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Date: 4/18/19

To: Cody Snyder

From: Jan Scow

Subject: Conversation with LA City Urban Forestry Dept re: Italian Cypress

References:

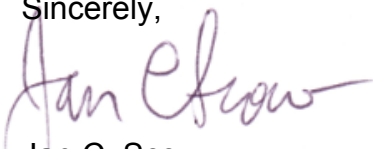
- 1) Email, dated 3/26/19 at 11:12AM, Snyder (online form)
- 2) Email, dated 4/15/19 at 2:51PM, Lancaster (assignment)

We were asked to have a conversation with the LA City Urban Forestry Department to determine the protected status of an Italian cypress (*Cupressus sempervirens*) located on the project at 1424 N Deepwater Avenue in Wilmington. The tree is a non-protected species that is located on private property, but falls within the boundary of a proposed land dedication for public right-of-way, meaning the protected status of the tree has come into question.

We visited the Urban Forestry counter at the LA City Public Works building on 4/18/19 to ask about this situation. As per Elyse at the counter, who confirmed her response with John Kim, the tree is not protected, even considering the proposed land dedication.

Please let us know if we can be of any further assistance or if you have any additional questions. Our goal is to satisfy our clients and help them to better care for their trees in the most effective way possible. We look forward to working with you toward that goal!

Sincerely,



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