



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

TREE WATERING AGREEMENT

Dear Property Owner/Residence:

Congratulations! You have been selected to receive a **FREE TREE** provided by the city of San Diego and to be planted with support of City Contractors. In order to receive a free tree for your parkway, (the space in between the sidewalk and street curb) you must agree to water the tree as needed to assure its survival. The City's Contractor will begin the process to plant a tree only when we receive this watering agreement from you.

Following is the recommended watering schedule:

FIRST YEAR: Water the tree twice a week with approximately 5-10 gallons of water.

SECOND YEAR: Water the tree twice a month with approximately 10 to 15 gallons of water.

THIRD YEAR: Water the tree at least once a month with approximately 10 to 15 gallons of water.

In return for receiving a free tree, I agree to water the tree according to the schedule as outlined above over the next three years.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ **Zip** _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

As the owner or occupant of this subject property:

I acknowledge my responsibility to provide watering for street tree(s) per City Council Policy 200-5.

SIGNATURE: _____

Studies show that urban trees clean the air, filter storm runoff, provide a beneficial cooling effect, increase property values and even save electricity and the water needed to produce electricity.

A size and space appropriate tree species will be chosen by the City Horticulturist.

If you agree to the watering schedule and want a tree, please fill out the above agreement and fax to us as soon as possible. **Please obtain an approval courteously from the property owner for planting free tree if you are not the owner.**

Correspondence or questions please fax to (619)527-7644 or scan and email to tsw_freetrees@sandiego.gov

Please note: The location of the tree planted is limited by required distances from driveways, street corners, fire hydrants, underground utilities etc...