

# **OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD, AND FORESTRY**

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## **Seedling sale coming to Weatherford on March 8**

Oklahoma Forestry Services is holding its annual seedling sales in communities across the state during the month of March. Forestry personnel will be in Weatherford on Tuesday, Mar. 8 at the Deer Creek Conservation District Office, 300 S. Broadway, from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m., where they will be assisting customers and selling a variety of seedlings from a refrigerated truck.

“Come by the seedling sale and visit with a professional forester about your trees,” said State Forester George Geissler. “And if you decide to buy seedlings, you’ll be getting trees that are specifically chosen because they thrive in Oklahoma.”

The seedlings are grown at the Oklahoma Forestry Services State Nursery, located south of Norman, from local seed sources that are selected specifically because they perform well in Oklahoma’s diverse environment. Seedlings are bare-root, one or two years old, 10 to 30 inches in height and are sold in bundles of 50.

For more information or to view the schedule of community truck sales, visit the Oklahoma Forestry Services website at [www.forestry.ok.gov](http://www.forestry.ok.gov) or call the State Nursery 800-517-3673 or 405-288-2385. A catalogue with more seedling information, including pricing, is available on the online store at [www.forestry.ok.gov/order-seedlings](http://www.forestry.ok.gov/order-seedlings).

Species that will be available, while supplies last, include: Oriental arborvitae, Arizona cypress, baldcypress, roughleaf dogwood, eastern redbud, lacebark elm, Rocky Mountain juniper, common lilac, Shumard oak, northern red oak, white oak, native pecan, ponderosa pine, Scotch pine, Virginia pine, American plum, fragrant sumac, sycamore and black walnut.

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### **About Oklahoma Forestry Services**

Oklahoma Forestry Services, a division of the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food and Forestry, is committed to conserving, enhancing and protecting Oklahoma’s 12.5 million acres of

forests and woodlands. Since 1925, Oklahoma Forestry Services has worked with individuals and communities throughout the state to create resilient landscapes, fire-adaptive communities and provide wildfire response. Headquartered in Oklahoma City, the division also has regional offices in Goldsby, Broken Bow, Wilburton and Tahlequah. For more information, visit [www.forestry.ok.gov](http://www.forestry.ok.gov).