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- **1.** (o) Ms.
- **2.** Sarah Kaye
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- **4.** (o) Briarcrest
- **5.** STCKAYE@GMAIL.COM
- **6.** 11/21/2022
- **7.** Biennial Budget Amendments 2 & 3
- 8. Hello all,

As a long time Shoreline resident I have seen incremental events, no one of which appears to be a big deal, the sum of which has been to chip away and chip away at the collective tree canopy. If you're not paying attention, the small vocal group of citizens objecting to the loss of 10 trees here or 25 trees there appear to be over-reacting. As we have seen just recently in the street planting strip in front of Kellogg Middle School, removing mature trees and replacing them with nursery saplings subject to expected loss and drought (did anybody water those trees last summer? even once?) is not a way to sustain our tree population and their beneficial effects. We need more protection.

Please Vote YES to approve Amendment 2, to fund an Urban Tree Canopy (UTC) study in 2023. Please Vote YES to approve Amendment 3, to complete the inventory of public street trees in 2023 and require the protection of public street trees in heat islands once the public street tree surveys are complete.

	Thank you,
	Sarah Kaye
9.	(o) Support

Thank you,

City of Shoreline

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