

Sugarbear Pear

Pyrus sp.



One of Treesearch Farms' Sugarbear Pear trees



Clean foliage even in July!



Heavy producer – this photo was taken in July 2021

Well known local plantsman George McAfee found this great pear across the street from Emancipation Park in Houston. It had been producing delicious edible pears for at least 30 years with little or no care. It has an upright growth habit and very clean foliage. Sugarbear is much more disease resistant than most other pears. Another interesting trait: when the fruit is cut open it doesn't turn brown. Unlike many pears, it produces very well inside Houston's 610 Loop.