



DATE: September 2, 2025

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: City Clerk

SUBJECT: Adopt an Ordinance Amending Article 15 (Tree Preservation Ordinance) of Chapter 10 (Planning, Zoning and Subdivisions) Regarding Regulatory Guidelines for the Designation, Removal and Mitigation of Protected Trees in the City of Hayward

RECOMMENDATION

That the Council adopts the Ordinance introduced on August 19, 2025.

SUMMARY

This item entails adoption of an Ordinance amending Article 15 (Tree Preservation Ordinance) of Chapter 10 (Planning, Zoning and Subdivisions) regarding regulatory guidelines for the designation, removal and mitigation of protected trees in the City of Hayward, introduced on August 19, 2025, by Council Member Zermeño.

BACKGROUND

The Ordinance was introduced by Council Member Zermeño, at the August 19, 2025, meeting of the City Council with the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS: Andrews, Bonilla Jr., Goldstein, Roche, Syrop, Zermeño
	MAYOR Salinas
NOES:	NONE
ABSENT:	NONE
ABSTAIN:	NONE

STRATEGIC ROADMAP

The agenda item is a routine operational item and does not relate to one of the Council's Strategic Initiatives.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

PUBLIC CONTACT

The summary of the Ordinance was published in the Daily Review c/o Bay Area News Group-East Bay on Friday, August 29, 2025. Adoption, at this time, is therefore appropriate.

NEXT STEPS

The Hayward Municipal Code and other related documents will be updated accordingly.

Prepared and Recommended by: Miriam Lens, City Clerk

Approved by:



Jayanti Addleman, Interim City Manager