

Tree Activity Quarterly Report

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The following data is based on activities and decisions by the Arborist Division within the Department of City Planning. It includes information related to private property only and does not include public property tree activity. That data is maintained by the Department of Parks and Recreation. To see current DPR tree postings with associated data, [visit their website](#). Efforts to consolidate reporting are underway. Any questions can be directed to the Arborist staff at arborist.dpcd@atlantaga.gov or by phone at 404-330-6111.

Arborist Approved Tree Removal and Replacement by Permit Type

Permit Type	# of Applications	Trees Destroyed or Removed				Trees Impacted		Trees Replaced		Replacement (stem for stem)
		Number	DBH	DBH, unknown^	Acreage cleared	Number	DBH	Number	TCI	%
Landscape	6	9	184	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%
Infrastructure	0	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	
Plan Review (173 commercial, 847 residential)	1,020	3,578	51,281	0	44	0	0	2,016	6,373	56%
Total	1,026	3,587	51,465	0	44	0	0	2,016	6,373	56%

Dead, Dying, or Hazardous (DDH) Tree Activity

Quadrant	Sites Inspected	Trees Approved as DDH		% Approved	Trees Denied as DDH		% Denied
		Number	DBH	%	Number	DBH	%
Dead, Dying, Hazardous	1,479	2,858	58,520	89%	368	8,118	11%
Total	1,479	2,858	58,520	89%	368	8,118	11%

Illegal Tree Removal and Replacement

Record Type	Records	Trees Destroyed or Removed				Trees Replaced	
		Number	DBH	DBH, unknown^	Acreage cleared	Number	TCI
Illegal Activity	98	305	5,928	60	0.5	0	0
Total	98	305	5,928	60	0.5	0	0

TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES REMOVED	6,810
TOTAL DBH OF TREES REMOVED	115,913
TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES PLANTED	2,016
TOTAL CALIPER INCHES PLANTED	6,373

Helpful Definitions:

- Applications submitted** = Total number of projects reviewed by the Arborist. Not all projects requested tree removals and were stautused as Approved-No Trees Destroyed.
- DBH** = Diameter at Breast Height is the standard measure for the size of a tree.
- DBH unknown** = the count of trees where removal has occurred and there is no ability to determine the diameter of tree removed, i.e., cut down to the stump or grinded.
- Infrastructure** = Permits for tree removal when installing infrastructure (utilities, etc.) on a property
- Landscape** = Permits for tree removal where no other planned construction on the property is occuring.
- Plan Review** = Approvals for tree removal when associated with planned construction and development of a property, including all commercial, multi-family, and residential project scopes.
- Sites Inspected** = Total number of sites requesting a DDH inspection
- TCI** = Total Caliper Inches is the standard measure for the size of a tree that was replanted