

Date: 12/28/2021

Requested by: Alicia and Gregory James ajjames42950@gmail.com

Address: 2526 Oak Crest Dr., Santa Barbara, CA 93105

Location of Tree: 2526 Oak Crest Dr., Santa Barbara, CA 93105

Tree Species: *Eucalyptus polyanthemos* **Common Name:** Sliver Dollar Gum

Requested Reason for Removal: Tree is too large, shallow root system; tree can be blown by heavy winds, and tree is a fire hazard.

Current designated Street Tree: Quercus agrifolia, Coast Live Oak. (1977 Master Plan)

Advisory Committee Recommendation: Approve Removal: Deny Removal:

Staff Recommendation: Approve Removal: Deny Removal: N/A

Date Posted: 2/10/2022

Comments: The Committee recommends (4/1) that the Commission deny the removal of the *Eucalyptus polyanthemos*, Silver Dollar Gum.

PHOTO INVENTORY



Tree Removal Application

APPLICANT/OWNER DETAILS

<input type="text" value="James"/>	<input type="text" value="Alicia and Gregory"/>	
YOUR LAST NAME	YOUR FIRST NAME	
<input type="text"/>		
OWNER'S FULL NAME (IF YOU ARE NOT THE OWNER)		
<input type="text" value="2526 Oak Crest Dr."/>		
YOUR MAILING ADDRESS		
<input type="text" value="Santa Barbara"/>	<input type="text" value="California"/>	<input type="text" value="93105"/>
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
<input type="text" value="7609373429"/>	<input type="text" value="ajjames42950@gmail.com"/>	
DAYTIME PHONE	EMAIL ADDRESS	

TREE INFORMATION

TYPE OF TREE: **SETBACK TREE(S)** **STREET TREE(S)**

<input type="text" value="1"/>	<input type="text" value="front driveway curb"/>
NUMBER OF TREES	LOCATION OF TREE(S) - please be sure to indicate the property address where the trees are located

<input type="text" value="Eucalyptus"/>
SPECIES OF TREE(S), IF KNOWN

REASONS FOR REMOVAL (TELL US WHY YOU WANT TO REMOVE THE TREE[S]). PLEASE INCLUDE:

- Whether or not the removal application is associated with new development or redevelopment of property
- Status of development application, including whether the project is scheduled for review by the Single Family Design Board, Architectural Board of Review, or Historic Landmarks Commission
- Whether or not the tree is a designated Specimen or Historic Tree or located on a property with a designated Historic Landmark

If you feel you need more space to outline the goals of your request, please feel free to attach a supplemental letter when you submit this form.

<p>The tree is too large Eucalyptus trees have shallow root systems and can be blown down by heavy winds; they shed bark and seed pods regularly Eucalyptus trees are like match sticks if they are in an area where wild fires are a problem (California--Santa Barbara)</p>

WILL YOU REPLACE THE TREE(S)? YES NO

IF YES, WHAT WILL YOU REPLACE THE TREE(S) WITH?

<p>Bay Laurel--Laurus nobilis. This is not the California Bay Laurel. The choice is made on the basis it is slow growing (can reach 60 feet or can be contained in a growing container to control growth)) and provides a shade canopy when mature Provides bay leaves that can be used in cooking</p>
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