

Memorandum

TO: City Council
FROM: Krista Billerbeck , Natural resources manager
DATE: August 18, 2025
SUBJECT: Tree removal on city right of way and property
ITEM NUMBER: 8.j
SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA

REQUESTED MOTION

To accept the quote from Tree Trust Landscape Services in the amount of \$40,549.20 for tree removal on city property and right of way

INTRODUCTION

Staff is seeking to remove a group of boulevard ash trees and additional trees as part of the 2025 tree removal budget.

DISCUSSION

Staff solicited quotes for boulevard ash tree removals in 2025 and brought quotes to the January 6, 2025 council meeting. The city council accepted the quotes from Tree Trust Landscape Services for work that took place in the first half of the year. There are additional trees in need of removal and remaining funds in the 2025 tree removal budget. Tree Trust Landscape Services agreed to extend the same pricing for boulevard ash tree removals this fall. The contractor also provided separate quotes for the removal of a small number of additional trees of other species. The work would remove approximately 30 trees for a total cost of \$40,549.20. The majority of trees to be removed are the next round of boulevard ash removals and stump grinding plus a small number of trees of other species in need of removal that are dead or due to storm damage.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the city council accept the quote from Tree Trust Landscape Services in the amount of \$40,549.20 for the removal of trees on city right of way and property.

ATTACHMENTS