



Tree Removal Process

To aid homeowners in the process of removing a tree from their property this guide has been established. Please be aware that regulations and permit processes change and the owner is responsible to make sure that all applicable city regulations are followed.

For trees less than eight inches in diameter, at 4.5 feet above the ground.

Only an ACC request is required. To calculate diameter measure around the tree 4.5 feet above the ground and divide by 3.14.

For trees greater than eight inches in diameter, at 4.5 feet above the ground.

1. See Section 6.16 of the City of North Charleston city ordinances covering tree protection, this will explain the various rules regarding tree removal.
https://library.municode.com/sc/north_charleston/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=COOR_APXAZORE_ARTVIARYAOTRE_S6-16TRPR
2. Obtain an approved ACC request from the Sand Pines HOA.
3. Apply for a tree removal permit from the City of North Charleston.
<http://www.northcharleston.org/Business/Construction-and-Development/Permits/Tree-Removal-Permit.aspx>

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