



Attachment B:

March 27, 2017 Council Meeting Minutes
Excerpt

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12 K de K Court Boulevard Trees

Council discussed the on-table submission received from the Strata Council of 12 K de K Court.

MOVED and SECONDED

THAT staff be directed to undertake thorough pruning of the existing three boulevard trees at 12 K de K Court and increase the tree pruning cycle to once every three years as described in Option #3 in the report dated March 27, 2017;

THAT staff be directed to research existing regional policies related to city tree planting and city tree maintenance in relation to the preservation of view-scapes and report back to Council; and,

THAT staff investigate the following requests as submitted by the Strata of 12 K de K Court:

1. Reduce the overall perimeter of the trees (the height and width) by a minimum of 20% through drop crotch pruning techniques;
2. Provide a crown clean to ensure that light passes through the branches, and that residents have the ability to see through the trees;
3. Raise the canopy of the trees to eight feet;
4. City staff conduct pruning and trimming in consultation with the Strata Council of 12 K de K Court; and,
5. The City will maintain the reduced size and openness of the trees by pruning on an annual basis as necessary.

CARRIED.

All members of Council present voted in favour of the motion.