

TREE REMOVAL PERMIT PROCESS

From removal to replant!

Urban Forestry Program
352-393-8171

UrbanForestry@CityofGainesville.org

Determine if you need a permit.

**City of Gainesville Code of Ordinances
Sec. 30-8.7 to 30-8.10.**

Depending on the land use of the property where the tree is located, the tree may or may not need a permit. Review the city's code or one of our helpful infographics to learn more!

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Apply for a tree removal permit.

Permit applications can be found online, at our office, or can be emailed to you.

Once complete, you can scan and email the permit to:

UrbanForestry@cityofgainesville.org

Or mail it to:
PO Box 490, Station 41
Gainesville FL 32627

Allow five business days for inspection.

We make every effort to inspect the tree as soon as possible. Once the inspection is complete, the permit application will be returned to you with the mitigation requirements for the tree removal listed.

Remove the tree and replant.

Review the Gainesville Tree List provided to you upon receipt of your returned application and choose a species that suits your needs. The City Arborist does not need to physically inspect the trees you have replanted. Take good pictures of the replants and email them to us. If you do not have a camera or email, let us know and we will perform a site inspection.

