



# 'Redmond'

## American Linden

*Tilia americana* 'Redmond'



**Height:** 50' to 70'

**Width:** 30' to 45'

**Minimum Terrace  
Width Required:** 72"

**Hardiness Zone:** 3 to 7

**Crown:** Conical, medium-coarse texture

**Foliage:** Light green leaves

**Flowers:** Pale yellow, fragrant, attractive to bees

**Fruit:** Globose nutlets with bracts

**Description:** The species typically occurs on cool, moist sites in northeastern and mid-western U.S. and Ontario. 'Redmond' was selected in Nebraska and introduced in 1942 as a named cultivar, though it had been grown since 1927. It has also been known as *T. euchlora* 'Redmond'. Its branch structure is strong and the crown has a tight, refined appearance. The new twig growth is crimson. Growth rate is medium to fast and it has an upright growth habit.

**Advantages:** The dependable, attractive growth habit and reasonably good adaptability to urban conditions commend this tree for spacious tree lawns and parks..

**Limitations:** 'Redmond' is intolerant of salt and somewhat sensitive to air pollutants. It is susceptible to *Verticillium* wilt, cankers, aphids, Japanese beetles, mites, and other defoliators but these are seldom serious.

**Site and Culture:** Prefers moist, fertile soil but tolerates drier sites. Transplants readily, is shade tolerant, but grows well in full sun. Basal sprouts require occasional pruning.