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Hello city council,

I urge the council to review the design for the sidewalks on this street between 175th and 182nd, and provide the opportunity for public comment. There are solutions that can be done instead of removing the healthy trees that have been done elsewhere and have been shown to be successful:

- -- Wrap the sidewalk around the trees!!
- -- Elevate the sidewalk to avoid having to remove tree roots
- -- Put a bike lane on the west side and put the 6' sidewalk on the east.

It's critical that we start preserving all healthy trees. Removing healthy, mature trees and planting new ones is not acceptable. We must save healthy, mature trees to keep our city healthy and beautiful.

Best regards, Tina Carter 15311 Ashworth P1 N Shoreline

You become responsible forever for what you've tamed.

-- Antoine de Saint-Exupéry

When you are older, you realize that everything else is nothing compared to drawing and painting.

--- David Hockney