UPDATE COUNTY TREE PROTECTION POLICIES

WHEREAS the loss of trees, woodlands, and forests occurs in increments and often times without public Notice or environmental review;

WHEREAS the County of Sonoma is responsible for land use decisions affecting trees, woodlands, and forests;

WE THE UNDERSIGNED urge the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors to **update County policies** that currently allow tree removal:

a) in exchange for nominal fees,
b) allows tree removal according to a developer's preferences despite the existing and emerging science on the importance of trees,
c) allows exemptions for large agricultural developments like vineyards, and
d) allows tree removal along roadways including Highway 101.

Print your name _____ AND _____ the City where you live

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