



Planning & Development
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APPLICATION FOR TREE REMOVAL

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

A non-refundable filing fee of \$15.00 for up to five (5) trees is required, plus \$3.00 for each additional tree. Tree removal that is part of construction must be submitted in conjunction with the building permit (BCP). Tree Removal permits may not be faxed in. They may be submitted online by registered tree services.

Permit

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

Name of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner Builder: [ ] Yes [ ] No

Owner-builders must apply in person and provide evidence of homestead or proof of primary residency at the site address. Multi-family/Commercial properties (including condo associations) may not submit as owner-builder.

Property Use: [ ] Single Family/ Duplex [ ] Multi-Family/Commercial
(Check one box)

Single family & duplex uses include only a single-unit detached dwelling or a duplex consisting of two attached dwellings. Multi-family/ Commercial includes all attached-dwellings and residential uses consisting of three or more dwelling units regardless of ownership type (rental or owner-occupied). Non-residential uses include but are not limited to retail sales and service, retail plazas, office, restaurant, indoor recreation and entertainment, overnight accommodation and any other use not specifically designated as a residential use in the Community Development Code. The Community Development Coordinator or his/her designee shall make any final determination as to the classification of any specific use not listed in this provision.

Reason for Removal: \_\_\_\_\_
Please be aware, regarding property damage, the burden of proof is on the applicant. Failure to submit adequate supporting material may result in a denial.

Species to be removed: \_\_\_\_\_

Number Requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Trees: \_\_\_\_\_
Please be as specific as possible, use cardinal directions (N,S,E,W) and/or provide a map and/or mark the tree(s) with a ribbon. Access to the tree(s) must be provided (i.e. gates left open, obstructions removed, animals contained). Failure to provide enough information to identify the trees or lack of access to the site may result in additional visits and re-inspection fees.

Tree Replacement Requirements may apply.

I hereby certify that as a representative of the property owner I have verified that the tree(s) sought to be removed is wholly on the property owned by the above - identified property owner, and should it be determined that the tree(s) are located wholly or partially on property owned by some other person, then, I agree to hold the City of Clearwater harmless in any claim made for wrongful removal of such tree(s). I hereby certify that this application together with any plans submitted is a true representation of all facts concerning the proposed removal of the tree(s). Any deviation from the permit issued shall render it null and void and be considered a violation of the Community Development Code.

Signature of Owner or Owner's Representative

Printed Name

Address

City State Zip Code

Representative's Firm BTR / REG

Email

Telephone Fax

Tree Removal Permit Application fees are non-refundable and payment does not indicate that the application has been or will be approved.  
Do not remove trees until the permit has been reviewed and approved.