

MOSCOW TREE COMMISSION



Ellis Eifert
Commission Chair

Regular Meeting
~Agenda~

David Schott
Staff Liaison

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<https://www.ci.moscow.id.us/557/Tree-Commission>

Tuesday
August 2, 2022

5:00 PM

Mayors Conference Room
206 E 3rd Street

WELCOME AND ATTENDANCE

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Approval of Moscow Tree Commission Minutes from July 5, 2022 (ACTION ITEM) – Ellis Eifert

Minutes presented for approval.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve minutes as presented; approve minutes with amendments; or take other such actions deemed appropriate.

2. Public Comment and Response to Previous Comments (limited to 10 minutes)

Members of the public may speak to the Commission regarding matters NOT on the agenda or currently pending before the Commission. Please state your name and city of residence for the record and limit your remarks to three (3) minutes.

3. Consideration of the 2023 Arbor Day Seedling Selection (ACTION ITEM) – David Schott

The Moscow Tree Commission selected black cherry, saucer magnolia, and Fraser fir for the 2023 Arbor Day tree seedling selections. However, the Fraser fir was replaced by incense cedar. Recently, the City was informed the saucer magnolia failed to germinate. The Tree Commission will discuss a suitable third selection for the 2023 Arbor Day tree seedlings to replace the saucer magnolia.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve third tree seedling to replace the saucer magnolia for the 2023 Arbor Day celebration; or provide staff with further direction.

4. Consideration of the 2024 Arbor Day Seedling Selection (ACTION ITEM) – David Schott

The Moscow Tree Commission will discuss the tree seedling selections for the 2024 Arbor Day celebration.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve the 2024 Arbor Day celebration tree seedlings; or provide staff with further direction.

5. Consideration of the Harvest Park Subcommittee (ACTION ITEM) – David Schott

The Moscow City Council approved the Harvest Park Management Plan through resolution on June 27, 2022. The management plan was created after the formation of the core development team to utilize local knowledge. The formation of the Harvest Park Subcommittee will assist the City in the management and operations of Harvest Park. The subcommittee will report to the Tree Commission as a subcommittee of the Tree Commission. Members of the Harvest Park Subcommittee will be appointed by the Tree Commission. The Tree Commission appointed three of the five members during their July 5, 2022 meeting.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Appoint two members of the Harvest Park Subcommittee; or provide staff with further direction.

6. Consideration of Moscow Heritage Tree Program Nominations (ACTION ITEM) – David Schott

Moscow City Council approved Resolution 2021-21 in November, 2021, which authorized the creation of the Moscow Heritage Program. The program was launched in the spring of 2022. The Tree Commission will discuss nominations for inclusion in the Moscow Heritage Tree Program.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: 1. Approve two American Elms located at 124 North Howard for inclusion in the Moscow Heritage Tree Program; 2. Approve one Black Walnut tree located at 907 East Seventh Street; or provide staff with further direction.

7. Report: Downtown Streetscape Project – David Schott

Staff will report on the progress of the Downtown Streetscape Project.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: No action, report.

ANNOUNCEMENTS / DISCUSSION

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

Next meeting: September 6, 2022

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July 5, 2022

5:00 PM

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The meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm

PRESENT: Ellis Eifert, Chair; Mary Jo Hamilton; Jeanne Leffingwell; David Rauk;
STAFF: Donna Howard; David Schott; Gina Taruscio; Mark Heinlein, Commissioner on the Parks and Recreation Commission.

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Approval of Moscow Tree Commission Minutes from June 7, 2022 (ACTION ITEM) – Ellis Eifert

Minutes presented for approval.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve minutes as presented; approve minutes with amendments; or take other such actions deemed appropriate.

Hamilton moved to approve the minutes as presented. Leffingwell seconded. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Unanimous. Nays: None. Motion carried

2. Public Comment and Response to Previous Comments (limited to 10 minutes)

There were none.

3. Consideration of the July 9, 2022 Farmers Market (ACTION ITEM) – Ellis Eifert

The Moscow Tree Commission is slated for the July 9, 2022 Farmer's Market. The theme for the market is supplemental water for mature trees. The commission will discuss any other potential themes and staffing for the Farmers Market.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve theme and staffing for the July 9, 2022 Farmers Market; or provide staff with further direction.

Eifert opened the discussion on what to have ready for the public. The commissioners put together information for inclusion in this month's utility billing. Schott will print off copies of the insert for handing out to the public. Hamilton asked if the Heritage Tree Program information and applications could also be given out to interested citizens; Howard will print off some of those as well. Howard will also design a small display to grab people's attention as the walk past the table. Leffingwell will pick up the items from the Eggan Youth Center office at 3 pm this Friday and set up at FM at 8:30 AM. Schott will see if Hartung or Brunsfeld can help staff the table as the other commissioners are unavailable.

Hamilton moved to approve the details as presented. Rauk seconded. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Unanimous. Nays: None. Motion carried.

4. Consideration of the Fall and Early Winter Parks and Recreation Brochure Classes (ACTION ITEM) – David Schott

Submittals for tree classes and workshops are due mid-July for the fall and early winter Parks and Recreation Brochure. This brochure will cover September 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022. The Tree Commission will discuss potential classes and workshops for inclusion in the Parks and Recreation Brochure.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve classes and workshops for inclusion in the upcoming fall and early winter Parks and Recreation Brochure; or provide staff with further direction.

The group discussed possible classes; one included a craft session, using tree cookies, children could decorate them for the holidays. Eifert will contact Jenny Kostroff to check for availability. Rauk mentioned that the 150 or so tree cookies he has need to be sanded and have a hole drilled into them for hanging. Schott will see if the Parks staff can help with that. Leffingwell offered to donate ribbons and other craft supplies. Schott needs to get the date confirmed soon to be included in the August 1st brochure. Suggested name of the class was Wooden Tree Cookie Workshop, to help clarify that they aren't edible cookies. Rauk asked if there needed to be an additional class; Schott answered that the Tree City USA Growth Award requires new activities annually but they don't have to be classes. This year the MTC has the Heritage Tree Program, that can be used for points in the community engagement category.

Leffingwell moved to set up a class for wooden tree cookie ornaments. Hamilton seconded. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Unanimous. Nays: None. Motion carried

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PROPOSED ACTIONS: Appoint members of the Harvest Park Subcommittee; or provide staff with further direction.

Schott said City Council approved the management plan; there was a change required to be made to City Code to allow this as a subcommittee. Schott invited all of the MTC commissioners to be a part of the subcommittee and shared the names of those he approached about joining: Mark Heinlein, Parks and Recreation Commission commissioner; Tim Steury, owner of Steury Orchards; Zena Hartung, MTC commissioner; Iris Mayes, UI Latah County Extension Educator, Horticulture & Small Farms. Schott would like to have someone from PCEI on the subcommittee as well. He is planning on meeting quarterly, having one-hour long meetings, open to the public per Idaho's Open Meeting Laws. The group discussed other possible people to invite to join.

Rauk moved to accept names as suggested. Leffingwell seconded. Roll Call Vote: Ayes: Unanimous. Nays: None. Motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS / DISCUSSION

2022 Idaho Recreation and Parks Association Award at City Council, August 1, 2022: Schott invited the MTC Commissioners to attend the City Council meeting when the IRPA Outstanding Innovative Program award is presented to the Mayor for the Heritage Tree Program.

Schott added that the Heritage Tree Program is updated and live on the website. The first Heritage Tree is posted.

Schott said that the City's application to become a Bee City USA affiliate was also approved at last week's City Council Meeting. Schott and Heinlein will be going forward planning that program.

Rauk will not be able to attend the August and September meetings as he will be out of town. He plans on returning to Moscow on October 3rd.

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

Next meeting: August 2, 2022

The meeting was adjourned at 5:44 pm.

Tree Seedling, Arbor Day Celebration

Year	Common Name	Scientific Name	Quantity
2016	Sugar Maple	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	100
2016	Native Mountain Ash	<i>Sorbus scopulina</i>	100
2016	Canaan Fir	<i>Abies intermedia</i>	210
2017	Concolor Fir	<i>Abies concolor</i>	100
2017	Black Cherry	<i>Prunus serotina</i>	150
2017	Western Paper Birch	<i>Betula papyrifera var. commutata</i>	150
2018	Concolor Fir	<i>Abies concolor</i>	100
2018	European Beach	<i>Fagus sylvatica</i>	106
2018	Kousa Dogwood	<i>Cornus kousa</i>	24
2019	Bristlecone Pine	<i>Pinus aristata</i>	52
2019	Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier alnifolia</i>	102
2019	Rocky Mountain Maple	<i>Acer glabrum var. douglasii</i>	102
2020	COVID-19, No Seedlings	COVID-19, No Seedlings	0
2021	Sugar Maple	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	80
2021	Incense Cedar	<i>Calocedrus decurrens</i>	80
2021	Chokecherry	<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	75
2021	Limber Pine	<i>Pinus flexilis</i>	100
2022	Western Larch	<i>Larix occidentalis</i>	55
2022	Redoiser Dogwood	<i>Cornus sericea</i>	5
2022	Bur Oak	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	55
2023	Black Cherry	<i>Prunus serotina</i>	
2023	Incense Cedar	<i>Calocedrus decurrens</i>	
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Potkin Forest Nursery Species

Species	Scientific Name	Type	Native or Non-Native	Mature Height (ft)	Mature Width (ft)
Pine, Lodgepole	<i>Pinus contorta</i> var. <i>latifolia</i>	Conifer	Native	50 to 100	10 to 20
Spruce, Norway	<i>Picea abies</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	60 to 80	25 to 30
Spruce, Blue (Colorado)	<i>Picea pungens</i>	Conifer	Native	50 to 60	10 to 20
Cedar, Incense	<i>Calodendrus decurrens</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	60 to 150	10 to 20
Cedar, Western Red	<i>Thuja plicata</i>	Conifer	Native	40 to 150	3 to 35
Fir, Canaan	<i>Abies intermedia</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	40 to 60	20 to 25
Fir, Concolor (Rocky Mountain)	<i>Abies concolor</i> var. <i>concolor</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	60 to 200	10 to 20
Fir, Corkbark	<i>Abies lasiocarpa</i> var. <i>arizonica</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	30 to 60	15 to 20
Fir, Douglas (Rocky Mountain)	<i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i> var. <i>glauca</i>	Conifer	Native	60 to 100	10 to 30
Fir, Fraser	<i>Abies fraseri</i>	Conifer	Native	40 to 60	25 to 5
Fir, Grand	<i>Abies grandis</i>	Conifer	Native	200 to 330	10 to 20
Fir, Subalpine	<i>Abies lasiocarpa</i>	Conifer	Native	40 to 100	15 to 20
Hemlock, Western	<i>Tsuga heterophylla</i>	Conifer	Native	170 to 200	15 to 30
Juniper, Rocky Mountain	<i>Juniperus scopulorum</i>	Conifer	Native	20 to 30	3 to 15
Larch, Western	<i>Larix occidentalis</i>	Conifer	Native	30 to 70	5 to 15
Pine, Austrian	<i>Pinus nigra</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	40 to 60	20 to 40
Pine, Bristlecone	<i>Pinus aristata</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	20 to 30	4 to 6
Pine, Limber	<i>Pinus flexilis</i>	Conifer	Native	20 to 40	15 to 35
Pine, Pinyon	<i>Pinus edulis</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	20 to 30	10 to 20
Pine, Ponderosa	<i>Pinus ponderosa</i> var. <i>ponderosa</i>	Conifer	Native	60 to 100	25 to 30
Pine, Scotch	<i>Pinus sylvestris</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	40 to 70	20 to 40
Pine, Western White	<i>Pinus monticola</i>	Conifer	Native	70 to 200	20 to 40
Redwood, Dawn	<i>Metasequoia glyptodictyonoides</i>	Conifer	Non-Native	70 to 100	25
Spruce, Engelmann	<i>Picea engelmannii</i>	Conifer	Native	80 to 150	10 to 20
Apple, Common Wild	<i>Malus pumila</i>	Deciduous	Non-Native	9 to 12	10 to 12
Aspen, Quaking	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Deciduous	Native	30 to 40	20 to 30
Birch, Water	<i>Betula occidentalis</i>	Deciduous	Native	15 to 30	8 to 12
Birch, Western Paper	<i>Betula papyrifera</i> var. <i>commutata</i>	Deciduous	Native	60 to 80	20 to 35
Cherry, Black	<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Deciduous	Non-Native	40 to 50	20 to 30
Chestnut, American	<i>Castanea dentata</i>	Deciduous	Non-Native	75 to 90	30 to 40
Cottonwood, Black	<i>Populus trichocarpa</i>	Deciduous	Native	60 to 150	8 to 30
Maple, Bigtooth	<i>Acer grandidentatum</i>	Deciduous	Native	30 to 50	20 to 30
Maple, Sugar	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Deciduous	Non-Native	60 to 70	35 to 45
Oak, Bur	<i>Quercus marocarpa</i>	Deciduous	Non-Native	60 to 75	60 to 80
Oak, Bur-Gambel	<i>Quercus marocarpa</i> x <i>gambelli</i>	Deciduous	Non-Native	20 to 40	60 to 80
Poplar, Idaho Hybrid	<i>Populus</i> spp.	Deciduous	Native	50 to 80	20 to 30
Alder, Sitka	<i>Alnus viridis</i>	Shrub	Native	15 to 20	3 to 8
Alder, Thinleaf	<i>Alnus incana</i> var. <i>tenuifolia</i>	Shrub	Native	15 to 30	3 to 8

Ash, Native Mountain	<i>Sorbus scopulina</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 20	3 to 8
Bayberry, Northern	<i>Myrica pensylvanica</i>	Shrub	Non-Native	6 to 12	6 to 12
Bitterbrush, Antelope	<i>Purshia tridentata</i>	Shrub	Native	3 to 4	3 to 8
Boxwood, Mountain	<i>Pachistima myrsintes</i>	Shrub	Native	1 to 4	1 to 3
Buckthorn, Cascara	<i>Rhamnus purshiana</i>	Shrub	Native	10 to 30	5 to 15
Ceanothus, Redstem	<i>Ceanothus sanguineus</i>	Shrub	Native	3 to 10	3 to 10
Ceanothus, Shiny-Leaf	<i>Ceanothus velutinus</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 12	3 to 8
Cherry, Choke	<i>Prunus virginiana</i> var. <i>melocarpa</i>	Shrub	Native	10 to 25	10 to 20
Cinquefoil, Shrubby	<i>Dasiphora floribunda</i>	Shrub	Native	4 to 6	3 to 4
Currant, Golden	<i>Ribes aureum</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 15	1 to 3
Currant, Red Flowering	<i>Ribes sanguineum</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 9	3 to 10
Dogwood, Redosier	<i>Cornus sericea</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 15	6 to 9
Elderberry, Blue	<i>Sambucus cerulea</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 15	6 to 20
Hawthorn, Black	<i>Craegus douglasii</i> var. <i>douglasii</i>	Shrub	Native	15 to 20	6 to 10
Huckleberry, Mountain	<i>Vaccinium membranaceum</i>	Shrub	Native	3 to 6	2 to 6
Lilac, Purple	<i>Syringa vulgaris</i>	Shrub	Non-Native	10 to 15	6 to 12
Maple, Rocky Mountain	<i>Acer glabrum</i> var. <i>douglasii</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 20	10 to 15
Ninebark, Common	<i>Physocarpus malvaceus</i>	Shrub	Native	5 to 7	2 to 7
Plum, American	<i>Prunus americana</i>	Shrub	Non-Native	15 to 25	8 to 15
Rose, Nootka	<i>Rosa nutkana</i>	Shrub	Native	1 to 9	1 to 7
Rose, Rugosa	<i>Rosa rugosa</i>	Shrub	Non-Native	4 to 6	1 to 7
Rose, Woods	<i>Rosa woodsii</i>	Shrub	Native	2 to 6	1 to 7
Sagebrush, Big	<i>Artemisia tridentata</i>	Shrub	Native	2 to 10	2 to 3
Sage, Purple	<i>Salvia dorri</i>	Shrub	Native	2 to 2	2 to 3
Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier alnifolia</i>	Shrub	Native	10 to 20	3 to 5
Snowberry	<i>Symphoricarpos albus</i>	Shrub	Native	3 to 6	6 to 13
Sumac, Oakleaf	<i>Rhus trilobata</i>	Shrub	Native	4 to 7	3 to 8
Sumac, Smooth	<i>Rhus glabra</i>	Shrub	Native	10 to 15	3
Syringa, Lewis	<i>Philadelphus lewisii</i>	Shrub	Native	6 to 9	3 to 12
Willow, Arctic Blue	<i>Salix purpurea</i>	Shrub	Native	10 to 15	5 to 7
Willow, Coyote	<i>Salix exigua</i>	Shrub	Native	20 to 25	8 to 15
Willow, Drummond	<i>Salix drummondiana</i>	Shrub	Native	9 to 12	8 to 16
Willow, Mackenzie	<i>Salix prolixa</i>	Shrub	Native	10 to 12	6 to 10

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Moscow Heritage Tree Program Nomination Form

Nominator Information

Name: Carol Kawula
Address: 907 East 7th St.
Moscow, Idaho
Phone: (Day) 919.270.2220
(Eve) (same)
Email Address CKawula@gmail.com.

(Property owner must agree to nomination)

Name: Carol Kawula
Address: _____
Phone: (Day) _____
(Eve) _____

Property/Tree Owner Information (For assistance please contact the Community Forestry Administrator)

Location (Street Address): 907 East 7th Street.
Species of Tree (Common or Botanical Name): Juglans nigra
Single/Collection of trees (If Collection, How Many Trees): Single
Size: Height (approx.) 91 (feet)
Crown (approx.) measure distance of total spread from one side to other: 105 (feet)
Circumference (distance around trunk at 4.5 feet from ground): 174 / 57 dbh (inches)
Age of Tree (If Known/Estimate): ? unknown.

Condition (check all that apply and explain any issues on back of page):

☒ Healthy ☐ Diseased ☐ Pruning/Structural problems

List any historical fact about the tree (Documented/Estimated):

I was told our property used to be an orchard in Moscow.
But this is not documented that I know of. Also previous owner
told us it was the second largest walnut in Idaho. (he was a forester) But I have
What is most noteworthy about the tree/trees that meets the criteria (check all that apply): not found info to
document this.

☒ Size ☒ Age ☒ Health / Form ☐ Rare Horticultural Value

☐ Aesthetic Qualities ☒ Historical ☐ Uncommon

☐ Other: Please Explain:

OLD!
This tree is magnificent. It is enormous and in fairly good
health. People constantly comment on its size and beauty

Explain why you think the tree/trees should be nominated for heritage distinction - use another piece of paper, if necessary. Please include a photograph and a simple tree location map. Property owner agrees to allow City staff or designee with permission to photograph tree for inclusion in the online Moscow Heritage Tree Program Guide.

I will e-mail the photos.

Submit Nomination Form and Property Owner Agreement Form to:

City of Moscow Community Forestry Administrator

PO Box 9203 • Moscow, ID 83843 • Or email to: tree@ci.moscow.id.us • Call (208) 883-7098 for assistance.



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Property Owner agrees to the following:

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- B. The property owner is responsible for all maintenance and liability issues pertaining to the tree or trees.
- C. Prior to removal of a Heritage Tree, a property owner must notify the City of Moscow Community Forestry Administrator at (208) 883-7098 or tree@ci.moscow.id.us. The City strongly encourages all Moscow Heritage Tree property owners to retain these significant tree(s).
- D. Property owner acknowledges there might be some risk by participating in the Moscow Heritage Tree Program.
- E. Property owner is participating voluntarily in the Moscow Heritage Tree Program.
- F. Property owner is required to sign this form, including the release of liability holding the City of Moscow harmless from any damage related to participating in the Moscow Heritage Tree Program.
 - a. Property owner hereby agrees to defend and indemnify, release, hold harmless, acquit and forever discharge the City of Moscow and its successors, assigns, agents, servants, employees and insurers of and from all legal and equitable claims, of every kind, action, amount, cause of action, related to or arising out of participating in the Moscow Heritage Tree Program.
- G. It is the affirmative duty, legal obligation that requires some effort to satisfy, of the private property owner(s) to notify any subsequent property owner(s) that they have opted to participate in the Moscow Heritage Tree Program and request the property owner(s) to notify the City of any change in ownership. If the new property owner(s) wish to continue the participation, they will be asked to sign a new Moscow Heritage Tree Program Property Owner Agreement Form.
- H. Property owner agrees to allow City staff or designee permission to photograph tree for inclusion in the online Moscow Heritage Tree Program Guide.

As owner of the Juglans nigra (species) tree now being considered for this distinction, the Property Owner hereby consents to its being designated a Moscow Heritage Tree by the Moscow Tree Commission of Moscow, Idaho.

Tree Location (Address): 907 East 7th St.

Property Owner Signed: Paul Kamber Date: 5/20/2022

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Received: [Signature] Date: 7/1/22
Administrator Review and Recommendation: [Signature] Date: 7/26/22
Moscow Tree Commission Consideration (Approved) or (Denied): _____ Date: _____
Uploaded to Moscow Heritage Tree Program Guide and Website: _____ Date: _____

Submit Nomination Form and Property Owner Agreement Form to:

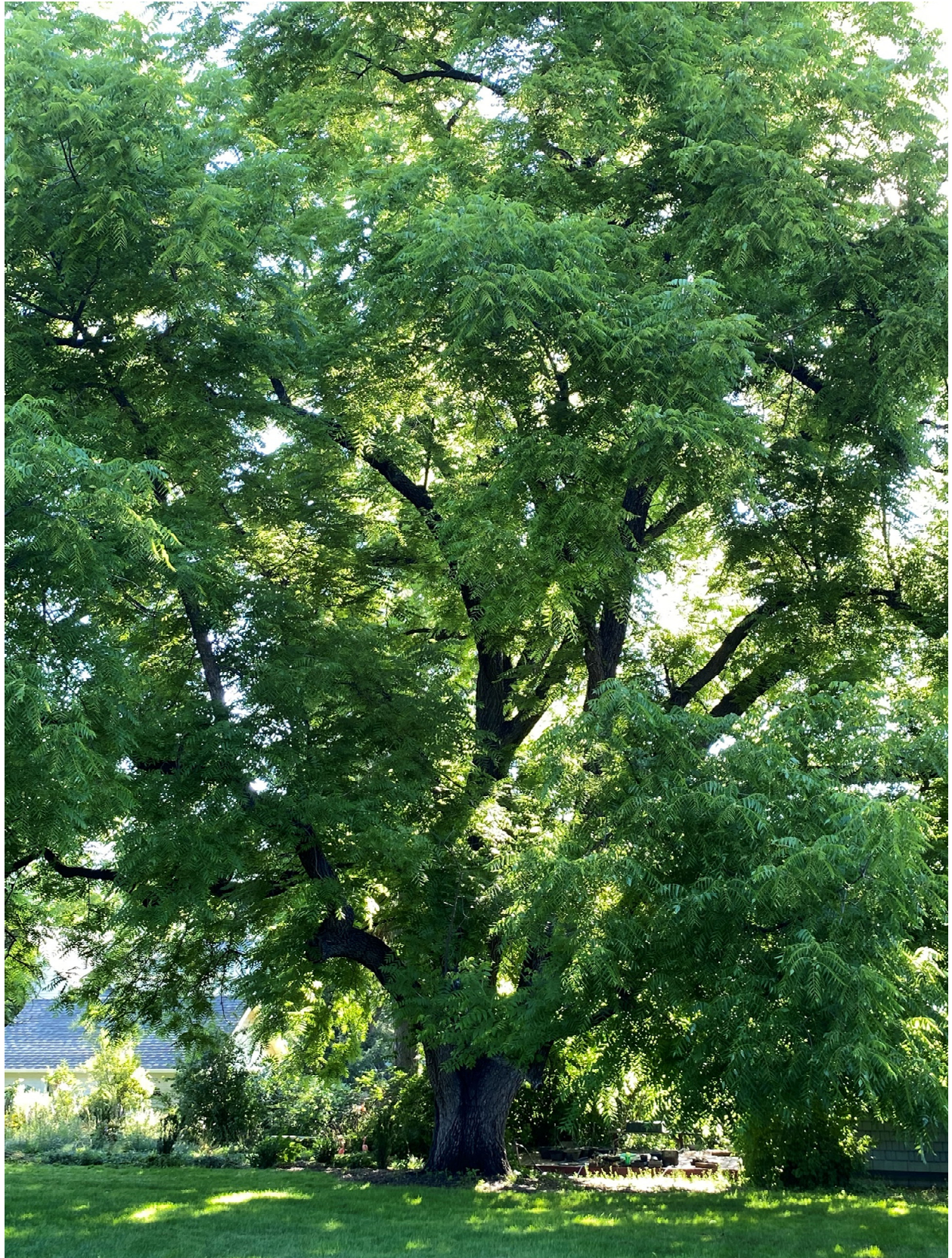
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Black
Walnut.







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Moscow Heritage Tree Program Nomination Form

Nominator Information

Name: Monique C. Lillard

Address: 820 East B

Phone: (Day) 208 882 5369

^{or Eve}
(Eve)

Email Address lillard@uidaho.edu

(Property owner must agree to nomination)

Name: I am owner, as

Address: is my husband
Duncan Palmatez

Phone: (Day) _____

(Eve) _____

Property/Tree Owner Information (For assistance please contact the Community Forestry Administrator)

Location (Street Address): 129 N Howard

Species of Tree (Common or Botanical Name): American Elms - 2 trees

Single/Collection of trees (If Collection, How Many Trees): 2

Size: Height (approx.) 50-60 ft (feet)

Crown (approx.) measure distance of total spread from one side to other: ? (feet)

Circumference (distance around trunk at 4.5 feet from ground): 10' 1" & 9' 6" (inches)

Age of Tree (If Known/Estimate): Blanchard said 100 years old.

Condition (check all that apply and explain any issues on back of page):

☒ Healthy ☐ Diseased ☐ Pruning/Structural problems

List any historical fact about the tree (Documented/Estimated):

What is most noteworthy about the tree/trees that meets the criteria (check all that apply):

☐ Size ☐ Age ☒ Health / Form ☒ Rare Horticultural Value

☐ Aesthetic Qualities ☐ Historical ☐ Uncommon

☐ Other: Please Explain:

*They have not been sickened by Dutch Elm ...
Amazingly good tall specimens... used to be everywhere,
Roger Blanchard probably has notes about them. now very few*

Explain why you think the tree/trees should be nominated for heritage distinction - use another piece of paper, if necessary. Please include a photograph (optional) and a simple tree location diagram. Property owner agrees to allow City staff or designee with permission to photograph tree for inclusion in the online Moscow Heritage Tree Program Guide. *They are right in front of the house, on the strip between sidewalk & street.*

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As owner of the American Elm (species) tree now being considered for this distinction, the Property Owner hereby consents to its being designated a Moscow Heritage Tree by the Moscow Tree Commission of Moscow, Idaho.

Tree Location (Address): 124 N. Howard St, Moscow Id 83843

Property Owner Signed: M. C. Lillard Date: July 9, 2022
T. mean a/m. fico 9 8 2022

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Received: _____ Date: _____
Administrator Review and Recommendation: _____ Date: _____
Moscow Tree Commission Consideration (Approved) or (Denied): _____ Date: _____
Uploaded to Moscow Heritage Tree Program Guide and Website: _____ Date: _____

Submit Nomination Form and Property Owner Agreement Form to:

City of Moscow Community Forestry Administrator

PO Box 9203 • Moscow, ID 83843 • Or email to: tree@ci.moscow.id.us • Call (208) 883-7098 for assistance.





