



## City Council Agenda Item Coversheet

### Proposed Motion:

Discuss and Take Appropriate Action to approve the purchase of additional trees by the Tree Board for the Fall Tree Give-Away Event on 11/9/24 using funds from the Tree Board line item in the budget.

“I move that Council discuss and take appropriate action to approve the purchase of additional trees by the Tree Board for the Fall Tree Give-Away Event on 11/9/24 using funds from the Tree Board line item in the budget.”

### Item Description:

The Tree Board is working in conjunction with the Parks and Recreation Board to have a Fall Tree Give-Away Event on November 9, 2024 at Augusta Park. We initially purchased 25 trees for the event, and all 25 trees were claimed by residents within a few days of announcing it. We are seeking approval to purchase 25 additional tree saplings to give away, as we already have residents on the waitlist. Jacob McElroy, as a volunteer, is facilitating the purchase of these one-gallon tree saplings. The wholesale provider has them for sale for \$10 each. The Tree Board is requesting that Council approve the purchase of 25 1-gallon trees, using money from the current Tree Board budget fund line item.

If proposing to spend money, what amount and from what budget line item? \$250 from Tree Board

**Submitted by Tree Board Liaison, Council Member Krista Richardson**