

**ORDINANCE No. 188244**

Approve the designation of seven trees as City of Portland Heritage Trees and remove the Heritage Tree designation from five trees (Ordinance)

The City of Portland ordains:

Section 1. The Council finds:

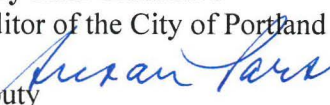
1. Section 11.20.060 of the City Code provides for the listing, designation, and maintenance of Heritage Trees within the city which, because of their age, size, type, historical association or horticultural value, are of special importance to the City.
2. The Heritage Tree Committee has inspected and evaluated seven significant trees nominated for inclusion in the Portland Heritage Tree program. The Committee presented its findings to Portland's Urban Forestry Commission, a volunteer body. The Urban Forestry Commission recommends that City Council designate these trees as Heritage Trees.
3. Section 11.20.060 of the City Code further instructs that "The Urban Forestry Commission (UFC) makes a recommendation to City Council as to whether the Heritage Tree designation should be removed from a tree...City Council may remove the designation if it finds that the designation is no longer appropriate." Urban Forestry Commission recommends five trees listed below be removed from the list because they have died and were physically removed or are dying and need to be removed. This action will reconcile the 2015 Heritage Tree list with current designations.

NOW, THEREFORE, The Council Directs:

- a. Under the provision of PCC 11.20.060, the following seven trees are designated as Heritage Trees and are included in Portland's Heritage Tree Program:
  - 1) *Taxodium distichum*, Bald cypress, privately owned tree at 4600 SW Maplewood Rd.
  - 2) *Pinus bungeana*, Lacebark pine, privately owned tree at 4600 SW Maplewood Rd.
  - 3) *Quercus rubra*, Northern red oak, privately owned tree at 6824 SE 34<sup>th</sup> Ave.
  - 4) *Ulmus glabra 'Camperdownii'*, Camperdown elm, privately owned tree at 4223 SE 67<sup>th</sup> Ave.
  - 5) *Pinus ponderosa*, Ponderosa pine, publicly owned tree at 6804 N Campbell Ave.
  - 6) *Carpinus betulus*, European hornbeam, publicly owned tree in Fernhill Park, NE 39th and NE Holman Ave.

- 7) *Carpinus betulus*, European hornbeam, publicly owned tree in Fernhill Park, NE 39th and NE Holman Ave.
- b. Under the provisions of PCC 11.20.060, Heritage Tree designation is removed from the following five trees because the trees are dying or have been removed:
- 1) *Castanea dentata*, American chestnut, privately owned tree at 1108 SE Lexington St., designated in 1998.
  - 2) *Betula pendula x B. pubescens*, birch hybrid, privately owned tree at 7025 N Seward Ave., designated in 1995.
  - 3) *Ulmus americana*, American elm, privately owned tree at 2417 SW 16<sup>th</sup> Ave., designated 1997.
  - 4) *Ulmus americana*, American elm, publically owned tree at 710 NE 32<sup>nd</sup> Ave., designated 1995.
  - 5) *Ulmus x hollandica* 'Hollandica,' Dutch elm, publically owned tree at 704 NW 21<sup>st</sup> Ave, designated in 1999.

Passed by the Council: FEB 22 2017  
Mayor Wheeler  
Prepared by: David-Paul Hedberg  
January 23, 2017

**Mary Hull Caballero**  
Auditor of the City of Portland  
By   
Deputy

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**INTRODUCED BY**  
Commissioner/Auditor:  
**FRITZ**

**COMMISSIONER APPROVAL**

Mayor—Finance & Administration - Wheeler

Position 1/Utilities - Fritz *Amend Fritz*

Position 2/Works - Fish

Position 3/Affairs - Saltzman

Position 4/Safety - Eudaly

**BUREAU APPROVAL**

Bureau: Parks & Recreation  
Bureau Head: Mike Abbate *Mike Abbate*

Prepared by: David-Paul Hedberg  
Date Prepared: January 23, 2017

Impact Statement  
Completed  Amends Budget

Portland Policy Document  
If "Yes" requires City Policy paragraph stated in document.  
Yes  No

**City Auditor Office Approval:**  
required for Code Ordinances

**City Attorney Approval:**  
required for contract, code, easement, franchise, comp plan, charter

Council Meeting Date **February 15, 2017**

CLERK USE: DATE FILED **FEB 07 2017**

Mary Hull Caballero  
Auditor of the City of Portland

By: *[Signature]*  
Deputy

**ACTION TAKEN:**  
**FEB 15 2017 PASSED TO SECOND READING FEB 22 2017 9:30 A.M.**

**AGENDA**

**TIME CERTAIN**   
Start time: \_\_\_\_\_  
Total amount of time needed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

**CONSENT**

**REGULAR**   
Total amount of time needed: **15 Minutes**  
(for presentation, testimony and discussion)

FOUR-FIFTHS AGENDA	COMMISSIONERS VOTED AS FOLLOWS:	
	YEAS	NAYS
1. Fritz	1. Fritz <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2. Fish	2. Fish <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3. Saltzman	3. Saltzman <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
4. Eudaly	4. Eudaly <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Wheeler	Wheeler <input type="checkbox"/>	