

RESOLUTION NO. 317

A RESOLUTION FOR THE APPROVAL FOR THE REMOVAL OF SPECIFIC TREES
IN MEMORIAL PARK ADJACENT TO AND AROUND THE BOAT DOCK

WHEREAS, the City Staff has prepared a report on the above
captioned subject which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A", and

WHEREAS, the City Council has duly considered the subject
and the recommendation(s) contained in the staff report, and

WHEREAS, interested parties, if any, have had an opportunity
to be heard on the subject,


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the
City of Wilsonville does hereby adopt the staff report attached
hereto as Exhibit "A", with the recommendation(s) contained
therein and further instructs that action appropriate to the
recommendation(s) be taken.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Wilsonville at
a regular meeting thereof this 6th day of June,
1983, and filed with the Wilsonville City Recorder this same day.



WILLIAM G. LOWRIE, Mayor

ATTEST:



DEANNA J. THOM, City Recorder

CITY OF WILSONVILLE

MEMO

June 1, 1983
DATE

City Council Meeting: June 6, 1983
Agenda Category: Legal Business

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
FROM: LARRY BLANCHARD, PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR
SUBJECT: REMOVAL OF TREES FROM MEMORIAL PARK

Due to the high water level of the Willamette River this winter, a number of tree roots along the bank of the river were scoured enough to slide the trees into the river. Presently, two trees are on both the east and west end of the boat dock in Memorial Park and pose a hazard to boaters and swimmers. Also, four trees along the river bank, which extend over the boat dock, have had their roots scoured enough that they create a potential hazard. Presently, these trees are leaning at about a 20 degree tilt. As water is pumped to the tops of the trees, they may become heavier until eventually the trees potentially could fall on the dock. Since this is the recreational season, a potential hazard in this active use area would best be eliminated.

When this problem was first noticed, I contacted the State Marine Board, Port of Portland and Army Corp of Engineers. Their response to this situation was that the City of Wilsonville is responsible for the removal of the debris since neither of these agencies had programs for removal of debris this far upstream.

During the construction of Local Improvement District No. 6, a professional tree faller was used to fall some 4' diameter cedar trees near the Stangel's house. The trees were leaning toward the Stangel's house. A Mr. Orin Ost, Professional Timber Faller, cut each tree down and the trees landed not more than one foot outside the area designated for falling the trees.

Consequently, I asked Mr. Ost to give me an estimate to do the work. Since I have visually inspected his work and received excellent reference from people who have used Mr. Ost, I requested a proposal from Mr. Ost to:

Remove 4 trees from the River Bank as designated by the Public Works Department	\$675.00
Remove 2 trees west of the dock which are presently in the water.	100.00
Remove 2 trees which are east of the dock and are presently in the water.	200.00

EXHIBIT "A"

Removal of the trees includes hauling the trees to a designated spot in the park for eventual disassembly.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve Mr. Orin Ost to cut and remove the trees mentioned herein, for a total cost of \$975.00. Funds shall be allocated from Account No. 04-60-60640.

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