



Item No.5a Town of Atherton

PARK AND RECREATION COMMITTEE – REGULAR AGENDA

TO: PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE
FROM: SALLY BENTZ-DALTON – PARK MANAGER
DATE: NOVEMBER 3RD, 2021
SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF MEMORIAL TREE SPECIES AND LOCATION

Discussion

Resident Betsy Colby would like to plant a memorial tree in Holbrook-Palmer Park. She would like to plant a Cork Oak near the pathway from the Jennings Parking lot to the playground. Betsy Colby is aware of the draft memorial tree fee of a \$2,000 donation. The tree will need to be 15-gallon size so that MCE can plant it. Stakes and a watering bag will be installed. Staff feels a Cork Oak is acceptable as we have lost a few Oak trees in the park recently.

It will be up to Park & Rec to discuss and approve the species of tree and location. A vote will need to be made to approve the memorial tree donation.



