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To: Wheeler, Mayor; Commissioner Ryan Office; Commissioner Hardesty; Commissioner Mapps; Commissioner Rubio;

<u>Council Clerk – Testimony</u>

**Subject:** South Park Blocks, please reject CUTTING/culling of trees.

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Elm trees sequester FAR MORE carbon than evergreens.

We are already in a climate catastrophe.

KEEP THE CURRENT TREES.

We need more trees, more carbon sequestration, not less.

Humans are facing a global existential crisis.

Do not make the problem worse by approving the destruction of the current tree canopy and root system in S. Park Blocks.

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