



HERITAGE TREE REMOVAL ACTION PENDING

Location: 87/89 STARR WAY

Property Owner: JUDY WRIGHT

Type of Tree: DEODAR CEDAR

Upon the completion of a field inspection, Forestry Division staff has determined that the request to have the tree/trees removed be:

 APPROVED X DENIED


The following reason(s) are cited in rendering this decision:

**CONDITION OF TREE: TREE DOES NOT MEET CRITERIA
FOR REMOVAL**

Any person wishing to appeal this action must file an appeal (Fee \$50) with the City Clerk's Office, 500 Castro Street, Mountain View, by 5:00 p.m., July 19, 2016 as outlined in Section 32.31 of the City of Mountain View City Code.

For further information regarding this Heritage Tree Removal Notice, contact the Forestry Division Office at (650) 903-6273

Date Posted: July 7, 2016



Parks Section Manager

July 16, 2016

City Clerk's Office
500 Castro Street
Mountain View, CA

Dear City Clerk's Office,

I, Judy Wright, being one of the owners of the property located at 87/89 Starr Way, would like to appeal the decision of our Heritage tree removal application which was denied for the Deodar Cedar tree.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Judy Wright".

Judy Wright

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JUL 19 2016
CITY CLERK

CITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW, FORESTRY DIVISION
231 NORTH WHISMAN ROAD
POST OFFICE BOX 7540
MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94039-7540
(650) 903-6273 M-F 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Fee: \$116, each additional tree, same site \$58

APPLICATION FOR HERITAGE TREE REMOVAL PERMIT

The undersigned owner of the property at 87/89 Starr Way
Phone No. (Home) 530-226-9674 (Work) _____

hereby applies for permission to remove Heritage tree(s) as follows:

Common Name of Tree Deodora Number of Trees 1
Circumference of tree 54" above ground: 84"

REASON FOR REMOVAL: Check applicable box(es) below. There may be more than one reason.

Comments: Tree is unhealthy and has been dropping large limbs on the driveway and street which is dangerous.

☒ The condition of tree with respect to age of the tree relative to the life span of that particular species, disease, infestation, general health, damage, public nuisance, danger of falling, proximity to existing or proposed structures and interference with utility services.

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☐ The necessity of the removal of the Heritage tree in order to construct improvements and/or allow reasonable and conforming use of the property when compared to other similarly situated properties. JUN 27 2016

☐ The nature and qualities of the tree as a Heritage tree, including its maturity, its aesthetic qualities such as its canopy, its shape and structure, its majestic stature and its visual impact on the neighborhood.

☐ Good forestry practices such as, but not limited to, the number of healthy trees a given parcel of land will support and the planned removal of any tree nearing the end of its life cycle and the replacement of young trees to enhance the overall health of the urban forest.

☐ **BALANCING CRITERIA.** In addition to the criteria referenced above which may support removal, the decision-maker shall also balance the request for removal against the following which may support or mitigate against removal:

☐ The topography of land and effect of the requested removal on erosion, soil retention, water retention and diversion or increased flow of surface waters.

☐ The effect of the requested removal on the remaining number, species, size and location of existing trees on the site and in the area.

☐ The effect of the requested removal with regard to shade, noise buffers, protection from wind damage and air pollution and the effect upon the historic value and scenic beauty and the health, safety, prosperity and general welfare of the area and the City as a whole.

OWNER'S PRINTED NAME Judy Wright

OWNER'S SIGNATURE Judy Wright

MAILING ADDRESS 2578 Eastbrook Drive

CITY Redding STATE CA ZIP 96002

NOTE: This form must be returned to the Forestry and Roadway Landscape Division in its entirety upon completion by the applicant. The applicant has read and is familiar with Article II, Chapter 32 of the Mountain View City Code (copy attached). In providing the information on this form, please be aware that this information is public record subject to disclosure upon request.

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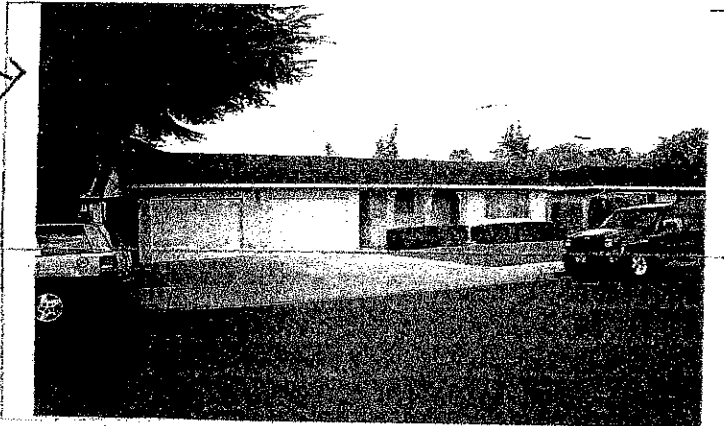
LOCATION: Please include sketch or attach a separate piece of paper.

URAR--6/93 SUBJECT PHOTO PAGE

Address 87 & 89 Starr Way	File No. STARRWAY
Mountain View	County
State CA	Zip Code 94040
Sender	

Subject Front

Address	87 & 89 Starr Way
Design & Appeal	
Fence, Pool, etc.	
Energy Bars	



Subject Rear



FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

This permit must be available at the work site at all times when the work is being done.

☐ RECOMMEND APPROVAL

☒ RECOMMEND DENIAL

Arborist

Date

6/30/16

☐ APPROVED

☒ DENIED

Forestry and Roadway Landscape Manager

Date

6/30/16

OBSERVATIONS/EVALUATION:

EFFECTIVE DATE: (Permit expires two years from effective date.)

ACTION

DATE

CLERK

1. Applicant notified of decision by mail.
2. Notice posted on tree.
3. If no appeals, approved/denied application mailed.


87/89 STARR WAY
TREE: DEODAR CEDAR

APPEAL NOTICE

HERITAGE TREE

The decision to deny the removal of this Heritage Tree(s) has been appealed. An appeal shall automatically stay issuance or denial of the Heritage Tree Notice to remove or deny removal of the tree(s) identified on the notice (Mountain View City Code Section 32.31). An appeal hearing will be set before the Urban Forestry Board at a later time. Notice of the date and time will be posted here when known.

This notice shall be posted until a final decision has been rendered. For information regarding the appeal, please contact the Forestry Division Office at 650-903-6273.



Posted By

7/20/16

Date


City of Mountain View
Forestry Division
231 North Whisman Road
P.O. Box 7540
Mountain View, CA 94039-7540

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Posted By

8/23/16

Date

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