



**CITY OF SANTA BARBARA
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT**

**Street Tree Advisory Committee
REGULAR MEETING
Thursday, September 1, 2022
8:30 AM**

Regular Meeting Minutes

1. CALL TO ORDER 8:36 AM
2. ROLL CALL
Members present: Duke McPherson, Anthony DeMola, Santos Escobar, Maury Treman and Bruce Reed (arrived at 9:29 AM).
Parks and Recreation staff present: Nathan Slack, Brett Volpi, and Patricia Herrera
Members of the public: Rachel Raynor, and Chris Dufour
3. PUBLIC COMMENT
None
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
A. Regular Meeting Minutes, August 4, 2022

Motion: Member McPherson moved, seconded by Member DeMola to approve the August 4, 2022, Regular Meeting Minutes, passed.

Vote: 4/0. Member Reed was absent during vote.

5. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA
Take 3775 Modoc Road first and then in order of the Agenda.
6. MEMBER AND STAFF COMMUNICATION
A. Mr. Slack advised STAC of Parks and Recreation Commission actions.
7. NEW BUSINESS

STREET TREES

1. 1014A Calle De Los Amigos – *Schinus molle*, Pepper Tree – Barbara Smith

The Committee recommends (5/0) that the Commission deny the removal.

Motion: Member McPherson moved, seconded by Member Treman to recommend that the Commission deny the removal, passed.

Vote: 5/0.

SETBACK TREES

1. 3775 Modoc Road – (1) *Eucalyptus sideroxylon*, Red Ironbark, (7) *Eucalyptus viminalis*, Manna Gum and (1) *Corymbia citriodora*, Lemon-scented Gum – Rachel Raynor

The Committee recommends (5/0) that the Commission deny the removals.

Motion: Member Reed moved, seconded by Member Treman to recommend that the Commission deny the removals, passed.

Vote: 5/0.

2. 214 Eucalyptus Hill Drive – *Eucalyptus globulus*, Blue Gum – Barbara Masin

The Committee recommends (4/1) that the Commission approve removal on the condition the applicant plant a minimum of (3) 15-gallon, *Quercus agrifolia*, Coast Live Oaks in the setback.

Motion: Member Reed moved, seconded by Member DeMola to recommend that the Commission approve removal on the condition the applicant plant a minimum of (3) 15-gallon, Quercus agrifolia, Coast Live Oaks in the setback, passed.

Vote: 4/1. Member Treman opposed.

8. STREET TREE MASTER PLAN

1. All of Vernon Road – request for species designation change – Robert P. Richards

The Committee recommends (5/0) that the Commission approve *Arbutus 'Marina'*, Marina madrone, as a designation for all of Vernon Road.

Motion: Member DeMola moved, seconded by Member Escobar to recommend that the Commission approve Arbutus 'Marina', Marina Madrone, as designation for all of Vernon Road, passed.

Vote: 4/0. Member Reed was absent during vote.

9. OLD BUSINESS

STREET TREE MASTER PLAN

1. 1300 – 2100 blocks of Mountain A – co-designate – Michael Fedyk

The Committee recommends (5/0) that the Commission approve *Arbutus 'Marina'*, Marina Madrone; *Lagerstroemia 'hybrids'*, Crape Myrtle; *Ginkgo biloba*, Maidenhair; *Prunus lyonii*, Catalina Cherry; and *Cassia leptophylla*, Gold Medallion, as co-designations for the 1300 – 2100 blocks of Mountain Avenue.

Motion: Member Treman moved, seconded by Member Escobar to recommend that the Commission approve Arbutus 'Marina', Marina Madrone; Lagerstroemia 'hybrids,' Crape Myrtle; Ginkgo biloba, Maidenhair; Prunus lyonii, Catalina Cherry; and Cassia leptophylla, Gold Medallion, as co-designations for the 1300 – 2100 blocks of Mountain Avenue, passed.

Vote: 5/0.

2. 00 – 500 blocks of Los Olivos Street – co-designate – staff

The Committee recommends (5/0) that the Commission approve *Cinnamomum caphora*, Camphor Tree, *Chilopsis linearis*, Desert Willow, *Quercus agrifolia*, Coast Live Oak, and

Robinsonella cordata, Heartleaf Robinsonella as co-designations for the of the 00-500 blocks of Los Olivos Street.

Motion: Member Treman moved, seconded by Member Escobar to recommend that the Commission approve *Cinnamomum caphora*, Camphor Tree, *Chilopsis linearis*, Desert Willow, *Quercus agrifolia*, Coast Live Oak, and *Robinsonella cordata*, Heartleaf Robinsonella as co-designations for the 00 – 500 blocks of W. Los Olivos Street, passed.

Vote: 5/0.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Nathan Slack, Urban Forest Superintendent

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