April 7th, 2016

Dear Lakeside Community Planning Group,

I am writing to inform you of a pending tree removal at 13138 Julian Ave. This large eucalyptus tree has had several limb failures in the past, and now has a good amount of fungus ("conks") growing at it's base, and in other locations on the trunk. In the past month, 2 other large eucalyptus trees in proximity to this location have fallen during high wind storms. The resident at 13138 Julian Ave. has signed a 'Tree Removal Agreement,' and is in favor of the removal. With the shallow root system of this tree, the age and the presence of the conks (see picture), the County believes it is in everyone's best interest to remove this tree. 2 replacement trees will be given to the homeowner for planting on private property. As of now, I do not have a set date for the work to begin, however I would like to get the removal started within' a month.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,

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