



Parks & Recreation Department

Black Olive Tree Replacement Program

Expedited Program Criteria and Requirements

A constituent may be moved up the tree removal list by opting for the Expedited Program. This program allows a constituent to speed up the removal and replacement process if the tree(s) is in fair condition.

A. Requests

1. Constituent must fill out and sign an Expedited Tree Removal Application, to be submitted to the Community and Leisure Services Department.
2. The Expedited Tree Removal Application is available at the end of this document or at the Town of Miami Lakes Community & Leisure Services Departmental office.

B. Payment of Fee

1. A non-refundable application fee of \$50 must be submitted at the time of application.
2. Constituent will also be responsible for the costs associated with the removal of the tree(s) to include the following:
 - a. Downing of the tree
 - b. Disposal of the tree debris
 - c. Removal of the stump
 - d. Adding any required soil and grass seed to the old tree site

3. Constituent will also be responsible for the costs associated with the replacement of lost canopy of the tree(s). The cost is based on the DBH (diameter breast height) and canopy spread of the tree(s). This cost will be determined by the Department and it includes the following:
 - a. Planting of a new tree adjacent to the old tree site. Should this not be possible due to the proximity to other existing trees or hardscape, or due to site distance problems, the replacement tree will be planted at another site on Town property.
4. Once a final cost estimate is determined, residents will have 30 days to issue payment if they choose to continue with the removal and replacement.
5. The final cost will be made out in a form of a check payable to the Town of Miami Lakes Community & Leisure Services Department. Please refer to the table below for approximate costs for removal and replacement

**Black Olive Removal and Replacement Approximate Cost
(Based on replanting with 14-16' Florida Live Oak)**

DESCRIPTION	<u>Price</u>
Tree Size @DBH- Under 18"	\$1,200
Tree Size @DBH- Over 18" to 24"	\$1,550
Tree Size @DBH- Over 24" to 30"	\$1,975
Tree Size @DBH- Over 30" to 36"	\$2,175

C. Procedure for Tree Removal

1. The tree(s) removal process shall be within (4) weeks once payment has been received into the Town's funds.
2. The replanting process shall be within (4) weeks from the date the tree has been removed.

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APPLICATION

Tree Permitting Program
6601 Main Street
Miami Lakes, Florida 33014
T (305) 364-6100 F (305) 558-9461



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Date Received:

Application Number:

Received By:

Application Fee (other fees may be applicable):

Application must be filled out in its entirety. Please indicate N/A for non-applicable fields.

Applicant Information: Name: _____ Address: _____ _____ QP Code: _____ Phone #: _____ Fax If: _____ Email: _____	Site Location and Description where the proposed activity Exists or will occur: Address/Location: _____ _____ _____
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Work Description:

Number of tree(s) to be removed: _____

Location of the tree(s) stated above: _____

Reason for request: _____

Attachments (check all that apply): (e.g. site sketch, plans etc.):

☐ Photographs
 ☐ Arborist Assessment
 ☐ Tree Survey
 ☐ Other

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO APPLICANT:

The written consent of the Applicant is required for all applications to be considered complete. Your application WILL NOT BE PROCESSED unless the Application consent portion of the application is completed below. You have the obligation to apprise the Department of any changes to information provided in this application.

Application is hereby made for the Town of Miami Lakes black olive tree expedited program to authorize the activities described herein. I agree to or affirm the following:

- o I am familiar with the information contained in this application, and
- o I agree to the program criteria, its requirements, and am responsible for all applicable fees, and
- o I am authorizing the Town to process the application and authorize representatives of the Town of Miami Lakes for the purpose of making the preliminary analyses of the site

Signature of Applicant

Print Applicant's Name

Date