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Sent: Friday, February 8, 2019 4:14 PM

To: Mayor

Subject: Tree Removal Amendment

Dear Mayor,

I am a 26 year resident of Scarsdale. I would like to register my support of the proposed amendment coming up in next Wednesday's Board of Trustees meeting.

Please vote "YES" in support of the improved policy regarding residents needing to get permission from the Village to remove trees from their properties.

And also, for the Village to require residents who have removed trees to comply with planting a new tree of the same or similar species, I.e., large. sturdy, nut-bearing, traditional to Scarsdale (such as oaks, elms, pines, chestnuts, hickories, maples, etc., etc.

Hopefully, there would be an approved deadline in which residents must replant their trees.

When I first moved to Scarsdale there were soooo many huge trees that it felt like we were living in a forest which was so natural and beautiful.

Now I mostly see ornamental trees and quite empty properties with low growing flora.

It would be so lovely to go back to our forested days 😂!

Thank you very much in advance for any support that you and our trustees could show in getting this amendment passed.

Sincerely, Ruth Kohn 86 Greenacres Ave Scarsdale, NY 10583

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