



*“I think that I shall never
see a poem as lovely as a tree.
A tree whose hungry mouth is
prest, against the earth’s sweet
flowing breast; A tree that
looks at God all day, and lifts
her leafy arms to pray; A tree
that may in summer wear, a
nest of robins in her hair...”*

- Joyce Kilmer



Donate A Tree
PROJECT



Sponsored by
The Smithfield Appearance
Commission



The History of the Donate A Tree Project

The Donate-A-Tree Project was introduced to the public in December of 2010 at the Annual Festival of Trees event. Previous to the launch of the project, The Appearance Commission voted to adopt the Crepe Myrtle tree as Smithfield's town tree. The Commission had a vision to have these beautiful, long blooming trees planted around the town. With the help and dedication of the Department of Public Works, the Donate-A-Tree Project has enhanced the landscape of the community. Through the support from the local radio station, the local newspaper, and the opportunity to share with local civic organizations, the Donate-A-Tree Project continues to grow and beautify a very special town.



Be a part of making Smithfield beautiful!

Honor someone or celebrate someone's memory with a beautiful Crepe Myrtle Tree. For a donation of \$50.00, a beautiful 8 to 12 foot tall Crepe Myrtle tree will be purchased, planted, and maintained in honor or in memory of someone special in your life. That person's name will be listed on a plaque erected in the Town Hall Park on Market Street. Trees will be planted during the fall of the year and will be placed in a public location determined by the Appearance Division of the Department of Public Works.



Please fill in the form below and return it to:

TOWN OF SMITHFIELD
DONATE A TREE PROJECT
350 E. Market Street
Smithfield, NC 27577
919-934-2116

Name of Donor _____

Address of Donor _____

Phone Number of Donor _____

Tree given in...

Honor of: _____

OR

Memory of: _____

Acknowledgement of this gift should be sent to:

Name _____

Address _____

Payment of \$50.00 must accompany this form. Check should be made out to:

TOWN OF SMITHFIELD
Memo: Donate a Tree Project