

Limber Pine – Pinus flexilis ‘Vanderwolf’s Pyramid’



Another under used tree in Thornton. A evergreen tree that is very adaptable to Thornton climate.

Tree Characteristics

Mature Height : 30'-50'

Water Use: Low

Growth Rate: Slow

USDA Hardiness Zones: 4-7

Summer Leaf Color: Blue/green

Fruit: Cones 3"-6" long

Mature Spread: 20'-30'

Exposure: Full sun to part shade

Soils: Well drained

Needles: In 5's, 2"-3"long

Fall Leaf Color: Blue/green

Flower Color: N/A



Maintenance Recommendations

Watering

- Winter watering – With a root feeder, add 5 gallons of water per month per trunk diameter inch, distributed evenly at the drip line of the tree.
- Season watering – If the tree is in turfgrass, no additional water needed. If in a planter bed, add 5 gallons per month per trunk diameter inch.

Pruning – the growth habit of this tree is excurrent, meaning that it naturally has a strong central leader to the top of the tree..Structurally prune the tree to maintain this habit.

Mulching – this tree should be mulched around the base of the trunk. The mulch should be no more than 2" thick. Insure that the mulch is not touching the trunk.

