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CITY USE ONLY		
PERMIT #	RECEIPT #	FEE
REFERENCE #		
Date Received:		

TREE TRIMMING/CUTTING PERMIT APPLICATION

Received By: _____

Property Owner: Michael Boyle Phone: 206-769-7664

Address: 3603 West Mercer Way

Contractor: Fatboy Construction Phone: 206-769-7664

Address: 420 125th Street S. Tacoma, WA 98444

Email: mike@fatboyconstruction.net

Applicant Name: Michael Boyle Phone: 206-769-7664

Description of tree(s) to be cut (location, species, diameter, number of trees):
 See attached tree plan for trees to be removed.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. All work is to be done at the applicant's expense, including clean up and removal of all debris.
2. Standard safety precautions of the tree care industry are to be adhered to at all times.
3. The work is to be performed in such a way as not to do damage to any road surface, overhead or underground utilities.
4. Traffic control is the responsibility of the applicant. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure the contractor is informed of this.
5. The City assumes no liability in connection with this action.
6. All traffic lane restrictions and closures require a 24 hour notice to Police Dispatch at **425.577.5656**.
7. This permit is valid for one (1) year from issuance date.

NOTICE TO APPLICANT

In accepting this permit, the permittee, his successors, heirs and assigns agree to protect and hold harmless the City of Mercer Island from all claims, action or damages of every kind and description which may accrue to or suffered by any persons, corporations or property by reason of the performance of the above described work, cost of materials and labor, character of materials used or manner of installation, maintenance and operation, and in case any such suit or action is brought against said City of Mercer Island or damage arising out of or by reason of any of the above causes, the grantee, his successors, heirs or assigns will upon notice to him or them of commencement of such action, defend the same at his or their own sole expense and will fully satisfy any judgement after the said suit or action shall have finally been determined if adversely to the City of Mercer Island.

The city arborist may revoke, annul or terminate this permit if grantee fails to comply with any or all of its provisions, requirement or regulations as herein set forth or through willful or unreasonable neglect, fails to heed or comply with notices given him.

I hereby certify that I am the owner of the subject property or I have been authorized by the owner(s) of the subject property to represent this application and that I have read and examined the application and know the same to be true and correct. All provisions of laws and ordinances governing this type of work will be met whether specified herein or not. The granting of a permit does not presume to give authority to violate or cancel the provisions of any other state or local law regulating construction of the performance of construction.

Signature of Owner/Authorized Agent  Date 10/10/17

Approved: City Arborist: _____

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR DIRECTIONS ON GETTING A TREE PERMIT

OBTAINING A TREE PERMIT

1. Fill out and submit a "Tree Trimming/Cutting Permit Application" to the City Hall
- OR**
2. Make an appointment for a site visit with the city arborist by calling **206.275.7713**.
 3. If a Tree Permit is required, please fill out applicable paperwork which will include the Tree Permit Condition Sheet, Tree Permit and possibly a Geologic Hold Harmless.
 4. Once your replacement trees are installed, please call for an installation inspection by calling **206.275.7730**.

NOTICE

A tree permit only considers and authorizes the cutting of trees designated by the permit applicant and as approved by the City. If the owner wishes to cut trees that are not designated for removal on the permit, contact the City to inquire as to whether an amendment to this permit is possible. At the site visit the City Arborist will conduct brief visual inspection(s) from the ground to determine whether it is readily apparent that the subject tree(s) qualify for cutting under Chapter 19.10 MICC. However, the City does not conduct more detailed hazard tree assessment(s) of the tree. If, after visual inspection, it is not readily apparent that the tree qualifies for a permit under Chapter 19.10 MICC, the owner/applicant is responsible for demonstrating that the tree meets the applicable conditions and criteria required for a permit under Chapter 19.10 MICC. For example, some trees may look healthy and still have root decay or other abnormalities that cannot be detected by a brief ground level visual inspection. Therefore, detailed testing by a certified arborist is recommended and might include an aerial inspection of the above ground tree structure and canopy, pathological review of roots and soil samples, or coring and resistographing of the trunk. If further investigation reveals potential hazards, call the City Arborist for potential removal and revision of the tree permit.