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#### **Summer 2023**

- Save Shoreline Trees at Shoreline Farmers Market through Oct.7, 2023
- Good Bye from Melody Fosmore, Founder of Save Shoreline Trees
- Housing Bills Pass 2023 WA Legislature
- "Cascade Gardener" Webinars by Susanne Tsoming
- City Contact Info Council, City Manager, contacts about trees

## September 2022

- Council to make employment offer for City Manager position
- Celebrating our trees ("LOVE" photo by Isis Charest)
- Trees lose again in Shoreline (10% on MUR-70' not supported by Council; 6 nay to 1 aye)
- Projects We Are Following: Modera, Brea, Shea, Evergreen "The Line"; Sidewalks: 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NE; 20<sup>th</sup> Ave NW
- Take the Meridian Ave N survey by Oct 5
- Caring for our urban forests and trees (1st in 3-part series)
- Are you experiencing 'Climate Depression'?
- City response about tree survival rate, watering and maintenance
- Who to contact at City about trees on private property and public property

## **July 2022**

- Shoreline Farmers Market update
- 20<sup>th</sup> Ave NW Sidewalk update success in saving the trees!
- MUR-70' campaign to include 10% retention of existing healthy trees
- How to nominate a tree for Landmark status
- Arcadia Homes removes 26 healthy trees for two new homes
- Save Shoreline Trees is now on Instagram!

### May-June 2022

- Save Shoreline Trees to have booth at Shoreline Farmers Market beginning June 4
- New tree codes will make a difference
- Take the survey about the sidewalk installation on 20<sup>th</sup> Ave NW; loss of trees to sidewalk project on 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NE
- 400-unit complex at 17802 Linden Ave N will remove 40+ mature trees due to zone code
- 16835 Fremont: 32 significant trees to be removed; developer selects dying trees towards retention count

Who to call about tree protection?

# **December 2021** Year in Review by Melody Fosmore

## October 2021

- Proposed Tree Codes in review by Planning Commission
- Sidewalk widths on Council agenda as announced by CM Roberts at Candidate Forum
- About tree roots by John Hushagen
- Remove ivy and create survival rings by Judy MacCully
- Colorful Maples by Kathy Kaye
- Save Shoreline Trees featured at Shoreline Library

## September 2021

- Save Shoreline Trees 1<sup>st</sup> Fundraiser with Lynda Mapes as guest speaker
- Save Shoreline Trees and League of Women Voters sponsor Council Candidate Forum
- Western Red Cedar Dieback by Melody Fosmore
- 95 Trees saved along Dayton Ave N
- "Westminster 6" to be cut down
- 198<sup>th</sup> St development closed to comment
- Decline in number of public right- of-way street trees in Shoreline

## August 2021

- Trees along N 160<sup>th</sup> will be cut down
- Giant Sequoia by Melody Fosmore
- Epiphytes by Stuart Niven
- Controversy about new sidewalk widths
- Trees and housing can co-exist
- 36" dbh Pacific Madrone to be removed for 198<sup>th</sup> St development

## **July 2021**

- Shore Pine by Boni Biery
- Boeing Creek Park Hidden Lake dam removal
- Benefits of conifer trees
- The Last 6,000 identifies and maps Seattle's remaining majestic trees
- DEV19-2838 reduction in 65 replacement trees approved

### **June 2021**

- Douglas Fir by Melody Fosmore
- Shoreline's Transportation Master Plan and width of sidewalks
- Candidates launch campaigns for Council all unopposed
- Future of Shoreline: 83 permits for townhouse and multifamily buildings in 2020

- Tree removal counts at development sites as of May 2021
- Appeal to protect the original landmark designation of Fircrest Naval Chapel
- 16835 Fremont Ave N: Arcadia Homes project to remove 24 trees
- Lone tree on N 145<sup>th</sup>: protection complaint made to City

## May 2021

- Pacific Madrone by Kathy Kaye
- PRCS/Tree Board new board members
- In memory of Douglas fir protected by owner for 34 years
- City of Shoreline 2020 Sustainability Report
  - Timeline of trees removed along I-5
  - Analysis of Douglas fir CO2 peak annual sequestration
  - One Douglas fir sequesters 14 tons of carbon in first 100 years (Forterra)
- Concerns about removal of evergreens by Rebecca Jones
- Council election in November
- Is there a permit to remove that tree?

## **April 2021**

- Proposed Park Bond review of impact to trees by Barbara Johnstone
- Link: Shoreline's Apartment Boom by Shaun Kao, The Urbanist, 3-24-21
- Amend the development code to protect trees by Susanne Tsoming, Shoreline Area News, 3-21 21
- Hillwood Neighborhood: parcel on N 192<sup>nd</sup> St to remain as R-18 zone. Residents want this greenbelt of 100+ native trees as a possible green space.
- "Dear Dayton Trees" resident notes to trees.

### **March 2021**

- Council Strategic Planning Workshop 3/5/21 to 3/6/21: lengthy discussion about tree canopy
- Hillwood Neighborhood zone issue on 192<sup>nd</sup> St; Parkwood Neighborhood developments; Pulte "358 Degrees" on Westminster Way N; 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NE new sidewalk project
- Highland Terrace: WSDOT frontage renovation
- Sound Transit planting replacement trees along I-5: 4500 native trees; 1400 non-native trees by 2022.
- City street tree inventory pilot program in Meridian Park neighborhood
- Kudos to Janet Way and Seattle Preservation Society for Naval Hospital Chapel and Fircrest historic landmark designation