

CITY OF SAFETY HARBOR  
BUILDING DEPARTMENT

***Application for Tree Removal Permit***

750 Main Street, Safety Harbor, Florida 34695 (727) 724-1515

**Trees not requiring a permit:** trees not on the protected tree list, trees with trunks under 4" measured 4.5 feet above existing grade and dead trees do not require a tree removal permit.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

PERMIT # \_\_\_\_\_

**PROPERTY INFORMATION**

Parcel ID # \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
*Section Township Range Subdivision Block Lot*

Site Address \_\_\_\_\_

Subdivision Name \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Development  Residential (\$25.00)  Non-Residential (\$100.00)

Reason for Removal \_\_\_\_\_  
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**OWNER INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTRACTOR INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

FAX # \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the approximate location of each tree that you are requesting to be removed by designating their location(s) with an "X" in the sample diagram to the right.



This application becomes a permit only upon approval. This permit expires six (6) months from the date of approval. Any tree removal prior to the approval of this permit subjects the owner/contractor to a violation notice, citation and/or fine. I will abide by the above stipulation regarding approval.

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Tree Removal:** List the species and size of each protected tree to be removed below. Attach additional sheets if needed:

Tree	Protected Tree Species	Size (DBH Inches)	Completed by City Staff	
			Replacement Ratio (Code Sec. 153.07)	Total # of Trees to be Replaced
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				

DBH = diameter in inches of a tree measured at 4.5 feet above existing grade.

**Tree Replacement:** List the size and species of each protected tree to be replanted below. Attach additional sheets if needed:

Tree	Protected Tree Species	Size (DBH Inches)	Quantity	Completed by City Staff	
				Replacement Requirement Met?	Replacement Fee:
1				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
2				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
3				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
4				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
5				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
6				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
7				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

<sup>1</sup> DBH = diameter, in inches, of a tree measured at 4.5 feet above the existing grade

**City Staff Only**

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Staff Comments:

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Required replacement trees or other mitigation: \_\_\_\_\_

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Replacement trees must be selected from protected tree list

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Denied \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Inspector: \_\_\_\_\_

Protected trees are any living native shade tree set forth on the table below or Sabal Palm/Cabbage Palm (Sabal Palmetto) having a DBH of 4 inches or greater and that is not specifically excluded from protection or a Dead Tree.

Replacement trees are to have a trunk diameter of 2 inches measured at twelve (12) inches above grade and be eight (8) foot in height with a spread of four (4) feet. Trees to meet ‘Grades and Standards for Nursery Plants’ Florida Grade 1 or better.

#### PROTECTED TREE LIST

	<i>Scientific Name</i>	<b>Common Name</b>
1	<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red Maple
2	<i>Carya glabra</i>	Pignut Hickory
3	<i>Carya illinoensis</i>	Pecan
4	<i>Celtis laevigata</i>	Sugarberry
5	<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	Persimmon, Common Persimmon
6	<i>Ilex cassine</i>	Dahoon Holly
7	<i>Ilex opaca</i>	American Holly
8	<i>Juniperus silicicola</i> or <i>virginiana</i> cultivars	Southern Redcedar, Eastern Redcedar
9	<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>	Sweetgum
10	<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i> cultivars	Southern Magnolia, Magnolia
11	<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	Sweetbay, Swamp Magnolia
12	<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	Blackgum, Black Tupelo
13	<i>Pinus elliottii</i>	Slash Pine
14	<i>Pinus palustris</i>	Longleaf Pine
15	<i>Pinus taeda</i>	Loblolly Pine
16	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>	Sycamore
17	<i>Quercus geminata</i>	Sand Live Oak
18	<i>Quercus laurifolia</i>	Laurel Oak, Diamond Leaf Oak
19	<i>Quercus laevis</i>	Turkey Oak
20	<i>Quercus nigra</i>	Water Oak
21	<i>Quercus virginiana</i> cultivars	Live Oak
22	<i>Taxodium ascendens</i>	Pond Cypress
23	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	Baldcypress
24	<i>Ulmus alata</i>	Winged Elm
25	<i>Ulmus Americana</i>	American Elm