Tree Inventory & Protection Plan

Prepared for:

Bancheri Bros.

Subject Site: 10680 Islington Avenue, Vaughan, ON. L4H 3N5

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1.0 Introduction 1.1 Purpose of Assignment

The Urban Arborist Inc was retained by Bancheri Bros. Interlocking and Paving Corp. to prepare a Tree Inventory & Protection Plan for a residential project. The purpose of the project is to install a pool and landscaping in the backyard.



Figure 1. Front of subject site at 10680 Islington Avenue, Vaughan, ON. L4H 3N5.

1.2 Existing Site Characteristics

The subject site has 2 adjacent residential lands, 1 being a vacant parcel. Beyond the rear property line is York Region R.O.W. lands. The backyard is void of any private trees protected but there are several trees on York Region R.O.W. lands that are within 6m of the subject property.

2.0 Methodology and Guidance

All data used in this report is empirical in nature, unless stated otherwise. All measurements in this

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report utilize the metric system of measurement.

2.1 Field Study

Site inspection and data collection was initiated March 15, 2023. All trees 20cm in diameter measured at base within 6m of the subject site on private property as well as all York Region owned trees adjacent to the property within 6m have been included in this report.

2.2 Tree Locations

The locations of all significant trees were surveyed and plotted on the Tree Inventory Protection Plan and shown on Tree Inventory Plan drawing TP-1in appendix 3.

2.3 Tree Conditions

During field study a generalized assessment system was used to give each significant tree a rating based on structural condition and health condition.

The following 5 level assessment for health is listed below.

Very Poor -	Tree displays severe dieback of branches, canopy is extremely sparse. May exhibit extreme pathogen infestation or infection. Or tree is dead.
Poor -	Tree displays some dieback. Branches or canopy is sparse with little or no signs of new growth or vigour. Possible pathogen infestation or infection. Foliar canopy is sparse.
Fair -	Tree is developing in a manner typical to others in the area. Canopy is full.
Good -	New growth is vigorous as evidenced by stem elongation and colour. Canopy is dense.
Very Good -	In addition to the attributes of a good rating, tree is displaying extremely vigorous growth and trunk displays a pattern of vigour cracks or lines.

The following 5 level assessment for structural condition was as follows:

Very Poor - Trunk has large pockets of decay, is bifurcated or has a severe lean.



Limbs or branches are poorly attached or dead. Possible hazard.

Poor -	Limbs or branches are poorly attached or developed. Canopy is not
	symmetrical. Trunk has a lean.

- Fair Trunk, limb and branch development though flawed is typical of this species.
- Good Trunk is well developed with well attached limbs and branches; some flaws but are hardly visible.

Factors Assessed were as follows:

Roots	Trunk	Foliage/Buds	Scaffold Branches	Small Branches/Twigs
· Collar/flare	· Cavities	 Size of foliage/buds 	· Attachments/included	· Vigour/growth rates
Mechanical injury	Mechanical injury	 Foliage colour 	bark	Distribution
· Girdling roots	· Cracks	 Foliage injury 	· Taper	· Appearance
· Insects/disease	· Swollen/sunken	· Dieback of	Distribution	· Insects/disease
· Decay/fungi	areas	buds/foliage	· Decay/cavities	· Dieback
	· Insects/disease	· Insects/disease	· Deadwood	
	· Fungi		· Insects/disease	

3.0 Tree Inventory

A total of 9 trees was inventoried. (See Tree Inventory Spreadsheet in appendix 1).

3.1 Trees to Preserve

The trees in this section have been evaluated suitable for preservation and fall under the Tree Preservation, Protection and Management guidelines in this report. Different approaches of Tree Preservation can be carried out following tree health and structure evaluation. The following describes the differences in approaches to Tree Preservation.

1. Preserve, Protect & Maintain

Includes protection with tree preservation hoarding, as well as pre and post-construction arboricultural works.

2. Preserve & Protect

Includes the installation of tree protection hoarding; no maintenance will be required unless

Very Good - In addition to attributes of a good rating, the tree exhibits a well developed root flare and a balanced canopy.



specified in the recommendations in Appendix 1

3. Retain

No protection or maintenance measures are required. Installation of tree protection barriers is optional.

# of Trees evaluated as suitable for Preservation	8
# of Trees to use Method 1	n/a
# of Trees to use Method 2	4 (#1152 - #1155)
# of Trees to use Method 3	n/a

In the case of 10680 Islington Avenue, 8 trees can be preserved and protected. 4 trees will require Heavy Duty Tree Protection Hoarding to aid in their protection for the duration of the project.

3.2 Trees to Remove

All trees scheduled for removal shall be removed prior to any construction, earthworks or installation of tree protection hoarding. Due to site or development, tree condition or location, retention is not warranted. 1 tree to be removed requires a permit from York Region.

Total of number of Trees to Remove requiring a permit	1
Trees Proposed to be Removed	#1157 (York Region R.O.W. Tree)

3.3 Trees to Injure

There are no trees scheduled to be injured.

3.4 Trees to Replant (Replacement)

A York Region Street Tree Removal Calculation has been created and is attached in appendix 2. A total of 2 replacement trees measuring 60mm are required for compensation. It is being proposed that 2



trees be planted on either side of the existing Silver Maple #1157 that is being proposed to be removed.

3.5 Pruning

No pruning is required for the proposed site plan.

4.0 Tree Preservation, Protection and Management

4.1 Tree Protection

All trees scheduled to be preserved must be protected with Heavy Duty Tree Protection Hoarding as shown on the Tree Inventory Protection Plan Drawing TP-1 in appendix 3.

4.2 Tree Protection Barriers

The TPZ barriers must be installed to the specifications set out in the City of Vaughan Heavy Duty Tree Protection Hoarding Detail ULA-110. Once built, photographs will taken and sent to the City of Vaughan forestry department for reference.



5.0 Conclusions and Recommendations

Based on all data collected from on-site field work and review of all site plans the following conclusions and recommendations are made and correspond with Tree Inventory in Appendix 1:

Conclusions	Recommendations
1 tree is to be removed that is situated on York Region R.O.W. lands.	Circulate this report with City of Vaughan and York Region for permit approval.
4 trees on site are to be protected with Solid Plywood Tree Protection Hoarding.	Build Solid Plywood Tree Protection Hoarding as shown in Tree Inventory / Protection Drawing TP- 1 in appendix 3.

Attachments are as follows:

- Appendix 1 Tree Inventory
- Appendix 2 York Region Street Tree Removal Calculation
- Appendix 3 Site Plan / Tree Protection Plan Drawing TP-1
- Appendix 4 City of Vaughan Heavy Duty Tree Protection Hoarding ULA 110A
- Appendix 5 York Region NHF-100 Caliper Deciduous Tree Planting Detail

Appendix 6 Photographs

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	Tree Inventory – 10680 Islington Ave. Vaughan, ON L4H 3N5 – March 15 2023.											
<u>Tag #</u>	Common Name	Botanical Name	<u>Diameter @</u> Base (cm)	<u>Diameter at</u> Breast Height (cm)	<u>Health</u> Condition	Structural Condition	Notes	Ownership	Recommendations Based on Site Plan	<u>Minimum</u> TPZ (m)	Proposed TPZ (m)	Replacement Trees Required
1151	Norway Maple	Acer platanoides	49	38 x 38	Good	Average	Co-dominant stems.	10680 Islington	Retain	2.4	2.4	-
1152	White Spruce	Picea glauca	40 x 37	27 x 29	Average	Average		10680 Islington	Preserve & Protect	1.8	1.8	-
1153	White Spruce	Picea glauca	37	28	Average	Average		10680 Islington	Preserve & Protect	1.8	1.8	-
1154	Mountain Ash	Sorbus	34	19 x 21	Average/Poor	Very Poor	Cavity below main union and frost crack on one stem. Significant deadwood throughout.	10680 Islington	Preserve & Protect	1.8	1.8	-
1155	White Spruce	Picea glauca	32	25	Average	Average	Trunk scar on East facing side.	10680 Islington	Preserve & Protect	1.8	1.8	-
1156	Norway Maple	Acer platanoides		12	Good	Good	Across the fence, no tag given. York Region owned	York Region	Retain	2.4	2.4	-
	Silver Maple	Acer saccharinum		73	Average	Very Poor	Across the fence, no tag given. Co-dominant litres with split in union and cracked all the way to base. York Region tree. Some breakage and deadwood throughout.	York Region	Remove	7.3	-	See York Region Calculation
	Silver Maple	Acer saccharinum		30	Average	Poor	Irregular crown, decay in trunk lower level. 6 meters away.	York Region	Retain	3	3	-
1159	Siberian Elm	Ulmus pumila		24	Average	Average		York Region	Retain	2.4	2.4	-
	York	Region Stree	t Tree Re	moval Calc	ulation – 1	0680 Isling	ton Ave. Vaughan, ON L4H 3N5 – March	15 2023.				
<u>Tag #</u>	Common Name	Botanical Name	Diameter @ Breast Height (1.4m) CM	Condition Rating	<u>%</u>		Ownership	<u># of</u> <u>Replacement</u> <u>Trees</u>	Compensation Value			
1156	Norway Maple	Acer platanoides	12	Satisfactory	80	Retain	York Region	-	-			
	Silver Maple	Acer saccharinum	73	Death imminent	20	Remove	York Region	2	\$1,740.88			
	Silver Maple	Acer saccharinum	30	Satisfactory	80	Retain	York Region	-	-			
1159	Siberian Elm	Ulmus pumila	24	Satisfactory	80	Retain	York Region	-	-			
	ze of Replacement Tree (mm)	60						Total	.,			
	of Deciduous Replacement (\$)	870.44 770.38						cement Plantings	2 TBD			
Cos	t of Evergreen Replacement (\$)	//0.38					Required Finance	ial Compensation	180			

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