TREE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT FORM

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING THE AGREEMENT

To participate in the Tree Planting Partnership and receive a tree in the parkway adjacent to a property, the property owner must accept responsibility for the tree’s maintenance and survival, which includes:

- Watering: The property owner will be responsible for watering the planted tree according to the tree care guide provided for the life of the tree.
- Debris: The tree basin must be kept free of leaves, trash/debris and weeds and the property owner will maintain the stakes and ties until the time at which they should be removed.
- Replacement: If a tree does not survive due to poor maintenance, the property owner will be responsible to replace the dead tree.
- Pruning: If a property owner wishes to have a parkway tree trimmed sooner than the City can schedule it, they may request and complete a no-fee Permit to Trim a Street Tree. The property owner shall be responsible for the tree trimming and for all costs related to it, including cleanup. For trims related to safety (tree limbs that interfere with safe passage of vehicles or pedestrians) contact Public Works to schedule trimming at (562) 570-2700 *4.

I HAVE READ THE CITY OF LONG BEACH “TREE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT” AND UNDERSTANDING THE RESPONSIBILITIES I ASSUME IN PARTICIPATING IN THE CITY OF LONG BEACH TREE PLANTING PARTNERSHIP

I, _____________________________, owner of the property at address _____________________________, Long Beach, CA Zip Code ________________, agree to properly maintain the trees planted in the public right of way, in proximity to this property for a long as I own this property.

I also agree to hold the City of Long Beach harmless from all liability associated with the trees or tree planting and maintenance.

Property Owner Name: ____________________________________________________________

Property Owner Address: __________________________________________________________

Email: __________________________________________________________________________

Signature: ___________________________ Date: __________________

For more information about the Tree Partnership Tree Planting Program, contact:

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