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7. Please support the following proposed tree codes:
  - \* 6" Significant tree definition and 24" Landmark tree definition means more trees will mature and store carbon;
  - \* Penalties for injury to trees at development sites;
  - \* Provide incentives to developers to save more trees;
  - \* Remove Director authority to "waive or reduce" tree retention and tree replacement code requirements, except on R-4 and R-6 zones;
  - \* Ensure that tree removals on large properties are subject to tree codes.

The proposed tree codes:

- \* preserve and protect trees on development sites that are occurring in many Shoreline neighborhoods
- \* apply to MUR-35' and MUR-45' zones, along with residential (with some exceptions)
- \* offer a balance to Shoreline Municipal Code allowing all trees to be removed on seven (7) zones: CB, NB, MB, MUR-70, TC 1-2-3.

I support these proposed TREE CODES that are being denied by City Staff. Please think big picture: we need housing but we cannot allow loss of tree cover and accompanying concrete heat islands, which endanger human health and the environment.

Thank you,  
City of Shoreline

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