

**July 2019**

*Date:* 6/12/19

*Requested by:* Matthew Firestone [Matthew@VernonConstruction.com](mailto:Matthew@VernonConstruction.com)

*Address:* Po Box 4040 Santa Barbara, CA 93140

*Location of Tree:* 820 Lowena Dr., Santa Barbara, CA 93103

**Tree Species:** *Dracaena draco*, **Common Name:** Dragon Tree

*Requested Reason for Removal:* Tree is impacting our signed Public Works plan.

*Current designated Street Tree:* None

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

*Staff Recommendation:* Approve Removal:  Deny Removal:

*Date Posted:* 7/11/19

*Comments:* The Committee (5/0) recommends that the Commission deny the removal without prejudice. The Committee would like to re-consider the request after other options for ADA access have been explored to preserve the tree.

**PHOTO INVENTORY**





City of Santa Barbara  
 Parks and Recreation Department  
**STREET TREE REMOVAL APPLICATION**

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

JUN 16 2019  
 PARK & RECREATION  
 PARKS DIVISION

Mailing Address:  
 PO Box 1990  
 Santa Barbara, CA 93102  
 (805) 564-5433 FAX (805) 897-2524

Office Address:  
 402 E. Ortega St.  
 Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Application Fee: \$50 (effective July 1, 2010)

DATE OF REQUEST:	6/12/19
APPLICANT:	Matthew Firestone 805 245 0930 Vernon Construction
ADJACENT OWNER NAME: (IF DIFFERENT THAN APPLICANT):	Matthew@VernonConstruction.com
MAILING ADDRESS:	PO Box 4040 Santa Barbara CA 93140
DAYTIME PHONE:	805-636-3453
TREE LOCATION (Address):	820 Lowena Dr, Santa Barbara
TREE SPECIES (IF KNOWN):	
REASON(S) FOR REMOVAL:	Tree is in construction zone

**PAID**

**PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**

- Property owner letter, indicating reasons for removal. Also include whether:
  - The removal application is associated with new development or redevelopment of property
  - Status of development application, including whether the project is scheduled for review by the Single Family Design Board, Architectural Board of Review or Historic Landmarks Commission
  - The tree is a designated Specimen or Historic Tree
- Photo of tree(s) proposed for removal
- Development plan/Landscape plan

Street Tree Removal Application

June 17, 2019

915 E. Anapamu St.

Parks and Recreation Department,

We at Vernon Construction would like to remove the street tree on the neighboring property at 915 E. Anapamu St. Santa Barbara, CA, 93103. We would like to remove the tree because it is impacting our signed Public Works plan. The sidewalk addition is now a five foot sidewalk and the tree is directly in its path.



Sincerely,

Vernon Construction Inc

805-963-1244

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