

- <u>Plant Characteristics</u>: These are large, graceful specimens with an upright vase-shaped habit.
- Size: Height: 60-80'
 Width: 30–40'
- <u>Foliage</u>: Large leathery dark green in summer, yellow in fall; great variation in intensity of fall coloration.
- Flower: Greenish red in spring.
- <u>Fruit</u>: Rounded, notched, disc-shaped samara, 1/2" long, maturing in May through June, Not ornamental.
- Soil: Prefers rich, moist soil.
- <u>USDA Hardiness Zone</u>: Zone 3-9
- Light Range: Sun to partial shade.
- pH Range: Good soil salt tolerance, pH tolerance.

• Other:

- Easily transplanted because of shallow, fibrous, wide-spreading root system.
- In the wild the tree is a common inhabitant of wet flats where standing water may accumulate in the spring and fall.
- Vigorous and good resistance to elm leaf beetle and Dutch elm disease.
- Grows 4-6 feet per year.
- 95% survival rate from all causes.
- Medium growth rate.
- This elm is not a hybrid but a true American elm with a proven scientific record of Dutch elm disease resistance and longevity on the street.