



### Memorial/Commemorative Tree Donation Program

By planting a tree in honor of a special event or a special person, you can provide a remembrance that is important to you, your family and your community. The Spring Lake Shade Tree Committee is pleased to work with individuals interested in donating a dedicated tree. The following is information to help with your planning.

A donation of **\$1000.00** is required to establish this dedicated tree (this donation is tax-deductible). Make your check payable to "**Spring Lake Charitable Partners**". This covers the cost of acquiring the tree as well as planting and a one year guarantee for trees with a 2" - 2.5" caliper (diameter of trunk at breast height). Size will depend on type of shade tree selected and its availability. It also includes watering the tree for two years. Most species of trees are best planted only in the spring. Therefore, we plan to plant the dedicated trees in the spring. No plaques are allowed on or near the tree.

The trees will be planted in the parks in Spring Lake: Divine Park, Potter Park, Marucci Park and Paziienza Park. (The donor can prioritize the park preferred, however, the exact location in the park will be at the discretion of the Department of Public Works to adequately fill spaces in the parks.)

Please make your request in writing to "Spring Lake Shade Tree Committee, Borough of Spring Lake, 423 Warren Avenue, Spring Lake, NJ 07762". A form will then be provided to you. All requests to the Spring Lake Shade Tree Committee must be received for the spring planting by February 15th.