

# GROW a Greener CITY



## Conserving & Cultivating Palo Alto's Urban Forest

The City of Palo Alto and the nonprofit organization Canopy are working together to strengthen Palo Alto's treasured heritage of trees.

**Call Canopy at (650) 964-6110 if you want:**

- A list of certified arborists
- Help on selecting trees for your yard
- Tips about tree care, including proper watering and weeding habits and tree disease prevention
- An educational program for your group about the value and benefits of urban trees.
- To volunteer with Canopy to plant and care for trees.

**Call the City of Palo Alto Public Works at (650) 496-5953 when:**

- You have a tree in the electric lines
- You want a street tree in front of your residence
- You have a street tree you think needs maintenance

**Browse the city's tree programs at [www.cityofpaloalto.org/trees](http://www.cityofpaloalto.org/trees) to learn about:**

- An overview of Palo Alto's tree programs
- The Tree Technical Manual
- Removal of a private oak or redwood tree
- Protecting oaks and other private trees

## Help Power Lines and Trees Coexist

Let Canopy help you choose appropriate trees to plant under power lines.

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or visit  
[www.canopy.org](http://www.canopy.org)  
for more information**

The City of Palo Alto Utilities and Canopy started "The Right Tree in The Right Place" program to help reduce tree maintenance and power outages due to overgrown trees.

You may be eligible for a free tree removal and a rebate on stump removal and tree replacement through the program if your private tree is in "the wrong place" or is a fast-growing, frequently pruned tree that could cause major conflicts with overhead high voltage utility lines.