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Tree Seedlings for 2018 Planting Season Now Available

LITTLE ROCK, AR – The Arkansas Forestry Commission’s Baucum Nursery is accepting tree seedling orders for the 2018 planting season of January through March.

Baucum Nursery sells tree seedlings in quantities as small as 25, allowing for Arkansas landowners to purchase high quality seedlings at affordable prices and manageable quantities. In 2016, Baucum Nursery produced over 4 million hardwood seedlings, and over 2 million pine seedlings for landowners. Tree seedlings are grown for one growing season at Baucum Nursery and when seedlings become dormant in the late fall, they are lifted and packed “bare root” for shipment across Arkansas.

A variety of hardwood and pine species are available including baldcypress, black walnut, blackgum, pecan, persimmon, red mulberry, redbud, sugarberry, sweetgum, sycamore, water hickory, as well as a variety of oak and pine species. Pine and some oak seedlings are also available in “improved” varieties, which means that they have been tested and bred to be superior in growth and genetic gain. Other popular options are Wildlife Bundles and Beautification Bundles, which feature small assortments of tree species chosen for their ability to attract wildlife or their blooms and color.

Baucum Nursery is located at 1402 Hwy 391 North, North Little Rock, Arkansas. Customers can order seedlings online at www.aad.arkansas.gov/order-seedlings, submit mail-in forms, or make arrangements in person on weekdays from 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. or by calling 501-907-2485.

The Arkansas Forestry Commission is a part of the Arkansas Agriculture Department. The mission of the Arkansas Forestry Commission is to protect Arkansas’s forests, and those who enjoy them, from wildland fire and natural hazards while promoting rural and urban forest health, stewardship, development, and conservation for all generations of Arkansans. Learn more at: www.aad.arkansas.gov.

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