## **Black Hills Spruce**



A highly desirable, naturally symmetrical cone-shape with a denser, more compact habit than the white spruce, making it very resistant to winter injury. New bright green foliage matures to blue-green. Provides winter cover, nesting sites and forage for wildlife. Fantastic as a landscape accent, or in groupings as a windbreak or screen.

Reaches 25 Feet tall; 15 Feet wide.

Full Sun to Partial Shade

Water regularly - weekly, or more often in extreme heat.

## Fertilize in early spring. Slow growing; no pruning necessary.



- Do keep pruning to a minimum; other than an odd branch here or there and deadwood you are free off such task with this tree.
- Do fertilize annually; a healthy plant is the best defense from pest/disease.



- Don't fertilize or prune too late in the season; we want new growth to harden off before the season first frost.
- Don't prune central leader; the classic evergreen shape is meant to shed snow and ice.

