

CITY OF COOS BAY TREE BOARD

Agenda Staff Report

MEETING DATE	AGENDA ITEM NUMBER
June 24, 2026	3.a

TO: Chair Vandervelden and Board Members

FROM: Lance Noel, Transportation / Facilities Superintendent

THROUGH: Greg Hamblet, Operations Administrator

ISSUE: Tree Removal Request for 892 Fir Avenue

SUMMARY:

The Tree Board will consider the tree removal request for 892 Fir Avenue.

ACTION REQUESTED:

If it pleases the Board, approve staff's recommendations to approve the removal of the tree located in the right-of-way at 892 Fir Avenue.

BACKGROUND:

On March 26, 2026, the City of Coos Bay received an application from Christine Sylvester, owner of the property located at 892 Fir Avenue, requesting the removal of a tree located within the public right-of-way adjacent to her residence. Staff evaluated the tree and identified several structural defects and conditions that increase the likelihood of failure. Due to the potential risk posed to the adjacent property and nearby telecommunications infrastructure, staff has determined that the tree constitutes a hazard and supports its removal. Therefore, staff recommends approval of the request and removal of the tree for public safety reasons.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

The homeowner will remove the trees at their expense.

ATTACHMENT(S):

- 892 Fir St assessment 1.pdf
- 892 Fir St.pdf
- ROW Tree Removal Request_Sylvester.pdf
- 4623.png
- 4624.png
- 4625.png
- 4626.png