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Chair Schrader and Board of Commissioners
Clackamas County
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Dear Commissioners Kennemer, Peterson and Schrader,

We are writing to show the Clackamas Community Land Trust's (CCLT) support of Clackamas County Urban Green's efforts to enact an urban tree conservation ordinance.

In the course of our business as developers of affordable housing, CCLT is dedicated to using our resources to promote a more sustainable world. Our commitment integrates methods and strategies that nurture and steward our natural capital, promote our community capital and make prudent use of our economic capital.

We believe that a balance can and must be found between development and preservation. This is especially necessary in north Clackamas County where development is moving quickly. With thoughtfulness and good planning it is possible to preserve heritage trees on developable land.

Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

Sarah Buckley
Executive Director