**Eligible Species Nomination Form**

Additions to the species list for the National Register of Big Trees should be submitted to American Forests by January 1st for the spring register and July 1st for the fall register. These species must be recognized as either native, non-native, naturalized or a recognized naturally occurring variety in the United States. Hybrids, cultivars, ornamentals and unclassified varieties are excluded. Nominations for new species must be recognized in the [USDA Plants Database](http://plants.usda.gov/java/).

1. **Common Name:**
2. **Scientific Name:**
3. **Please select the status of the tree species**

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| **Native** |  |
| **Non-native** |  |
| **Naturalized** |  |
| **Recognized variety** |  |

1. **List supporting documents or websites to verify status of the tree species.**
2. **Do you have a tree that is a national contender for this new species?**

**Yes No**

1. **Contact Information**

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| **Name** | | |
| **Address** | | |
| **City** | **State** | **Zip** |
| **Phone number** | | |
| **Email address** | | |

**Email nominations to the National Big Tree Program at** [**bigtrees@americanforests.org**](mailto:bigtrees@americanforests.org)**.**