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January 7, 2026

Linda Jahnke



Re: Heritage Tree Appeal Hearing – Notice of Procedural Error and Rescheduled Hearing

Dear Linda,

This letter is to inform you that the Heritage Tree Appeal Hearing was conducted on December 10, 2025, concerning the property located at 2415 Benjamin Drive.

Subsequent to the hearing, staff identified a procedural error associated with the noticing of the hearing. Specifically, it was determined that neither the property owner nor the appellant received proper notice of the hearing, as required under the applicable ordinance and due process standards. Accordingly, **any and all actions taken, testimony received, or determinations made during the December 10, 2025 hearing are hereby declared null and void and shall have no force or effect.**

To remedy this error and to ensure full compliance with applicable notice requirements, we have scheduled a new hearing for the subject tree appeal, as set forth below:

**Hearing Date:** February 11, 2026

**Time:** 6:00 p.m. PST

**Location:** Maple Room, 201 S Rengstorff Ave, Mountain View, CA 94040

The rescheduled hearing will provide all parties the opportunity to appear, present evidence, offer testimony, and otherwise participate fully in the appeal process.

We apologize for the error and for any confusion or inconvenience it may have caused you. We appreciate your understanding as we work to correct it. If you have any questions regarding the rescheduled hearing or you would like more information, please don't hesitate to contact me at [Russell.Hansen@mountainview.gov](mailto:Russell.Hansen@mountainview.gov) or call (650) 903-6832.

Sincerely,

Russell Hansen  
Urban Forest Manager  
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