



REQUEST FOR ATTENTION TO MUNICIPAL TREE

PENNINGTON BOROUGH

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The Borough Shade Tree Committee advises Borough Council in the exercise of its authority over the regulation, planting, care and removal of municipal shade and ornamental trees and shrubbery in the public right-of-way and public property of the Borough.

Recommendations regarding shade trees in the Borough public right of way are made with consideration of the following issues:

- The safety of the public;
- The condition or health of the tree;
- The appropriateness of the location of the tree or shrub;
- The significance of the tree for preservation of the urban forest;
- Opportunities for planting replacement trees or shrubbery conforming with Shade Tree Committee specifications;
- The immediacy of the need for action;
- The availability of public or private financing for the action contemplated; and
- Other factors favoring removal or non-removal of the tree in the best interests of the Borough and its residents.

A Borough representative will perform a site inspection and assessment and you will be notified when your request has been processed. Please note that requests will be considered but may not be approved.

Name of Applicant: _____ Best Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____ Date submitted: _____

Property Address: _____ Block: _____ Lot: _____

Reason for Request (trim, prune, evaluation, new tree planting, removal, etc.)

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**Department of Public Works –
International Society of Arborists Certified Staff Member Comments & Assessment**

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DPW Date of Review _____ Reviewed by _____

**Shade Tree Committee –
Licensed Tree Expert (LTE)/ Tree Risk Assessment Qualified (TRAQ) Committee Member Comments & Assessment**

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LTE/TRAQ Date of Review _____ Reviewed by _____

**Shade Tree Committee –
NJ Urban & Community Forestry CORE Trained Comments and Assessment**

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STC Date of Review _____ Submitted by _____