

RESOLUTION NO. 01-11-22A

A RESOLUTION CREATING TREE REMOVAL FEES FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION, POOLS, AND ADDITIONS WITHIN THE CITY OF HEDWIG VILLAGE, TEXAS; REPEALING ALL OR PARTS OF OTHER FEE SCHEDULES INCONSISTENT OR IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

WHEREAS, the City of Hedwig Village, Texas requires tree disposition plans for all new residential homes, significant additions and commercial projects within the City limits, and;

WHEREAS, the review of tree removals warrants the establishment of a tree removal fee commensurate with the size of these trees, and;

WHEREAS, the City's tree canopy is important for the drainage, ecology, and for other community benefits that warrant tree removal fees for the City, and;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HEDWIG VILLAGE, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the recitals set forth above are found to be true and correct.

Section 2. That there is hereby created and established a Schedule of Fees for Tree Removal Fees, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part hereof for all purposes.

Section 3. That any person who removes trees work on any new single-family residential home, significant residential addition, pools, new commercial construction, and commercial additions with additional square-footage before obtaining the necessary tree removal permits shall be subject to an additional fee that shall be paid as stipulated in the tree removal fee schedule .

Section 4. That the City Secretary's Office is hereby authorized and required to collect the amended fees as set forth on the attached Exhibit "A", and to pay the same into the treasury of the City.

Section 5. In the event any clause, phrase, provision, sentence or part of this Resolution, or the application of the same to any person or circumstance, shall for any reason be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect, impair or invalidate this Resolution as a whole or any part or provision thereof, other than that part declared to be invalid or unconstitutional; and the City Council of City of Hedwig Village, Texas, declares

that it would have passed each and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission of any such part thus declared to be invalid or unconstitutional whether there be one or more parts.

Section 6. That this resolution shall be published and shall become effective in accordance with state law.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this, the 11th day of January 2022.

Tom Jinks, Mayor
City of Hedwig Village, Texas

ATTEST:

Kelly Johnson, City Secretary
City of Hedwig Village, Texas

EXHIBIT A
CITY OF HEDWIG VILLAGE
TREE REMOVAL FEES

TREE REMOVAL FEES: FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION, ADDITIONAL SQUARE FOOTAGE, OR POOLS	
Trees 10" and under 24" in DBH*	\$2,500/Per Tree
Trees equal or greater than 24" in DBH*	\$5,000 .00/Per Tree+ \$1,000 per each DBH* inch over 24"
Trees 10" in DBH* or greater not on the tree disposition plan or without a tree removal permit.	\$5,000.00/Per Tree**

* DBH = Diameter at breast height as defined in Sec. 14- 242.

**Note: Trees at or over 24" DBH* removed without a permit or are removed contrary to the approved tree disposition plan are required to pay the fee for trees IO" DBH* or greater not on the tree disposition plan or without a tree removal permit and the fee for trees equal or greater than 24" in DBH.