tree** –Please select **ONE** species from the list below:

\*Ornamental Trees (5’-6’ height)

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| <u>      </u> Cocksbur Hawthorn | <u>      </u> Flowering Dogwood  |
| <u>      </u> Paw Paw           | <u>      </u> Downy Serviceberry |
| <u>      </u> Sourwood          | <u>      </u> Sweetbay Magnolia  |
| <u>      </u> Yellowwood        |                                  |

\*Shade Trees (1.5”-2” caliber and longer life expectancy than ornamentals)

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| <u>      </u> American Linden     | <u>      </u> Bald Cypress     |
| <u>      </u> Blackgum            | <u>      </u> Bur Oak          |
| <u>      </u> Kentucky Coffeetree | <u>      </u> Post Oak         |
| <u>      </u> River Burch         | <u>      </u> Southern Red Oak |
| <u>      </u> Tulip Poplar        | <u>      </u> White Pine       |

*For optimal tree growth and survival, tree planting season occurs during the dormant months of December through March.*



## **DONOR INFORMATION**

Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please complete the Bench Plaque Information Sheet (page 3).**

## **LOCATION FOR DONATION**

\*Preference 1: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Preference 2: \_\_\_\_\_

*\* Tree and bench locations require approval by the Parks and Recreation Department.*

## **OTHER INFORMATION**

Visit [www.knoxvilletn.gov/recreation](http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/recreation) for a complete list of parks and trails. Please submit your application by **August 15<sup>th</sup> (for trees only)** to be included in the following planting season, late fall to early spring.

Payment is due at time of approval and can be made by mailing a check, or paying by credit card by going to [registration.knoxvilletn.gov](http://registration.knoxvilletn.gov). For general questions about the program, please call 865-215-4311 or email Aaron Browning at [abrowning@knoxvilletn.gov](mailto:abrowning@knoxvilletn.gov).

Completed forms can be emailed to Aaron Browning at [abrowning@knoxvilletn.gov](mailto:abrowning@knoxvilletn.gov) or mailed to:

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