ORDINANCE No. 187776

Approve the designation of six trees as City of Portland Heritage Trees and remove the Heritage Tree designation from two 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 six 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 the trees listed below be removed from the list because they have died and were physically. 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 six trees are designated as Heritage Trees and are included in Portland's Heritage Tree Program:
 - 1) *Arbutus menziesii*, madrone, publicly owned tree in the right-of-way at 8018 SE Bush St.
 - 2) *Metasequoia glyptostroboides*, Dawn redwood, privately owned tree at 4600 SW Maplewood Rd.
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 - Prunus X 'Shirotae', Mt. Fuji flowering cherry, privately owned tree at 221 NE 58th Ave.
 - 5) *Quercus garryana*, Oregon white oak, publicly owned tree in Fernhill Park at NE 39th Ave. and NE Holman St.
 - 6) *Sequoia semervirens*, coast redwood, publicly owned tree in the right-of-way between N. Princeton St. and N. Syracuse St.

- b. Under the provisions of PCC 11.20.060, Heritage Tree designation is removed from the following two trees because the trees have died or been removed:
 - 1) *Abies grandis,* grand fir, privately owned tree at 252 NW Maywood Dr., designated in 2003
 - Pinus densiflora, Japanese red pine, publicly owned tree in the right-of-way at 110 NE 39th Ave., designated in 1995

Passed by the Council: JUN 0 1 2016

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