



Sunnyvale Urban Forest Advocates

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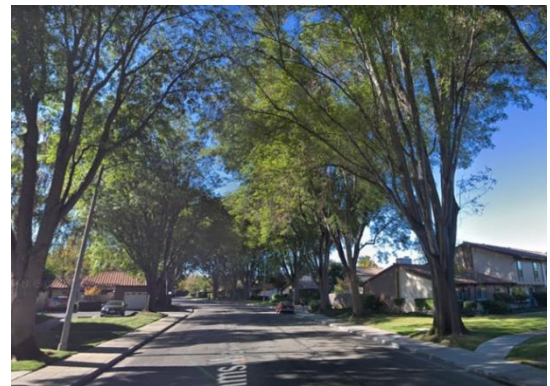
More Trees, Please!

The Sunnyvale Urban Forest Advocates (SUFA), an organization founded in 2014 to protect and increase Sunnyvale's urban forest, is spearheading the petition to plant more trees in the City of Sunnyvale. Trees are an essential part of our community! Sunnyvale's urban forest cools the city, helps manage stormwater runoff, improves the walkability of neighborhoods, removes pollutants, and sequesters carbon, to name a few!

Purpose of Petition

The petition's purpose is for the City of Sunnyvale to fully implement the Sunnyvale Urban Forest Management Plan (SUFMP), by funding the staff and equipment needed. The SUFMP was unanimously approved by the City Council back in 2014. The full text of the SUFMP can be found at

<https://www.sunnyvaletrees.org/urban-forest-management-plan/>



Goal

The goal is to plant 29,000 new trees - 14,000 in commercial areas and 15,000 in residential areas (of those, 5,000 are to be planted as street trees). Because the trees are not being planted, we are not receiving the benefits, and at this rate, neither will the next generation - trees take time to grow.

Call to Action

We urge you to sign the petition to express your desire for these trees to be planted and to put pressure on the city to provide the necessary funding to plant them. You can also contact the City Council to request that they prioritize the funding of the Sunnyvale Urban Forest Management Plan (SUFMP) at

council@sunnyvale.ca.gov

Petition to Fund Sunnyvale Urban Forest Management Plan



<http://tinyurl.com/SUFA-Petition>