BUSINESS REGULATIONS §1121.050

1121. Tree Trimming

§1121.010 TREE TRIMMING; LICENSE REQUIRED, ISSUANCE. No person shall exercise, carry on, or be engaged in a trade or business of the removal of or trimming of trees within the City without first having obtained a license. The City Council shall grant or deny the license in its discretion. (Ref. §§905.010, 905.030, Code 1966)

§1121.020 TREE TRIMMING; LICENSE FEE. The amount to be paid for each license shall be thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars per year. (Ref. §905.020, Code 1966; Ord. No. 603, 11/8/77)

§1121.030 TREE TRIMMING; BOND. Before any person shall be licensed as a tree remover or tree trimmer, he shall file with the City Clerk a bond in the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars with a duly licensed surety company as surety thereon. Such surety shall be approved by the City Clerk and said bond shall be approved as to form and execution by the City Attorney. The bond shall be conditioned that the licensee shall observe the provisions of this Code as it relates to the business of tree trimming and removal and that he will conduct such business in conformity therewith and will account for all services to be rendered any person legally entitled thereto and to pay for any damage to any person or property which may be occasioned by the trimming or removal of said trees, and said licensee shall clear and remove all twigs, leaves, branches and other debris caused by the trimming or removal of said trees. (Ref. §905.040, Code 1966)

§1121.040 TREE TRIMMING; INSPECTION. Any person licensed under the provisions of this chapter shall at all times be subject to the inspection of the Public Works Director. (Ref. §905.050, Code 1966)

§1121.050 TREE TRIMMING; INSURANCE. Any person applying for any license enumerated under this chapter shall file with the City Clerk copies of his public liability and property damage insurance policies, which insurance policies shall be maintained in force and effect during the life of his license to perform work under this chapter. Said insurance shall cover public liability which shall not be less than one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars for injuries, including accidental death, to any one (1) person and subject to the same limit for each person and in an amount of not less than three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars on account of any one (1) accident and shall cover property damage in the amount of not less than one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars on account of damage to one (1) party and not less than three hundred thousand (\$300,000.00) dollars on account of any one (1) accident. Said policies shall contain a provision that the policies cannot be cancelled without ten (10) days written notice addressed to the City Clerk.