



Community Development – Planning

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Addendum A – Exemptions

Street Tree Removal and Replacement Application

Please contact the **Planning Division** at ocplanning@orc.org or 503-722-3789 for any questions.

This form applies to street trees in planter strips that are 3 feet wide or less, AND street trees that are on the **Nuisance Plant List**. Such trees may be removed without replacement.



☐ I am removing a street tree from a planter strip that is 3 feet wide or less.

If not, skip to the Nuisance tree section. If so, answer these questions and provide the requested information.

How wide is your planter strip? _____

- Planter strip width is the space between the inner edges of the curb and sidewalk, when measured perpendicularly.

How many trees are you removing? _____

- Tell us how many trees in this narrow strip you'll remove.

Provide a photo showing the width of your planter strip.

Staff Only: Planter Strip photo provided?	Yes	No
Planter Strip width confirmed?	Yes	No

☐ I am removing a Nuisance tree species.

How many nuisance trees are to be removed? _____ **Species:** _____

Is the tree species listed on the Oregon City Nuisance Plant List? ☐ Yes ☐ No

We also consider Nuisance species on lists from Clackamas County Soil & Water District, Oregon Department of Agriculture, and other Metro Area cities.

- Nuisance Species List (if not Oregon City's): _____

Include a copy of the species list used, if not Oregon City's, with your application.

Provide photos of the Nuisance tree(s) with your application.

Staff Only:	Nuisance Species?	Yes	No
	Nuisance list info provided?	Yes	No

Have you considered replanting? Or creating a Pollinator Garden?

If interested in replanting, please see the **Adopted Street Tree Species List** to find an appropriate species for your planter strip. You can also contact **Friends of Trees** for more information about care and maintenance to help prevent future sidewalk lift.

For Pollinator Gardens you can consult our Guide to Pollinator Gardens at **Create Pollinator Gardens | Oregon City, OR** or visit the **Xerces Society website** for more information.