
Re: Tree at 31 Fore St.

1 message

Mary Casale <dirtgirl1@aol.com>

To: Jean Fraser <jf@portlandmaine.gov>

Jean,

Glad to hear that Mr. Tarling considers this a nice healthy tree.

And if that's the case why should it be removed ? A "safe location " for the driveway,he states .

Then isn't it upon the developer to configure the driveway in a location that's safe.? Or should we continue to take down trees because they included more photos of where the trees are located next to a number of driveways on Waterville St. , I would say 5 ft or less next to drivew assuming that root growth was taken into account .

I think , if truth be told , the reason for taking down this healthy mature tree is that it's location would diminish the view from that side of the redesign , it will come down and the neighborhood loses again.

Also in reference to the comment that this is not a "view corridor " . I have included photos of the view down Waterville St. While it may no assure you that I and anyone living on this street would beg to differ.

Please forward comments and photos to the Planning Board. Thank you Jean.

Mary Casale











Sent from my iPad

On Mar 8, 2016, at 2:38 PM, Jean Fraser <jf@portlandmaine.gov> wrote:

Mary

Thank you for sending the photo- the Planning Board were concerned at the loss of the tree but there were members of the public wh

I will include this in the PB packet (I anticipate the PB Hearing will be the evening of March 22) - Jeff Tarling agrees it is a nice tree ar
this site would probably need to remove that tree in order to locate the driveway in a safe location.

I went back to Jeff after the PB Workshop and he feels that even if the driveway were relocated to miss the tree, that the tree would no
roots.

Thank you
Jean

On Sun, Mar 6, 2016 at 3:09 PM, Mary Casale <dirtgirl1@aol.com> wrote:

Hello Jean ,
Don't know if it's too late but I found this picture of the tree in question. I think it gives a better idea of what it really looks like with f
Please forward to the Planning Board .
Thank you
Mary Casale

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