TREE REMOVAL NOTIFICATION

Friday, August 5, 2022

The Urban Forestry Division received the following permit request to remove trees at the following location(s):

FROM: Urban Foresty Division REQUESTER: City of Los Angeles Bureau of Street Services

1149 S. Broadway, 4th Floor 1149 S Broadway 4th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90015 Los Angeles, CA 90015

PHONE NO: (213) 847-3077 **REASON FOR REQUEST:** Sidewalk Repair

MAIL STOP: #550 PERMIT TYPE: No-Fee Permit

SITE: Sherman Way Imp Prog TREE REPLACEMENT SIZE: 24-inch box size

CRM# 1-2424356651

> The tree removal(s) is/are (1) classified as operation, repair, maintenance or minor alteration of existing street, sidewalk, and gutter, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that previously existing; and does not involve the removal of a scenic resource; (2) the action is exempt

CEQA: under Article III, Section 1, Class 1, Category 3 (existing facilities - sidewalk repair or maintenance) of the City of Los Angeles Environmental

Quality Act Guidelines (2002); and (3) none of the exceptions to the use of a categorical exemption as set forth in Section 15300.2 of the State

CEQA Guidelines apply.

| COUNCIL DISTRICT | I ADDRESS | NO OF TREES IMPACTED | TREE SPECIES PROPOSED TO BE REMOVED | TREE REPLMNT QTY. | TREE REPLACENT SPECIES | PKWY SIZE | REASON FOR REMOVAL |
|---------------------|------------------|----------------------------|--|-------------------------|--|--------------|--|
| 12 | 11173 N Tampa Av | 1 | Canary Island Pine (Pinus canariensis) | 2 | Canary Island Pine (Pinus canariensis) | | Sidewalk repair, electrical box very close to the trunk of the tree, root-pruning will render tree unstable. |

ALL ALTERNATIVES WERE CONSIDERED TO RETAIN THE TREES, i.e. SIDEWALK REDUCTION, RAMPING, ROOT PRUNING, MEANDERING INTO PRIVATE PROPERTY, AND BUMP-OUT (NOT COST-EFFECTIVE). TREE REMOVAL IS THE LAST OPTION WHEN THE ALTERNATIVES ARE NOT FEASIBLE. THEREFORE, TREES REQUIRE REMOVAL.

| | The above request has been reviewed and approved. |
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| | The above request is denied. |
| APPROVED BY: | |
| DATE APPROVED: | |

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