Northern Red Oak

Quercus rubra





Mature

General Attributes

Type Deciduous Tree 60 - 80 Feet Height 40 - 50 Feet **Spread Form** Rounded **Utility Lines** Incompatible **Growth Rate** Medium Life Expectancy Long **USDA** Zone 3 - 8 **Root Pattern** Deep Lateral

Brown

Flowers/Foliage/Fruits

Flower Color

Flower Season Spring Fruit Nut **Fruit Color** Light Brown Fall **Fruit Season Summer Texture** Medium **Winter Texture** Medium **Spring Foliage** Green **Summer Foliage** Green **Fall Foliage** Red Winter Foliage **Bronze**



Native Range

Plant Community

Sun	Full Sun, Partial Sun
Orientation	North, East
Soil Texture	Sandy Loam to Clay
Topography	Upland
Plant Community	Forest
Succession	Climax
Origin	MSA Zone 1, MSA Zone 2, MSA Zone 3, MSA Zone 4, MSA Zone 6, Minnesota, North America

Soils

Salt Spray Tolerance Sensitive **Soil Salt Tolerance** Moderate **Compaction Tolerance** Moderate **Water Table** 30 Inches **Drainage** Moderate **Flood Tolerance Drought Tolerance** Sensitive **Moisture Regime** Moist, Wet 4.0 through 6.5 pН

Windbreak Group

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Planting Ease
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Spring Bareroot Fall Bareroot

Spring Container Fall Container

Spring Seed Fall Seed **Maintenance**

Formal Moderate
Informal Low
2,4-D Tolerance Sensitive
Dicamba Tolerance Sensitive
Picloram Tolerance Sensitive

Clopyralid Tolerance

Artificial Light

Sulfur DioxideTolerantOzone ToleranceTolerantHydrogen FlourideModerateNitrogen OxideTolerant

Pests/Problems

Allergens males 8, females 8
Invasiveness Non-Invasive
Toxicity Has toxic Stems, Leaves

Easy

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Cold InjuryNot SusceptibleStorm DamageNot Susceptible

Biological Control
Mechanical Control
Chemical Control

Miscellaneous

Wildlife Rating High
Insect Concerns Major
Disease Concern Minor

Wildlife Concerns

Comments

Susceptible to oak wilt. Withstands city conditions. Will develop chlorosis in high PH soils. Leaves persist into winter. Bare root plants require sweating; not recommended for fall planting. Toxicity reported with browsing livestock.



Bark



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Fruit



Leaf



Flower



Immature