

Order Form

Name of person making donation:

Address:

Phone:

Type of Memorial:

Bench

Tree (Variety: _____)

Desired Location of Memorial:

In Memory Of or In Honor Of (please circle)

Plaque Information (please print):

(Limited to 20 letters per line)

Amount of Donation:

Please return this form to the Town of Waxhaw Public Services staff. A staff member will contact you to discuss your desires.

Town of Waxhaw
Public Services Department
402 Brevard Street
Waxhaw, NC 28173
Phone: 704.843.7439

In Memory or Honor of a Loved One

A tree or bench may be placed in the park or open space of your choice in honor of a loved one.

Tree varieties that grow well in our climate include oak, maple, elm, cedar and redbud.

The Town of Waxhaw will plant and care for your memorial tree and replace it should it become damaged or diseased.

Should you chose to donate a bench or tree, a plaque will be placed on the bench or adjacent to the tree in honor of your friend or loved one.

"No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted."

-Aesop



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Prices in this brochure effective: Nov. 16, 2010

Working Together to Preserve Your Memories

Memorial Tree & Bench Program



Town of Waxhaw
North Carolina

www.waxhaw.com

About the Program

The Memorial Tree and Bench Program honors the memory of a loved one.

Through the Memorial Tree and Bench Program, relatives and friends can provide a unique dedication to a loved one by placing a tree or bench in one of Waxhaw's parks or cemeteries. This dedication provides a lasting remembrance in honor of a loved one and enhances the meaning of the bench or tree to observers. The gift is also a valuable contribution to the town to be enjoyed by all.

People of all ages visit the town's playgrounds, parks and athletic fields. Also, cemeteries offer stable environments where plants have the time and space to grow to maturity. Whatever the reason, your generous gift will be recognized and appreciated by visitors for decades to come.

How Does the Program Work?

The Town of Waxhaw is responsible for the installation and maintenance of your gift. A memorial tree will be planted, cared for and replaced should it become damaged or diseased. If you want to participate in the planting of the tree, the Town will provide assistance.



Memorial Bench Program

Memorial benches have become an increasingly popular way to remember and pay tribute to loved ones. The Memorial Bench program allows an individual to dedicate a bench to be placed in a town park (David G. Barnes Park or Harvey Clay Nesbit Park), in an open space area (Town Cemetery) within the Town of Waxhaw or within the downtown area.



The Town of Waxhaw will provide a concrete bench pad and will also install it for you. Benches are made of metal and are four-feet in length. The picture depicted below indicates the general appearance of the bench. The engraved plaque will be attached to the bench's backrest.

Benches will be installed during the fall and spring seasons, but they may be ordered at any time. A maximum of five benches will be installed each year.

If the donor wishes, a card of acknowledgment will be sent to the recipient's family advising that their loved one has been memorialized or honored in this special way.



Four-Foot metal coated bench, including 8" x 3" personalized plaque: \$900.00

(Bench prices are subject to change — Please contact a staff member to ensure the correct price).

Memorial Tree Program

The Memorial Tree Program allows an individual to dedicate a young tree which will be planted in a town park (David G. Barnes Park or Harvey Clay Nesbit Park), in an open space area (Town Cemetery) within the Town of Waxhaw or within the downtown area.

Tree donations are designed to honor the birth of a child, express sympathy or honor a friend or relative who has passed away.

Trees will be planted during the winter season and the varieties include: oak, maple, elm, redbud or alternate species approved by the Town. The trees are 2-2.5 inches in diameter, balled and burlapped. An engraved plaque will be placed next to the tree.



A maximum of ten trees will be planted each year. If the donor wishes, a card of acknowledgment will be sent to the recipient's family advising that their loved one has been memorialized or honored in this special way.

Tree & Personalized Plaque: \$300.00

Trees at that are planted in parks increase the real estate value of surrounding neighborhoods, and reduce air and noise pollution thus enhancing the environment. Tree plantings also reduce water run-off helping to protect adjacent areas from flood damage.