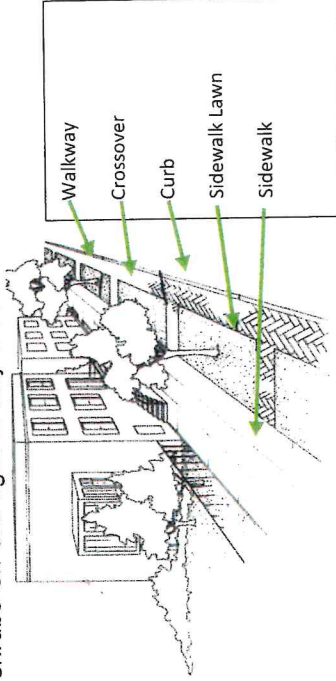


Sec. 8-1005 - Occupants to maintain tree lawns, keep streets and sidewalks free of litter.

The occupants or owners of property abutting a street, sidewalk or lane shall maintain and keep the portion of the street, sidewalk or lane on which such property abuts clean and free of litter, debris and overgrown vegetation. The occupants or owners of property in which a tree lawn is present shall be responsible for edging and mowing grass, mulching, picking up litter, removing dead vegetation, keeping the area of tree lawns clean, and maintaining the height of plantings to 36 inches or less. The planting or maintenance of trees or shrubs on the right-of-way must adhere to Section 8-12005.



Although tree lawns and tree wells are within the City's rights-of-way, individual property owners are responsible for providing maintenance or improvements. The City performs basic maintenance and other right-of-way improvements when necessary for the public's safety and welfare.

The City will continue to provide the special care needed by trees in this area. Call the customer service line at 311 to schedule pruning or receive approval before planting around trees.

Occupants To Maintain Tree Lawns, Keep Streets And Sidewalks Free Of Litter.



What is a Tree Lawn?

A tree lawn, is found in both residential and commercial areas, is usually defined as a linear space between the curb and sidewalks for planting trees, flowers and other landscaping elements. Because they are set aside for landscaping, tree lawns should not be used for sculptures, art work or parking.

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