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MINNESOTA

## 2020 MILL & OVERLAY PROJECT

**TO:** Residents on Elm Street

**FROM:** Dan Holzemer, Senior Engineering Technician

**DATE:** May 8, 2020

**SUBJECT: Tree Removal on Elm Street**  
**City Project No.: 20-13**

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As part of the 2020 Mill & Overlay Project the City will be removing boulevard trees near your home. Although we strive very hard to preserve all healthy trees in our urban forest, there are a handful of trees on this year's street reconstruction project that are unavoidable and must be removed. We will be installing a new sidewalk on Elm Street. In order to do so, your boulevard tree must be removed.

During preliminary design, we anticipated some trees may have to be removed. Now that the final design is complete, the Engineering Department was able to make a final determination on which specific trees will need to be removed. We marked this tree with a pink ribbon to be sure the contractor removes the correct trees, which is anticipated to take place next week.

If you are interested in replacement trees, the City will plant up to two (2) new boulevard trees for every tree removed. If you would like new trees planted, we will be in contact with you later in the summer to identify the types and locations of the replacement trees. If you have any questions, please contact our office at 651-429-8531.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.