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City of Sunnyvale Planning Division 456 W. Olive St Sunnyvale, CA 94086

## Dear Planning Division:

My name is Ryan Jasinsky and I am the Director of Property Management for Brandenburg, Staedler and Moore. We own and operate Cape Cod Village Mobilehome Community consisting of 188 spaces.

We currently have a 20" diameter Redwood Tree located behind Space #41 which is beginning to cause damage to our water lines and our fence which run near that location. In addition, we have a gas line that runs in that same location and our concern lies with the roots potentially causing damage to this gas line which could potentially cause a major outage to our community or even worse potentially injure or kill someone.

Our initial application to remove this tree and plant another tree in our community was denied which does not alleviate our concern for the health and safety of our homeowners and hundreds or residents that live in our community.

We have a long standing contract with Arborwell to inspect our trees throughout the community and to provide us with their professional opinions on the health and safety of our trees. They have provided a report which I have also attached for your viewing.

We greatly understand the reason to keep these trees for the beautification of the City and the health of the environment. However, we kindly request that you approve the removal of this tree in order to provide a safer environment for the hundreds of residents that live in our community.

Sincerely, BRANDENBURG, STAEDLER & MOORE

Ryan Jasinsky Director of Property Management

cc: Kim Zetterlund, Arborwell

Blaine Boccignoge, Arborwell