

**The following residents have reached out to OSE and the Urban Forestry Commission with emails about the City's update to the tree ordinance.
Emails through 8/7/19v2**

From: Kathleen Hegarty <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Saturday, July 27, 2019 8:59 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please preserve Seattle's valuable and irreplaceable tree canopy

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Seattle continues to lose its trees. Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

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From: Anne Roda <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Saturday, July 27, 2019 11:38 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please update the tree ordinance now

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance as recommended in the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

This is deeply important for Seattle, the whole region and ultimately the planet.

Thank you!

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From: Patricia Cannon <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Saturday, July 27, 2019 3:11 PM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please update the tree ordinance now

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance as recommended in the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

Patricia Cannon

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From: Annie Thoe <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Wednesday, July 31, 2019 10:09 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Save our legacy tree canopy, Fight Global Warming Now!

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Your are in position to do something right now to stop Seattle from losing our large trees and canopy to fight global warming-- which can't be replaced by planting little ornamental ones. Ethopia is prioritizing tree planting with 350 million trees already planted in one day! It's unimaginable that we keep cutting our large trees down and can't design around them. Aren't we smarter than that-- is greed the only force that runs our government? We can't afford to cut these trees when we need to be planting twice as many more to stop global warming. Temperatures are rising, air and water quality is worsening, fires-- what more evidence and facts do you need to act now? Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission. Be the change by enforcing this new updated ordinance-- and also pass a budget to enforce it. Enforcement is the critical action we need to save our trees and keep our country healthy and vibrant. Thank you for your service! Annie Thoe

Annie Thoe

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From: Gayle Janzen <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>

Sent: Thursday, August 01, 2019 10:54 PM

To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>

Subject: I Urge you update the tree ordinance now

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Like more and more people in Seattle, I am extremely upset that the developers are allowed to cut down old growth and exceptional trees, so they can put in McMansions. As you are aware, climate change is upon us, so we desperately need a strong, enforceable tree ordinance, and a moratorium on clear cutting until that ordinance is passed. We need more trees - not more McMansions. You can increase housing without cutting down so many trees. We are sick as we watch our tree canopy being destroyed.

Therefore, I urge you to update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance as recommended in the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

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From: MARIANA SINTAY <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Friday, August 02, 2019 6:29 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please preserve Seattle's valuable and irreplaceable tree canopy

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Seattle is continuing to lose its tree canopy. "Trees create rain."
Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I absolutely support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

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From: Heidi Siegelbaum <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Friday, August 02, 2019 12:13 PM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please preserve Seattle's valuable and irreplaceable tree canopy

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Seattle continues to lose its trees, including the most productive, protective and public health giants. Trees provide oxygen, remove pollutants from the air, provide habitat and shade, cool neighborhoods, reduce flooding and pollution and create community. Yet the city's policies, laws and lack of enforcement are leading to the wholesale destruction/removal of mature trees on private land. It is imperative that the City align its climate, health and environmental policies with a unified forestry policy that requires developers and citizens to protect mature trees of any type. Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission and increase the number of city wide inspectors and arborists to over 20.

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From: Charlotte Moss <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Thursday, July 25, 2019 11:27 PM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please preserve Seattle's valuable and irreplaceable tree canopy

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Trees are a vital for healthy air, healthy people, and a healthy planet. Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

Charlotte Moss
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From: David Moehring <dmoehring@consultant.com>
Sent: Monday, July 29, 2019 12:14 PM
To: PRC <PRC@seattle.gov>; DOT_LA <DOT_LA@seattle.gov>
Subject: 3032203-LU likely tree grove removal at 8623 37TH AVE S.

CAUTION: External Email

Dear Public Resource Center and Seattle Tree Land Applications.

Please check (1) number of trees, and (2) the tree species, and (3) the existence of a Tree Grove at **8623 37TH AVE S.**

This mostly wooded and undeveloped lot has a Builder (Hunny Construction) looking to subdivide it (via a Lot Boundary Adjustment) even with a likely Code-Protected Tree Grove. (SMC 25.11)

The hired arborist is calling for tree species that are not considered protected unless they are part of a grove. A grove extends onto adjacent lots. Seattle GIS says the east portion of the 10,000 sq ft lot has 50% canopy cover, and the west 3000 sq ft lot portion has 50% canopy cover.

Yet, the arborist drawing only calls for a total of 4 significant trees. See the attached GIS map highlighting the east 10,000 sq ft.

We need either a stronger tree ordinance or closer inspection and enforcement.

David Moehring
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From: Kara Kahler <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Tuesday, August 06, 2019 5:23 PM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Seatte Trees

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

I'm writing to urge you to keep Seattle green for our children. Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration.

Kara

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From: Lea Hershkowitz <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Wednesday, August 07, 2019 11:04 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please preserve Seattle's valuable and irreplaceable tree canopy

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Seattle continues to lose its trees. Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

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From: Edgar Reyes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Wednesday, August 07, 2019 11:06 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please update the tree ordinance now

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance as recommended in the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

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From: Ida Fischer <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>

Sent: Wednesday, August 07, 2019 11:12 AM

To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>

Subject: I speak for the trees! Please preserve Seattle's valuable and irreplaceable tree canopy

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

Hello,

Seattle continues to lose its trees, which are a critical part of what makes Seattle so beautiful and a desirable place to live and work. Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance now. I support the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission. Let's take action before it's too late!

Thank you,

Ida

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From: Kelsey Rudd <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Wednesday, August 07, 2019 11:13 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please update the tree ordinance now

CAUTION: External Email

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Please update Seattle's Tree Protection Ordinance as recommended in the latest draft by the Seattle Urban Forestry Commission.

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From: Lea Hershkowitz <info@sg.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Wednesday, August 07, 2019 11:15 AM
To: Pinto de Bader, Sandra <Sandra.Pinto_de_Bader@Seattle.gov>
Subject: Please update the tree ordinance now

CAUTION: External Email

Sandra Pinto de Bader,

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