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Sarah,

I am currently listening to you speak for planning commission meeting on the Urban Tree Program. Thank you for bringing this to issue to our community. I am a tree lover and protector.

Under the Urban Tree Program is there a plan to protect old growth trees that are located on privately owned properties? For example, a neighbor cut down an old growth pine tree that was probably close to 100 years old. I don't believe the tree was a danger to the home or surrounding area. The loss of that tree was very devastating to many of the neighbors. These types of trees should be protected.

Many of the developers, if not most, in Camas have devastated the land by ripping trees out of the earth without integrating them into the master plan.

Please, can you do something about this? We need trees to protect our air, water and the beauty of our community.

Thank you,

Geri Rubano

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