

San Mateo County Tree Ordinances Update Project

A Collaboration of the Planning and Building, Parks, and Public Works Departments and the Office of Sustainability

Facilitated by the Peninsula Conflict Resolution Center

March 23rd, 2017

455 County Center, Room 101

9:30 – 12:00

Participant's Agenda

Meeting Objectives:

1. Discuss policy options for providing defensible space around structures, and the implications for trees.
2. Discuss policy options for arborist reports as part of development, and tree trimming and removal applications. Who can prepare them, and what should they contain?

9:30	Welcome and Greeting
9:35	Group and Facilitator Introductions, Agenda Review AddieRose Mayer, Facilitator, Peninsula Conflict Resolution Center
9:45	Presentations by Mike Schaller and Denise Enea on Objective #1: County policies governing the provision of defensible space and the implications for policies in the updated tree ordinance.
10:00	Committee Discussion Policy Options, Defensible Space - AddieRose Mayer
10:35	BREAK
10:45	Staff Presentation on Objective #2: Policy Options for Arborist Reports - Joe LaClair
11:05	Committee Discussion – Policy options for Arborist Reports – AddieRose Mayer
11:50	Wrap- up: Summary of Next Steps & Meeting Evaluation, AddieRose Mayer and Joe LaClair - Next meeting: May 25, 2017 455 County Center - Room 101
12:00	Close & Thank you