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**Tree Removal on Private Property - Fines** – For the purpose of establishing fines for the removal of certain trees; and providing an effective date.

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**CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
City of Annapolis**

**Resolution 23-21**

**Introduced by: Alderman Savidge**

**Co-sponsored by: Alderwoman Tierney, Alderman Arnett**

**Referred to****Public Hearing****Environmental Matters Committee****Transportation Committee****A RESOLUTION** concerning

**Tree Removal on Private Property - Fines**

**FOR** the purpose of establishing fines for the removal of certain trees; and providing an effective date.

**WHEREAS,** Ordinance 33-21 authorizes fines for the removal of certain trees; and

**WHEREAS,** Resolution 23-21 establishes fines for violations of Section 14.12.095 of the Code of the City of Annapolis.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ANNAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL** that the Fiscal Year 2021 Fines Schedule is amended as follows:

<b>Code Reference</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Fine for Initial Offense</b>	<b>Fine for Repeat or Continuous Violations</b>
14.12.095-H	Tree conservation area—tree removal	\$500.00/EACH TREE GREATER THAN FIVE INCHES UP TO 23 INCHES IN DIAMETER	\$500.00
	ON PRIVATE PROPERTY ANYWHERE WITHIN CITY	<u>\$1,000.00/EACH TREE</u> GREATER THAN 23 INCHES IN DIAMETER	<u>\$1,000.00/EACH TREE</u> GREATER THAN 23 INCHES IN DIAMETER

	LIMITS – TREE REMOVAL		
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**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE ANNAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL** that this resolution shall become effective upon the effective date of Ordinance 33-21.

**EXPLANATION**

UPPERCASE indicates matter added to existing law.  
~~Strikethrough~~ indicates matter stricken from existing law.  
Underlining indicates amendments