

Dear Ms. Blancato,

I am writing this note to tell you how important I think it is that Bill 5049 get passed and that the removal of trees becomes the auspices of the municipalities.

Trees are a very important part of our ecosystem, we all know this. Even so, many people disregard this fact and clear cut their property to 'develop' it. In most cases, the removal of mature trees is contraindicated for the conservation of vital microhabitats. Such decisions should be left to professionals who can determine the importance or not of the trees.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

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