

# Guastucci's



## Tree Service

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### Evaluation of Redwood Tree

The Redwood tree is located inside the fence and under the PG&E power lines.

This tree had been repeatedly topped for many years and is beginning to get Heart Rot in the area where the cuts have been made.

Wounds from topping cuts can become a point of decay, which can cause hollows, sometimes deep into the trunk of the tree.

The growth structure of this tree is unsightly from the topplings, it will never grow in the manner it should due to the wires above it and the need to keep a safety clearance.

This tree should be removed.

Call me anytime if you have any questions or concerns.

Steve Guastucci  
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Permit to remove Redwood Tree at 58 Indian Rock Rd.

The 24" dia. redwood tree to be removed

1. Is interfering with the PG&E high voltage power line and has been trimmed multiple times so that today it is stunted and unsightly ( see photo );
2. Is blocking the only access to our 58 Indian Rock property ( see photo ). The previous entrance was via our adjacent property ( 56 Indian Rock Rd. ) which we sold.

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## SUPPLEMENTAL QUESTIONNAIRE FOR TREE WORK PERMIT

A permit is required to remove or significantly prune any heritage tree, any tree on undeveloped property and any street tree. A heritage tree is defined as a tree with a minimum diameter at breast height (DBH = 4.5 feet above grade) of 22 inches. A permit is required to remove any tree on undeveloped property with a DBH of 7 inches. Pruning is defined as, and limited to, removal of less than 25% of the tree's foliage. An arborist's report and photograph of the tree(s) are required prior to an application being complete. Application must include at least one photo showing the context of the tree or application may be deemed incomplete. NOTE: Acacia, Eucalyptus, Plum, Privet and Monterey Pine trees are considered nuisance trees and do not require a permit to remove. S.A.M.C. Sections 4-9 & 4-13

ANY PERSON VIOLATING THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CHAPTER SHALL BE GUILTY OF EITHER AN INFRACTION OR A MISDEMEANOR.

- Value of work: \$ 2,000 (A licensed contractor Class D-49, C-60 or C-27) is required for work of \$300 or more.
- Describe the type of tree work that is proposed including type of tree(s), number, remove, prune, etc.: 1 damaged Redwood tree 24" to be removed.
- Describe the reason for the work: Tree has been cut back many times by PG&E; it interferes with high voltage power lines & obstructs entrance to property. Previous entrance was across adjacent lot, now sold & separately developed.
- Location of tree(s):  Front Yard  Side Yard  Rear Yard
- Is this proposed tree a:  Heritage Tree  Street Tree  Undeveloped lot tree
- What is the DBH? \_\_\_\_\_
- What is the health of the tree(s)? Stunted
- How close is the tree to a major structure(s) i.e. the house? 40'
- Does the tree interfere with utility services? Yes
- Does the tree threaten or impede upon existing structures?  Yes  No If Yes, describe how \_\_\_\_\_
- What is the topography of land in the vicinity of the tree? Will the proposed work cause increased soil erosion, soil instability, or will it cause the redirection of surface flow? Flat Land, no erosion or surface flow
- What will the general effect of the tree work be on property values in the area? None



