NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Design Review/Tree Board of the City of Sebastopol has scheduled a public hearing for an application from Paul Belanger. The applicant is requesting the removal of one (1) Douglas fir tree with a 41-inch dbh, located at 562 Petaluma Ave. The tree is at the front of the house, between the house and Petaluma Ave. The tree shows visible signs of regular pruning for the utility lines on the street side, and the canopy appears heavier on the house-facing side, with a slight lean toward the house. The tree has an unusually high crop of cones.

The Regular Meeting will be held in Person and Virtual/Remote Participation
In-person location: Sebastopol Youth Annex, 425 Morris Street, Sebastopol, CA 95472
Remote/Virtual Participation: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89638956814 ID: 896 3895 6814 Code: 960726
is for providing public comment/Vimeo is utilized for viewing only of the meeting.

Notice: The City of Sebastopol shows live broadcasts and video archives of city meetings over the internet. Your attendance at this public meeting may result in the recording and broadcast of your image and/or voice.

The Regular Meeting will consider this on: Tuesday, October 27, 2026
at or after 3:30 pm

Anyone interested may attend in person, by phone, or by computer and be heard at this meeting.

SUBMITTING COMMENTS: For staff report inclusion, all comments must be received one week prior to the meeting date. Comments shall be submitted: by email to planning@cityofsebastopol.gov or mailed/left at City of Sebastopol City Hall at 7120 Bodega Avenue, or by phone. Please call 707-823-6167 to leave a message (by recording or comments provided verbally to City staff). If recorded, your voicemail will be transcribed and included in the public record, but will not be read into the minutes at the meeting. Comments received after posting of the agenda will be provided to the Design Review/Tree Board.

If you challenge this decision in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of Sebastopol, at, or prior to, the public hearing.

A copy of the staff report will be available for public review at the City of Sebastopol website, www.cityofsebastopol.gov

