

# STREET TREE FACT SHEET

## DWARF YELLOW GUM

### BOTANIC NAME

*Eucalyptus leucoxylon* 'Euky Dwarf'

### DESCRIPTION

Cultivar of the indigenous yellow gum occurring along the Bellarine peninsular. A dwarf variety with good branch structure suitable for use where space is restricted and a flowering shade tree is required. Flowers in late Autumn through to early summer.

### WHY HAS THIS SPECIES BEEN CHOSEN?

We have selected this tree because it is:

- Native.
- Drought tolerant once established.
- Fits with the general environment of the street and suburb.
- Suitable for use under powerlines.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

<b>Height:</b>	6-8m tall
<b>Width:</b>	6m
<b>Growth rate:</b>	Fast
<b>Maintenance:</b>	Low
<b>Evergreen / Deciduous:</b>	Evergreen
<b>Flower colour:</b>	variable

\* Estimated at 20 years in good growing conditions



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Doc No:

Dear resident

**Re: Planned planting for Corio.**

As part of our Urban Forest Strategy, we are planning to plant nature strip trees in your suburb from mid-April to June 2021.

To suit the available space and character of your street, we've selected a native evergreen called *Eucalyptus leucoxylon* 'Euky Dwarf' (see fact sheet attached).

Following planting, we'll water the trees for two years to help them establish. Any additional watering you or your neighbours can provide would also be greatly appreciated.

We're planting these trees to meet our target of 25 per cent tree cover in urban Geelong by 2045.

**For more information**

- Contact Daniel Robins, Tree Planting Supervisor on 5272 5272 with any questions about the planting.
- Visit our website and search for 'urban forest strategy' to find out what else we're doing to make Geelong a cool, green city for the future.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Heath Chasemore".

**HEATH CHASEMORE**  
MANAGER  
CITY PARKS AND GARDENS

Attach: Tree fact sheet