

Rights-of-Way Tree removed Request – Sewage Drain Blockage

Please complete and return to City with copies of paid invoices

It is our professional opinion that roots from the City owned tree(s) located in front of:

House address

name of property owner

have entered a section of the sewer drain maintained by the property owner and caused blockage. The property owner has been informed that the section of sewer pipe in question has failed allowing the tree roots to enter the pipe through the failure. Rather than repairing the failed section of pipe, thereby eliminating the root problem, **the property owner is requesting permission to remove the tree(s).**

- The Property Owner will repay the City the estimated value of the tree(s), based on the *Guide for Plant Appraisals* as published by the International Society of Arboriculture.
- Property owner is responsible for tree removal, stump grinding, and site restoration.
- The Property will be placed on the City’s “No Planting List”.
- The Property will be placed on a list of possible sites for ground water contamination.
- The Property Owner agrees to disclose the failed sewage drain during the selling of the property.

Name of plumbing contractor

licenses #

Contractor address

phone#

FAX #

Signature of plumbing contractor

date

Signature of property owner

date

property owner phone#

permission denied, see reason below

permission approved, see conditions below

signature of authorized City of Troy municipal employee

title

date
