

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	Applications submitted	Trees Destroyed or Removed				Trees Impacted		Trees Replaced		Replacement (stem for stem)
		Number	DBH	DBH, unknown^	Acreage cleared	Number	DBH	Number	TCI	%
Landscape	4	27	279	0	0	0	0	24	103	89%
Infrastructure	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Plan Review (150 commercial, 816 residential)	966	2,484	34,161	0	21	0	0	2,321	7,500	93%
Total	970	2,511	34,440	0	21	0	0	2,345	7,603	182%

Dead, Dying, or Hazardous (DDH) Tree Activity

Quadrant	Sites Inspected	Trees Approved as DDH		Trees Denied as DDH		% Denied
		Number	DBH	Number	DBH	%
Dead, Dying, Hazardous	1,193	2,321	47,300	303	7,065	12%
Total	1,193	2,321	47,300	303	7,065	12%

Illegal Tree Removal and Replacement

Record Type	Records	Trees Destroyed or Removed				Trees Replaced	
		Number	DBH	DBH, unknown^	Acreage cleared	Number	TCI
Illegal Activity	63	203	3,985	0	0	9	24
Total	63	203	3,985	0	0	9	24

TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES REMOVED	5,035
TOTAL DBH OF TREES REMOVED	85,725
TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES PLANTED	2,354
TOTAL CALIPER INCHES PLANTED	7,627

Helpful Definitions:

- Applications submitted** = Total number of projects reviewed by the Arborist. Not all projects requested tree removals and were statused 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 occurring.
- 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