Patriot Elm



This vase-shaped tree will leap into action in your sunny plot, quickly creating some welcome shade for picnicking, hanging out with friends, or just lounging in on a hot summer day. Site it strategically, and it will help to cool your house in summer, while letting the sunshine stream in in the winter. In fall, Patriot Elm will light up the block when its deep green leathery foliage turns a rich golden yellow.



Reaches up to 40-50 feet high; 30-40 feet wide.



Full Sun

- Do use sharp, clean tools when pruning; ragged stems and branches from dull tools leaves your plants open to various pest and disease.
- Do apply mulch to a depth of 3-4", your mulch ring should be the same diameter as the canopy above. Avoid piling the mulch around the trunk and creating the unfortunate "mulch volcano".
- Don't plant too deep; pay attention to the root flare in relation to the surrounding grade. A tree too high or deep will result in a tree under stress.
- Don't forget to do an annual inspection looking for any deadwood or damage seasonally.

