

Trees of Fayette County



A special project was produced by Dennis Chase for Southern Conservation Trust in 1999 to record the names of common native trees in Fayette County.

The list includes a partial listing of the largest specimen tree of each variety and the general locations, along with information on the same tree National and State Champions and the locations of where those trees are found.

Another vegetation project involves gathering fruit or other means of propagation of less common plants, then processing those saplings or sprouts to generate enough specimens to begin new populations on local greenspace areas where acceptable.

The intent is to provide support of less common plants and increase the diversity of vegetation in Fayette County and the surrounding areas. Several attempts have been made with: Water Hickory and Pale Hickory. Small transplant efforts of these trees has not been successful as yet. Similar efforts will be made with other native species such as the Swamp Spider Lily, Jack-in-the-pulpit and others as they are located.