

MEDINA COUNTY BIG TREE CONTEST

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Contest Guidelines:

1. The 2010 contest is open for the *Eastern Cottonwood* tree
2. Tree nominated must be located in Medina County.
3. A tree may be nominated only once. The first nomination received will be entered in the contest.
4. The tree does not have to be on the property of the nominator however permission of the landowner must be obtained by the nominator.
5. The Medina County nomination form must be submitted to:

**Medina County Soil and Water Conservation District
6090 Wedgewood Road, Medina, Ohio 44256**

6. All nomination forms must be received by May 28, 2010 - 4:30 p.m.
7. All nominated trees will be measured by qualified personnel who will use the official Ohio's Big Tree nomination form. Decisions of the judges will be final.
8. The Medina Big Tree Award will be made at the Annual Banquet of the Soil and Water Conservation District to be held in the fall.

2010 EASTERN COTTONWOOD TREE NOMINATION FORM

- Circumference (in inches) at 4 1/2 feet height on uphill side of tree_____
- Best estimate of height (in feet)_____
- Best estimate of diameter (in feet) of the tree's crown _____
- Date Measured_____
- Measured by_____
- Location of tree: Township_____
- Tree's location (sketch a map of the tree's location on the property) *This is very helpful!*
- Name of owner_____
- Address of tree _____
- Nominated by_____ Phone_____
- Nominator's address_____

For further information contact Jim Dieter or Beth Schnabel at 330 722-2628 ext 3