

CITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW
URBAN FORESTRY BOARD
RESOLUTION NO.
SERIES 2020

A RESOLUTION DENYING THE APPEAL, UPHOLDING STAFF'S DECISION, AND
DENYING THE REMOVAL OF THE *QUERCUS AGRIFOLIA* (COAST LIVE OAK)
TREE AT 1783 WOODHAVEN PLACE

WHEREAS, an application was received for the removal of one Heritage tree, a *Quercus agrifolia* (Coast live oak) tree, at 1783 Woodhaven Place on December 3, 2019; and

WHEREAS, on February 26, 2020, the Forestry and Roadway Manager issued a decision on the application denying removal of the Heritage tree; and

WHEREAS, the decision denying the removal of the Heritage tree was timely appealed; and

WHEREAS, at its duly noticed public hearing on November 18, 2020, the Urban Forestry Board considered the appeal of the application for removal of the Heritage tree and independently reviewed and considered the application, staff report, public testimony, Article II of Chapter 32 of the Mountain View City Code, and other information in the record;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Urban Forestry Board of the City of Mountain View that the Heritage Tree Removal Permit appeal is hereby denied, and the Heritage tree shall remain based on the required findings pursuant to Mountain View City Code Section 32.35 set forth below:

1. The City Code places emphasis on the preservation of trees.
2. The Urban Forestry Board determines that the removal of the Heritage tree does not meet the criteria for consideration set forth in the City Code.

This decision of the Urban Forestry Board is final. The time within which judicial review of this decision must be filed is governed by Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6. Notice of this decision shall be posted at the Heritage tree site, City Hall, and at the Forestry Division Office.

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