

**August 2008**

*Date:* 7/24/08

*Requested by:* John Kingsbury

*Address:* 1301 Carpinteria St., Santa Barbara, CA 93103

*Location of Tree:* 1301 Carpinteria St. on Canada Street side

**Tree Species:** (2) *Brachychiton populneus*      **Common Name:** BOTTLE TREE

*Requested Reason for Removal:* Small tree was hit by a car and is crooked. Small tree's roots are growing into water line and water meter box. Larger tree is also crooked and looks unhealthy. These tree roots cause damage to the sidewalk and street.

*Species recommended by the Approved Plan:* *Lophostemon confertus*, BRISBANE BOX

*Advisory Committee Recommendation:*      *Approve Removal:*       *Deny Removal:*

*Staff Recommendation:*      *Approve Removal:*       *Deny Removal:*

*Date Posted:* The Committee and staff recommend that the Commission approve removals on the condition two replacement trees be planted. The Committee and staff determined there were sound arboricultural reasons to remove these trees. The trees have not been fulfilling their jobs as trees, have no canopies, and look like they may not recover. In addition, one of the trees is too close to the water meter.

*Comments:* 8/13/08

**PHOTO INVENTORY**

