

2006/7 Action Plan

#	Description	Trees
Gateway Corridors / Major Streets		
1.	"Old" Jackson Ave. (60 ? 54.5 ft ROW) East of Ford Blvd.	
	The re-modeling of Star and the new Adelaide Houses provide a great opportunity to accomplish some of the MTP vision for this part of Jackson. (On South-side, 5+ ft between curb & sidewalk) Recommended trees: Keep the native woodland look (as far west as the old Oxford Mall): <u>Native Oaks, Hickory, Beech, etc.</u>	
	Remove asphalt paving on City ROW @ 500 & 512 Jackson; install a sidewalk to continue that to be added at the Adelaide development - plant 4 street trees. 2 Beech, 2 Red Oaks	4
	In front of Lafayette Detention Center and parking lot to west. 4 Oaks, Red, Willow, etc.	4
	East Jackson between the Square and 14 th , 2 trees on South side of the City Parking Lot 1 Shumard Red Oak 1 Autumn Blaze Maple	2
2.	East University; "Oxford's Front Door" (60 to 65 foot ROW - lanes 10 ft wide, total paved street is approx. 40 ft, leaving 10 + ft on both sides for planting) While some location will require removing paving, there are many opportunities that don't. Trees recommended: Build on the existing plantings for fall color: <u>Autumn Blaze Red Maple), Sugar Maple & Sweet Gums; Festival (Narrow & Columnar) and Palo Alto & Chinese Pistache (small to medium street tree).</u>	
	Bramlett, to east light @ Big Star (end of City maintenance): 850 ft. South side: Walgreens, Shell Quick Change (with a bench), McDonalds and Big Star offers good opportunities for street trees (complement the new Maples in front of Oby's & M&F Bank).	10
	Bramlett west to Lamar = 2,565'. There are a few places to plant trees without having to remove concrete; the old Power Plant, by the benches and in front of a few empty lots (2). 5 of the 6 benches have ample space to plant trees - and all are on City Property - 2 trees at each bench (one canopy tree & one understudy tree - Chinese Pistache). Remove concrete around bench in front of Sneeds and plant 2 trees (estimate Concrete removal @ \$500.00).	15
	From east light @ Big Star to the east entrance of the Kroger Parking Lot = 1,530 ft. This section is very important to the overall appearance of the street, but is under the control of MDOT and until a policy about maintenance is explained, will be on hold. (Schedule for 2007/8)	
3.	North Lamar (north of Price Street). Generally, the utility lines are on the west side, making the east side appropriate for canopy trees. <i>In front of the Midtown shopping center, one or two canopy trees (utility lines are cable/phone).</i> Trees recommended: Build on "old" Lamar look; <u>Native Oaks(Willow, Red) & Hickory, etc.</u>	15
Other Streets / Locations:		
4.	Square: Plant one specimen-size shade tree in the North beds (similar to the South beds). White Oak, Water / Willow Oak, <u>Autumn Blaze Maple and / or October Glory</u>	2
5.	S 18th Extended; Approx. 900 ft. from MS 6 overpass to Belk Drive. Locate to provide shade for mobile homes. Power Lines are on the east side (where street trees would provide the most benefit), however, on the west side, ample space for 10 + trees. Trees recommended for max.shade: <u>Sugar Maples (5)/Tulip Poplar (5)/Sycamore/Beech</u>	10
6.	Avent Park Nature Area (Butterfly & Woodland garden improvements / maintenance) Plant 10 trees not currently represented in the Park (need to determine what trees).	10
7.	Belk Drive; North side (see item 9.) South side, from Lamar to office buildings. Oaks, Cypress & Black Tupelo Gum 3 Cypress, 3 Shumard Oaks, 4 Black Tupelo Gum	10
SUB-TOTAL		82

Various Funded Projects		
8.	Lamar Park: Plant shade trees every 40 ft. on south side of path; from the curve around planting area, along Davidson Creek and College Hill Road to Country Club Road; approx. 1,750 ft. If trees spaced 40 ft, 44 needed - if every 50 ft, 35 trees. <i>(Already in the City Budget)</i> Canopy trees for maximum shade: Maples / Tulip Poplar / Beech / Walnut / Sycamore	44
9.	Belk Drive; from Lamar to Graceland. 730 ft. <i>(Hospital to buy trees, City plant them)</i> North side, continue with the Cherry Trees planted along Lamar with a few larger canopy trees. 1 Cypress, 1 Shumard Red Oak, 8 Cherry's	10
OTHER		
10.	Replace "Failed" plantings	15
11.	Other - as opportunities arise	15
SUB-TOTAL		84
TOTAL TREES		166

Year 2007 / 2008		
1.	Continue North Lamar plantings	20
2.	University Ave: focus on State Controlled interchange with MS 7 Bypass <i>(Apply for a MFC Transportation Enhancement Grant)</i>	25
3.	McElroy Drive (Molly Barr to Ball Fields)	15
4.	Harrison Street Project (between S Lamar and S 11 th Street)	10
5.	Jackson Ave. N side; Churches & Federal Building	10
6.	Square: Start Canopy Tree Program on East-side	5
7.	Parks: Avent & Lamar	50
8.	Molly Barr (East side from Washington to McElroy)	15
TOTAL		150
Year 2008 / 2009		
1.	Start South Lamar plantings	30
2.	University Ave. Finish areas not addressed in previous two Action Plans	20
3.	S 11 th and S 18 th ; Fill-in gaps in street tree canopy coverage	25
4.	Sisk Ave @ interchange with MS 7 By-pass	20
5.	Start MTP Vision for South Lamar between the Square and University Ave	30
6.	Same for Van Buren	15
TOTAL		140

