

# Tippecanoe County Big Trees

We have measured all of the Big Tree nominations of Tippecanoe County and are listing the three largest nominees for each species represented.

Thank you to everyone that participated. We enjoyed admiring your beautiful trees. Please be respectful of private property if you choose to go out and enjoy these trees.

## *Acer sacharinum* Silver Maple

### **Fred Koning III**

**FINAL POINTS:** 269.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 166

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 80

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 95

**LOCATION:** 2108 N 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Fred Koning III

### **Fred and Mary Ford**

**FINAL POINTS:** 265.9

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 174

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 76

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 63.5

**LOCATION:** 160 Creighton Lane, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Fred and Mary Ford

### **Shawn & Sheri Dunn-Ramsey**

**FINAL POINTS:** 202.4

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 131.6

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 55.7

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 60.5

**LOCATION:** 626 S 21<sup>st</sup> Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Shawn & Sheri Dunn-Ramsey



## *Aesculus glabra* Ohio Buckeye

### **Purdue University**

**FINAL POINTS:** 144.5

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 80

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 55

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 38

**LOCATION:** West of Duhme Hall, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Tim Detzner

***Carya cordiformis***  
**Butternut Hickory**

**Purdue University**

**FINAL POINTS:** 163.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 88

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 60

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 63

**LOCATION:** Slayter Hill, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Tim Detzner

***Celtis occidentalis***  
**Hackberry**

**Michael Bowling**

**FINAL POINTS:** 288.7

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 168

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 96.9

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 95

**LOCATION:** 104 Valley St, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Belinda Kiger

**Larry Oats**

**FINAL POINTS:** 201.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 129.8

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 60

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 48

**LOCATION:** 1420 Ravinia Road, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Sam Oats



***Fagus grandifolia***  
**American Beech**

**Home Hospital**

**FINAL POINTS:** 170.2

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 96.7

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 59.3

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 57

**LOCATION:** 2604 South Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Linda Nearing

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***Fraxinus americana***  
**White Ash**

**Purdue University**

**FINAL POINTS:** 218.3  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 131  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 70  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 69  
**LOCATION:** Purdue University  
**NOMINATOR:** Tim Detzner

***Fraxinus pennsylvanica***  
**Green Ash**

**Jessie Etzel** (PICTURED)

**FINAL POINTS:** 235.5  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 157  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 60  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 74  
**LOCATION:** 811 S 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Belinda Kiger

**Purdue University**

**FINAL POINTS:** 222.3  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 137  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 70  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 61  
**LOCATION:** North of Ag Administration, West Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Tim Detzner

**Columbian Park**

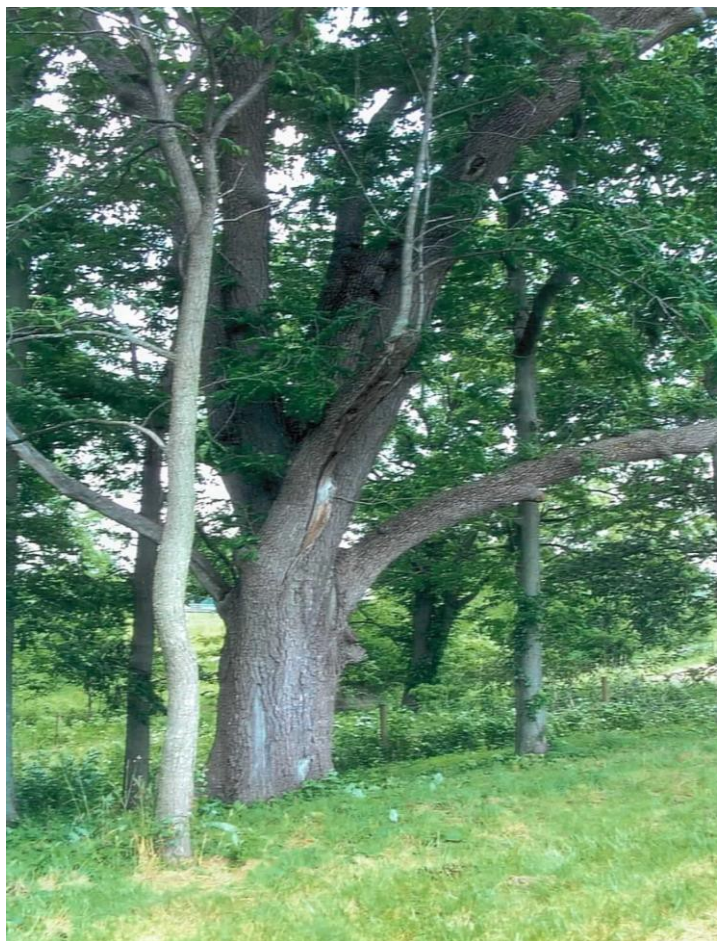
**FINAL POINTS:** 221.7  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 138.2  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 70  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 54  
**LOCATION:** North Side (South & Park Ave), Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Belinda Kiger

***Fraxinus quadrangulata***  
**Blue Ash**

**Purdue University**

**FINAL POINTS:** 96.8  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 55  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 34  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 31  
**LOCATION:** Purdue University, West Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Tim Detzner

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## *Juglans nigra* Black Walnut

**Lawrence E. Gamble** (PICTURED)

**FINAL POINTS:** 270.2

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 143.2

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 105.3

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 87

**LOCATION:** Mill Pond Farm, Stockwell

**NOMINATOR:** Lawrence E. Gamble

**Gordon Mertz**

**FINAL POINTS:** 267

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 138.2

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 110.6

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 73

**LOCATION:** 10900 Newcastle Road, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Gordon Mertz

**Chris Brown**

**FINAL POINTS:** 254.6

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 134.4

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 100

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 81

**LOCATION:** 4432 Division Road, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Chris Brown



## *Liriodendron tulipifera* Tulip Tree

**Elsa Janle & Harry Potter**

**FINAL POINTS:** 257.7

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 139.1

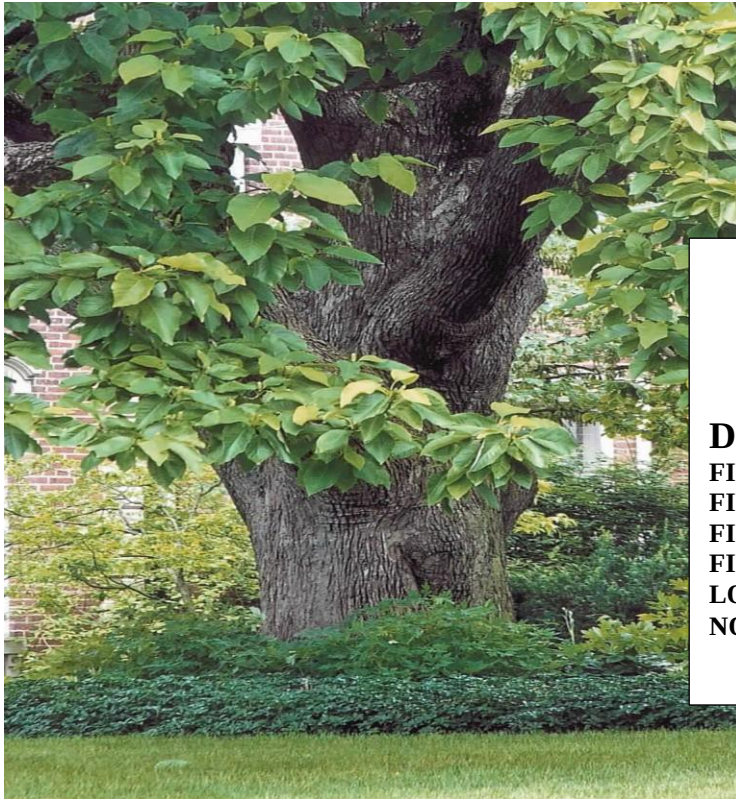
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 98.6

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 80

**LOCATION:** 531 Kerber Road, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Elsa Janle

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***Magnolia acuminata***  
**Cucumber Tree**

**Darin Glover**

**FINAL POINTS:** 201.3

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 132

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 48.5

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 83

**LOCATION:** 1028 State Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Ron Needham Martin

***Nyssa sylvatica***  
**Black Gum**

**Purdue University**

**FINAL POINTS:** 79.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 38

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 35

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 27

**LOCATION:** North of Smith Hall, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Tim Detzner

***Ostrya virginiana***  
**Hop Hornbeam**

**Purdue University**

**FINAL POINTS:** 110.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 53

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 45

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 51

**LOCATION:** Purdue University, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Tim Detzner

## *Platanus occidentalis* Sycamore

**Jay Schlaifer** (PICTURED)

**FINAL POINTS:** 288.4

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 170.5

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 100.3

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 70.5

**LOCATION:** 701 Kossuth Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** David Lux

**Wallace McDuffee**

**FINAL POINTS:** 193.9

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 103

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 76.5

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 57.5

**LOCATION:** 815 Somerset Drive, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Wallace McDuffee



## *Populus deltoides* Cottonwood

**Edwin Niles**

**FINAL POINTS:** 288.1

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 157.9

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 105

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 100.5

**LOCATION:** 321 Highland Drive, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Edwin Niles

**Lawrence E. Gamble**

**FINAL POINTS:** 278.4

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 153.8

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 110

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 58

**LOCATION:** Mill Pond Farm, Stockwell

**NOMINATOR:** Lawrence E. Gamble

**Carl Hawkins** (PICTURED)

**FINAL POINTS:** 250.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 161.2

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 75

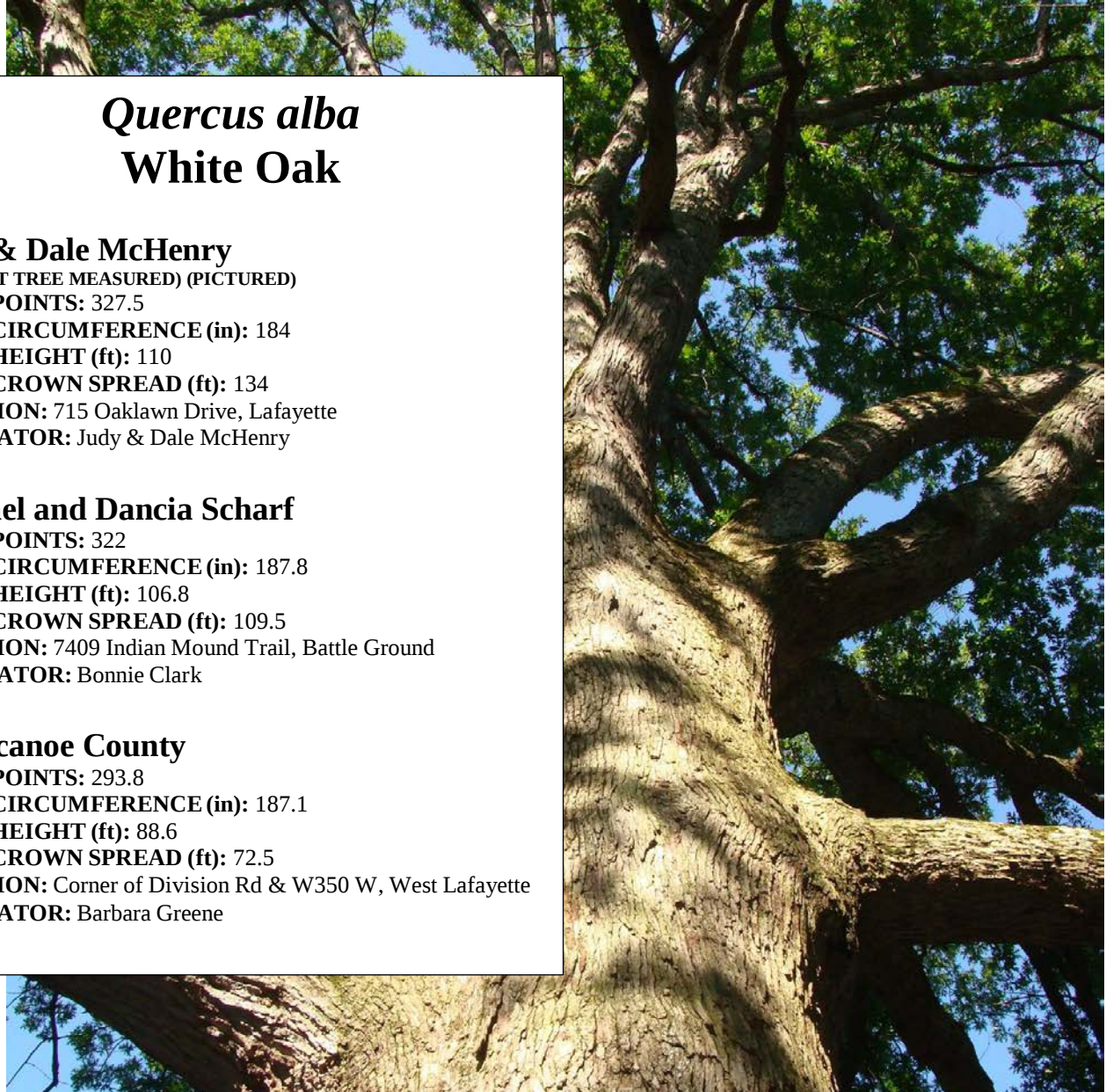
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 58.5

**LOCATION:** 8833 W 600 N, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Carl Hawkins



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## ***Quercus alba*** **White Oak**

### **Judy & Dale McHenry**

(LARGEST TREE MEASURED) (PICTURED)

**FINAL POINTS:** 327.5

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 184

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 110

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 134

**LOCATION:** 715 Oaklawn Drive, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Judy & Dale McHenry

### **Michael and Dancia Scharf**

**FINAL POINTS:** 322

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 187.8

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 106.8

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 109.5

**LOCATION:** 7409 Indian Mound Trail, Battle Ground

**NOMINATOR:** Bonnie Clark

### **Tippecanoe County**

**FINAL POINTS:** 293.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 187.1

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 88.6

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 72.5

**LOCATION:** Corner of Division Rd & W350 W, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Barbara Greene



## ***Quercus imbricaria*** **Shingle Oak**

### **Gary Wolfeit**

**FINAL POINTS:** 246.5

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 135

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 97

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 58

**LOCATION:** 636 Ferry Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Greg Shaner

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***Quercus macrocarpa***  
**Bur Oak**

**Veletta June Yates** (PICTURED)

**FINAL POINTS:** 294.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 183.1

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 89.6

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 88.5

**LOCATION:** 1012 S 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Warren Wright

**Charles R Bender**

**FINAL POINTS:** 279.7

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 171.1

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 85.8

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 91

**LOCATION:** 3015 E 500 S, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Charles Bender

**DNR Prophetstown State Park**

**FINAL POINTS:** 250.8

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 152.9

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 75

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 91.5

**LOCATION:** East Side of the Lake, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Greg Shaner

***Quercus muhlenbergii***  
**Chinkapin Oak**

**Jim Vrugink**

**FINAL POINTS:** 297

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 152

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 122.7

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 89

**LOCATION:** 320 Dehart Street, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Jim Vrugink

**Brittany Bredad**

**FINAL POINTS:** 281.2

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 156.4

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 100.8

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 96

**LOCATION:** 5655 US 52 South, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Mike Barrett

**Gordon Mertz**

**FINAL POINTS:** 271.7

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 151.4

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 101

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 77.5

**LOCATION:** 10900 Newcastle Road, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Gordon Mertz

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## *Quercus palustris* Pin Oak

### **Barbara Schuster**

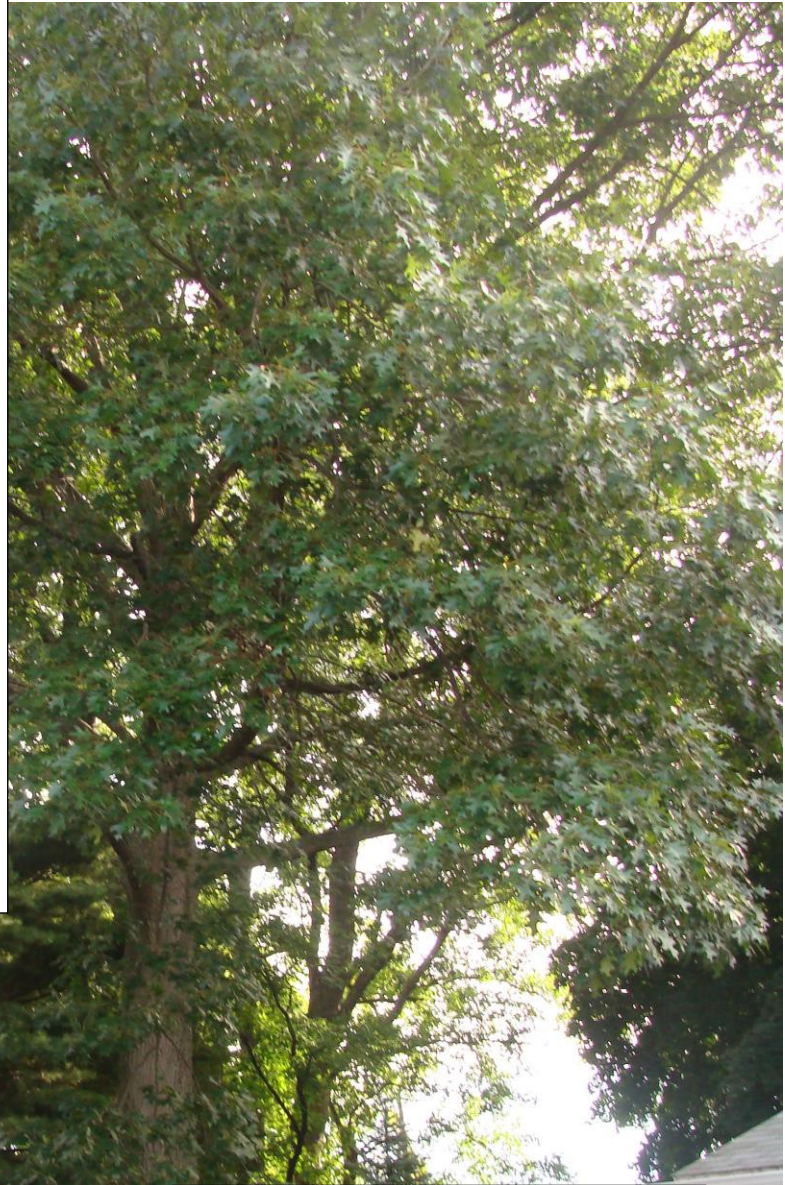
**FINAL POINTS:** 225  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 108  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 106.4  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 42.5  
**LOCATION:** 430 Eckman Lane, Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Barbara Schuster

### **Barbara Schuster**

**FINAL POINTS:** 224.4  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 110.4  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 99.5  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 58  
**LOCATION:** 430 Eckman Lane, Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Barbara Schuster

### **Karen Plantenga**

**FINAL POINTS:** 210.1  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 101.7  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 94.4  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 56  
**LOCATION:** 434 Eckman Lane, Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Karen Plantenga



## *Quercus rubra* Northern Red Oak

### **Joyce Criswell**

**FINAL POINTS:** 272.6  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 171.1  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 82  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 78  
**LOCATION:** 1419 S 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Lanna Freestone

## *Quercus rubra* Northern Red Oak

### **Pat Niswonger (PICTURED)**

**FINAL POINTS:** 231.4  
**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 120.1  
**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 93.5  
**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 71.5  
**LOCATION:** 3120 Longlois Lane, Lafayette  
**NOMINATOR:** Pat Niswonger

***Robina pseudoacacia***  
**Black locust**

**Randy Bond**

**FINAL POINTS:** 248.2

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 153.2

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 83

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 46.5

**LOCATION:** 6129 Gallegos Drive, Battle Ground

**NOMINATOR:** Randy Bond

***Ulmus americana***  
**American Elm**

**City of Lafayette (PICTURED)**

**FINAL POINTS:** 268.5

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 163

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 83

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 90

**LOCATION:** 2216 N 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** Belinda Kiger

**David Hoshaw**

**FINAL POINTS:** 234.1

**FINAL CIRCUMFERENCE (in):** 137

**FINAL HEIGHT (ft):** 75

**FINAL CROWN SPREAD (ft):** 88.5

**LOCATION:** 4213 Division Road, West Lafayette

**NOMINATOR:** David Hoshaw



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## ADDITIONAL NOMINATIONS

|                         |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| Joyce Fasani            | Silver Maple  |
| Diana Singleton         | White Oak     |
| Thomas & Staci Lee Rice | White Oak     |
| Phyllis Smith           | White Oak     |
| Nan Minniear            | White Oak     |
| Leigh Anne & Troy King  | White Oak     |
| Joyce Fasani            | White Oak     |
| The Clarks & Hodelsons  | White Oak     |
| Judith Rempala          | White Oak     |
| John & Chris Norenberg  | White Oak     |
| June Stucky             | White Oak     |
| Lawrence E Gamble       | White Oak     |
| The Wilsons             | White Oak     |
| Sonya Margerum          | White Oak     |
| Gordon Mertz            | Chinkapin Oak |
| Lawrence E. Gamble      | Chinkapin Oak |