



## ABOUT US

The Parks, Recreation + Tree Commission helps plan and guide the activities of the Parks + Recreation department, and provides recommendations on the management of the Parks Master Plan. The group also identifies and protects Mission's historical trees and landscaping, and fulfills the requirements as part of maintaining Mission's status as a Tree City USA (since 2002).



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# CHAMPIONSHIP AND CELEBRATION

## TREE PROGRAMS

2 Great Programs: 1 Great City

## Celebration Tree Program

Life is full of occasions to celebrate – the lives of loved ones, weddings, anniversaries, retirements, etc. The City of Mission Parks, Recreation + Tree Commission's Celebration Tree Program offers opportunities to plant a tree in one of our parks to recognize those moments.

A donation to the City of Mission covers the cost of the tree, the installation of the tree and the maintenance of the tree for the duration of its life. Donations are accepted in the following amounts, based on the size of tree requested:

- \$599 – 2" caliper tree
- \$799 – 3" caliper tree
- \$2,250 – 5" caliper tree

An additional donation of \$375 will purchase a 9" x 5" cast bronze plaque to personalize the tree in the park (limited to 150 characters).

Donors will receive a certificate and a map of the tree's location within the park. A list of available species and parks are available by contacting Parks + Recreation at 913.722.8200. Trees will be planted during the fall or spring planting seasons, though requests can be made at any time.



## Championship Tree Program

Arborists select trees throughout the world as Landmark Trees and Championship Trees based on specific growth characteristics, but "heart hugging" trees also have special meaning in our lives and are worthy of being nominated as the City of Mission's Championship Tree.

My Nominated Tree has a special "heart hugging" role in my life because:

- I planted it
- Birth of child
- Celebration of a birthday
- Celebration of a wedding
- Honors a loved one
- Reason I purchased a home
- Distinctively identifies the property
- Survivor of nature's perilous storms
- Beautiful spring blossoms
- Gorgeous fall color
- Perfect location for a swing
- Cool summer shade
- Survivor of home improvement/construction
- Other

**NOMINATE TODAY!**



If your nomination of a tree growing in your yard, a Mission City Park, or a commercial property within Mission is selected, you could win:

- City Council & Mission Magazine Recognition
- Championship Tree Plaque
- \$50 Garden Center Gift Card
- The Mission Group Tree Hug

