#### MOBILE TREE COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

### Date: July 19, 2016

APPLICANT NAME	Billy Allen for Kathy Miller
<b>LOCATION</b>	14 North Monterey Street (East side of North Monterey Street, $60"$ <u>+</u> South of New Hamilton Street)
<u>REQUEST</u>	Trim a 24" <u>+</u> Live Oak
<u>CITY COUNCIL</u> <u>DISTRICT</u>	District 2
PRESENT ZONING	R-1, Single Family Residential
HEALTH OF TREE	The tree appears to be in good health
<u>CONTRIBUTING</u> <u>FACTORS</u>	N/A
ENGINEERING COMMENTS	None
TRAFFIC ENGINEERING COMMENTS	None

#### URBAN FORESTRY COMMENTS

**<u>COMMENTS</u>** Due to the vast amount of Service Request Orders currently pending for Forestry, we are currently working 150 days out minimum. Forestry recommends approval of the application with the condition that a certified arborist perform the work needed.

#### PLANNING COMMENTS

**<u>COMMENTS</u>** The applicant is simply requesting permission to trim/clean up the crown and canopy of a Live Oak located within the North Monterey Street right-of-way. However, work on trees located within the city right-of-way requires a licensed and bonded arborist. A search of City of Mobile Business Licenses using the applicant's name and address found no results. Therefore, if approved, the permit may be issued only to a certified arborist who is licensed and bonded to work in the City of Mobile, and all work is to be coordinated with the Forestry Unit of Parks and Recreation.

## **MAWSS**

# **<u>ANALYSIS</u>** The applicant is requesting permission to trim/clean up the crown and limb up the southern portion of the tree over the driveway.

**<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>** Based on the preceding, this request is recommended for approval, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. All work is to be done by a certified, licensed and bonded arborist;
- 2. All work is to be coordinated with the Forestry Unit of Parks and Recreation Department;
- 3. All work in the right-of-way requires a right-of-way permit;
- 4. No work is to be done until the Trimming Permit is obtained from the Planning and Zoning Department.



#### **APPLICATION FOR PERMIT**

CITY OF MOBILE MOBILE TREE COMMISSION	Application No Date:/Zo/16	
1. Applicant:	2. Owner (if different from applicant):	
Name: Billy Allen	Name: Kathy Melher	
Address: 2050 Damath St.	Address: 14 N. Montarey	
Mahrhe Zip Code: 36619	Mobel 2 Zip Code: 36604	
E-mail: bralley ZOCA botmail.com	E-mail: MKM Dajlaw.com	
Telephone Number:(251) 786 1749	Telephone Number: 405-1220	
3. Location of Tree: between sidewelle.	f street City Council District:	
4. Type of Tree: Live Bate Quescus ut		
5. Approximate Diameter four (4) feet from t		
6. Reason for Removal or Trimming as Reque	ested: <u>Crown cleaning</u> throughtout	
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Applicant	Owner - if different from applicant	

**Application Fee - None** 

Applicant or Agent must be present at meeting to represent request.

<u>All supporting information (photos, location plan, names and addresses of the applicant, property</u> <u>owner, adjacent property owners and directly across the street - on mailing labels, along with postage</u> <u>fee and \$1.00 notification fee for each) must be submitted with the application (Two Copies) by filing</u> <u>date.</u>

Appeals must be made in writing to the Mobile City Council within 15 days of the decision. Major projects involving multiple trees may be held over to the following month's agenda due to the time required by staff to investigate.

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Billy Allen 8050 Domain St. Mobile, AL 36619

Kathy Miller 14 N. Monterey Mobile, AL 36604

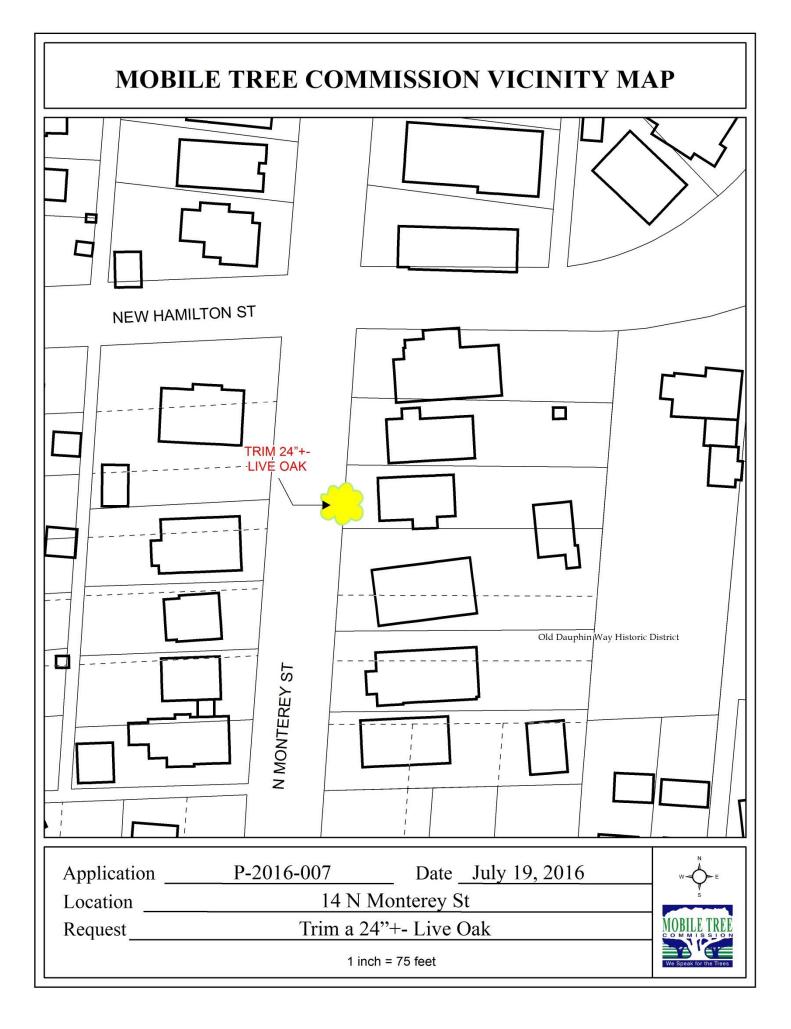
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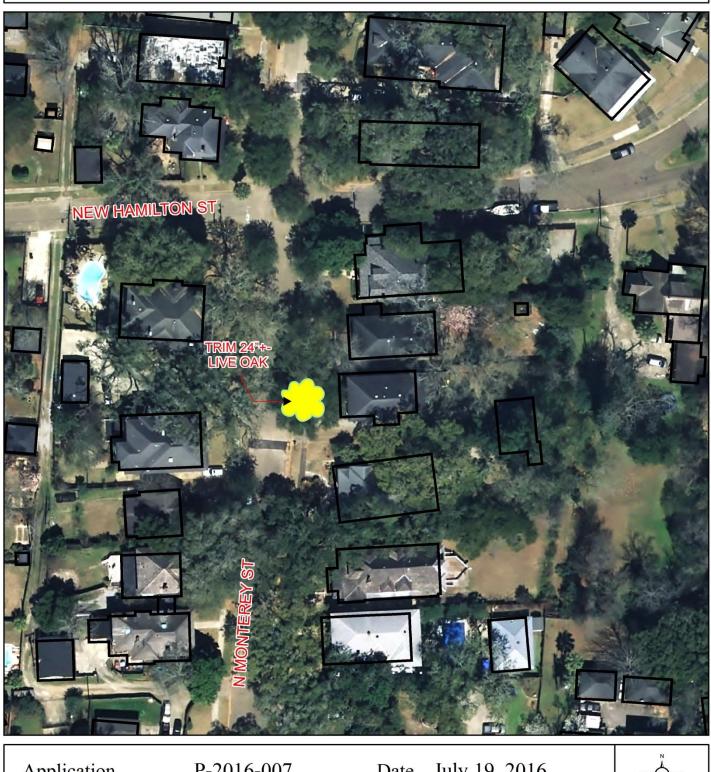
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Application	P-2016-007	Date July 19, 2016	W-Q-E	
Location	14 N Mo	S		
Request	Trim a 24"	MOBILE TREE		
1 inch = 75 feet				

City of Mobile Urban Development Urban Forestry Tree Evaluation -23-Date: 14 N. Monterey Location: Mobile, AL (R/W ) City Property Private Property ive Oak Type: Size (DBH): Trim Remove No Work Work Classification: CUT ROOT Circle Defect In Sketch Roots: The rost structure of the till is in Condition with no decay even or ending of rost rot. The trunk of the tree shows no can Trunk: decay or seams, appears to be in good condition No branch decay seen and very min Branches: 1 or less in dian developerent. Dealwood is The tree has a full green herd Foliage: Evaluation Done B







