



ARBORIST REPORT

Located at: 480 Eola Dr NW, Salem

Prepared for: Salem Audubon Society

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Evaluation performed: November 5, 2024

DESCRIPTION

Hazardous Tree Removal pursuant to SRC 808.030(d)(1).

Our company was contacted by Lee Slattum, representative of the Audubon Nature Reserve on behalf of the Salem Audubon Society, regarding the hazardous condition of an Oregon white oak tree. The tree is located on the SE corner of the Audubon Nature Reserve and in close proximity to the West Hills Village Apartments at 341 Senate St NW, Salem. *(Tree location is circled in maps on following two pages)*

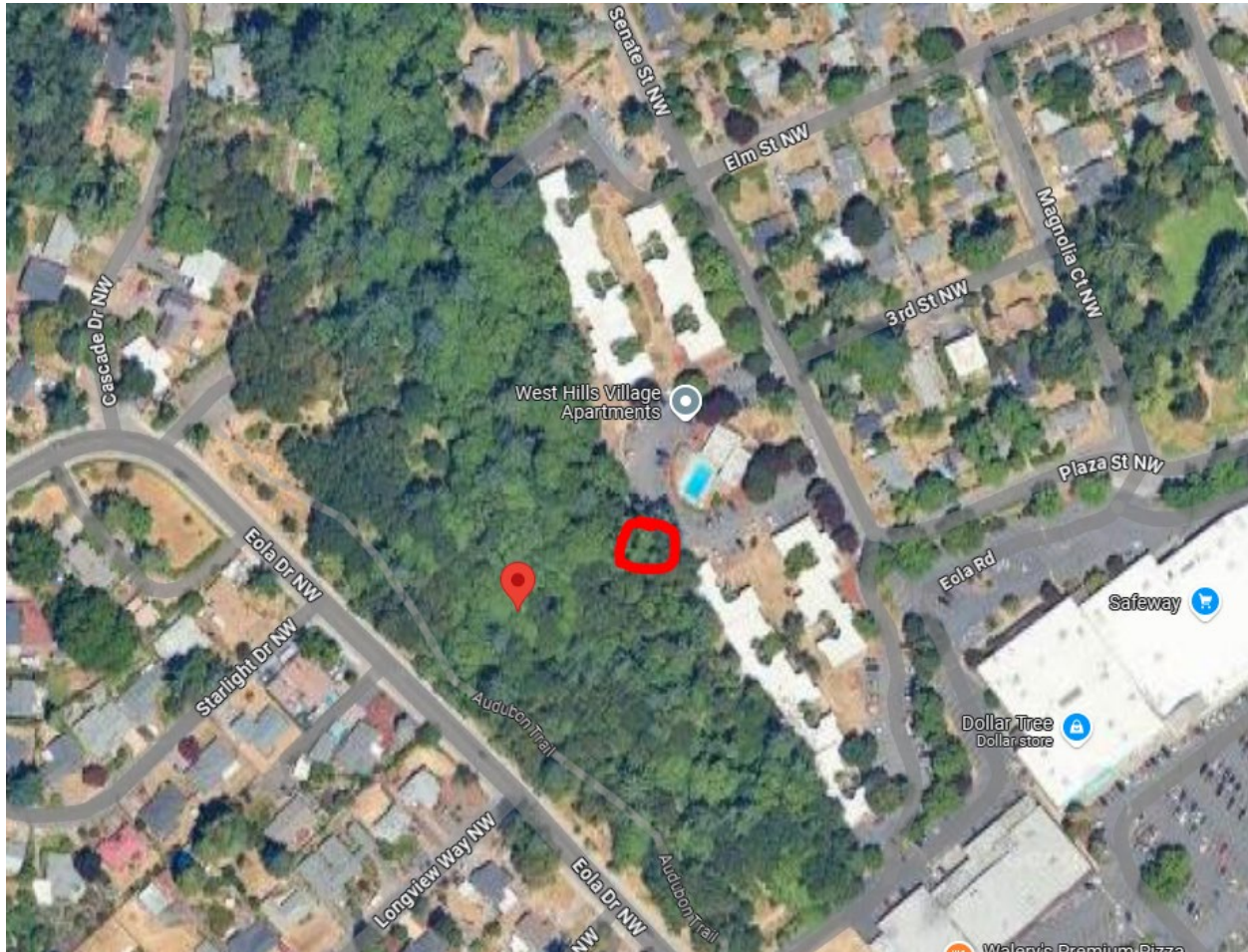
The tree measures at approximately 26" in diameter and requires a permit from the city of Salem to remove.

Upon inspection, looking into the lower cavity, you can see daylight through the middle of the tree and the shell wall appears to be below the ISA threshold for stable structural integrity. The cavity stretches vertically through the bole for several feet, further jeopardizing the structural integrity. The health of the tree is declining with noted large sections of the tree having minimal or necrotic foliage, minimizing the ability to properly photosynthesize to sustain life, and/or repair damages.

In my opinion, the removal is necessary due to the hazardous condition and location of the tree, especially in close proximity to the neighboring apartments, which present both a hazard and danger to persons and property. These hazards cannot be alleviated by treatment or pruning.

I recommend removing the tree for safety.

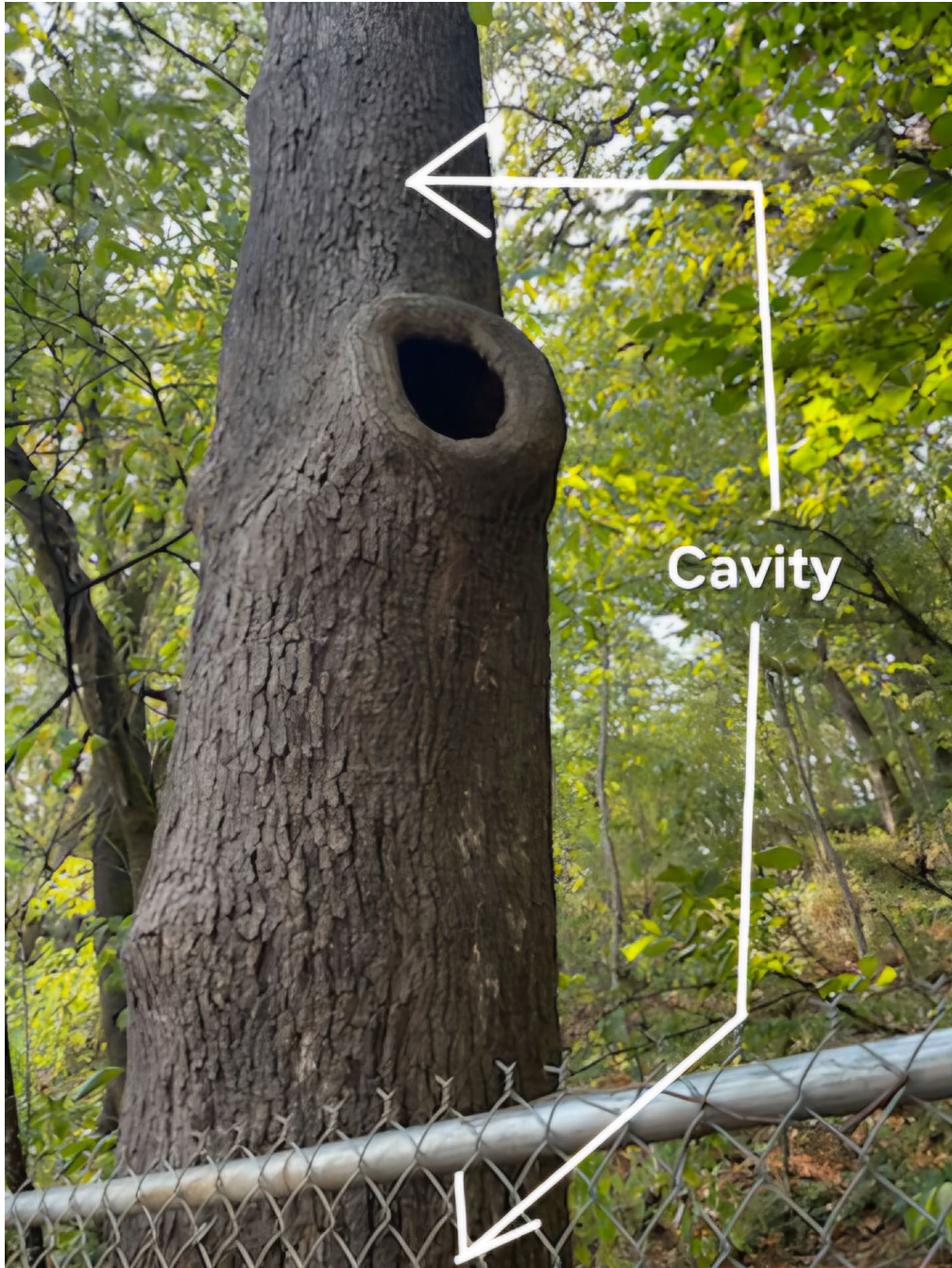
LOCATION – Overview



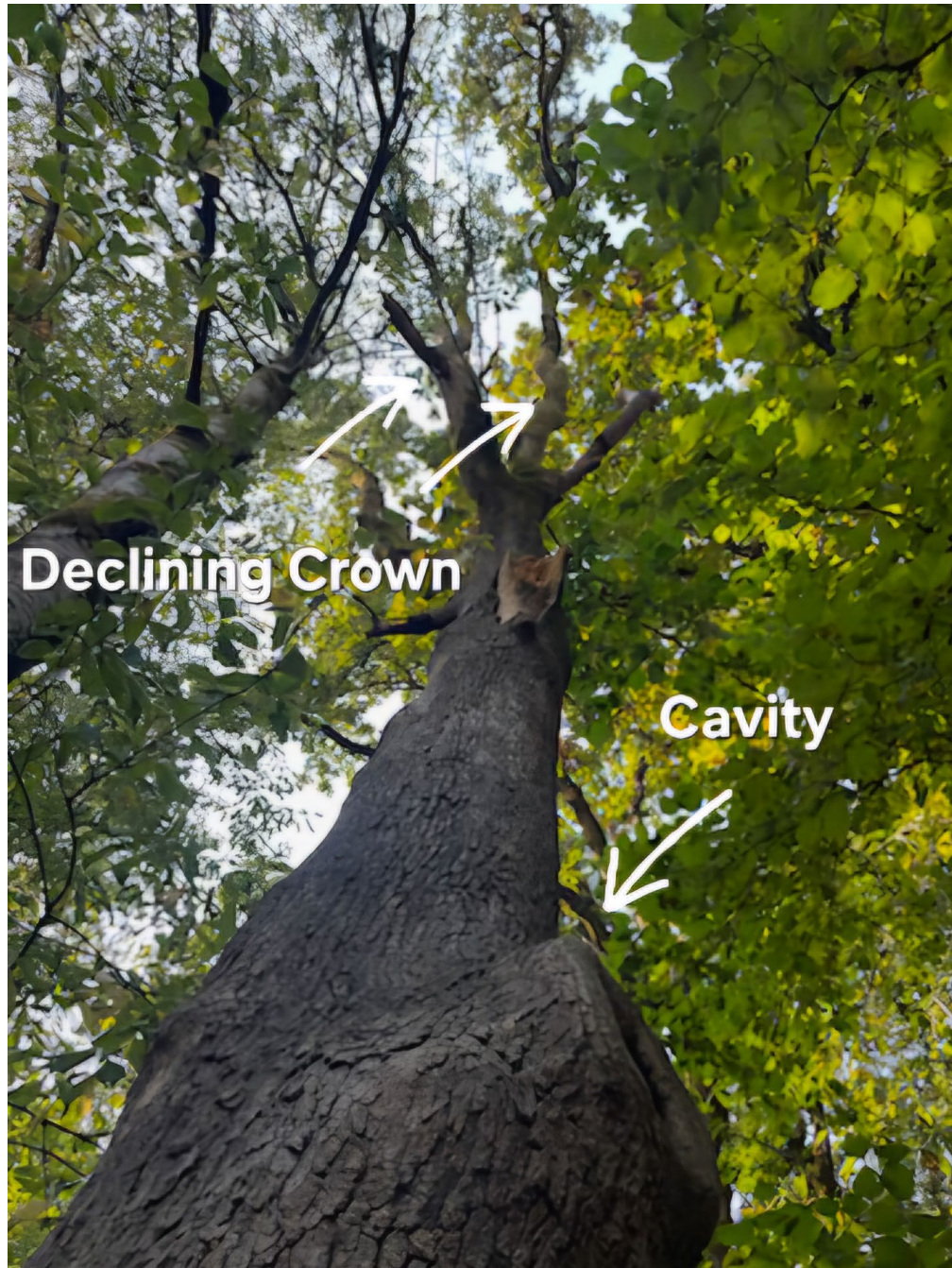
LOCATION – Tree



PICTURE 1
Taken 11/05/2024



PICTURE 2
Taken 11/05/2024



PICTURE 3
Taken 11/05/2024

