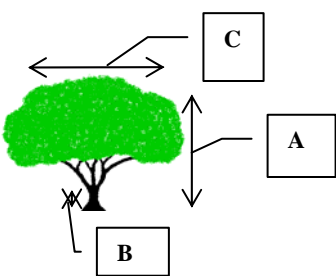


ARBORIST ADVISORY COMMITTEE
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

Criteria for Exceptional Trees

<p>Exceptional Tree Definition States: “An Exceptional Tree is an individual tree or stand or grove of trees with historic or cultural value, or which by reason of its age, rarity, location, size, esthetic quality, or endemic status has been designated by the county committee as worthy of preservation. Exceptional trees may be designated generally by biotaxy or individually by location or class.” <i>Act 105 Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawai`i.</i></p>	
<p>Information about the Nomination Applications are reviewed monthly, and if approved are submitted to the City Council annually, generally in the spring.</p>	
<p>Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Attach at least one recent photo of the tree(s) or palm(s). ▪ For a tree/palm to be designated “<i>Exceptional</i>,” it must have one or more of the following attributes. 	
<p>Age: (In years) <input type="checkbox"/> 0-20 <input type="checkbox"/> 21-50 <input type="checkbox"/> 51-75 <input type="checkbox"/> 76-100 <input type="checkbox"/> 101+</p>	
<p>Rarity: (There are others.....) Please check box below <input type="checkbox"/> In the surrounding area <input type="checkbox"/> In the City <input type="checkbox"/> On the island <input type="checkbox"/> In the State</p>	
<p>Size in Height:(In feet from ground to top of tree.) See diagram A . Please check box below <input type="checkbox"/> 0-20 <input type="checkbox"/> 21-50 <input type="checkbox"/> 51-75 <input type="checkbox"/> 76-100 <input type="checkbox"/> 101+</p>	
<p>Diameter of Trunk in Inches: (DBH:measured at 54 inches above the ground) See diagram B Please check box below <input type="checkbox"/> 0-10 <input type="checkbox"/> 11-20 <input type="checkbox"/> 21-30 <input type="checkbox"/> 31-50 <input type="checkbox"/> 51-70 <input type="checkbox"/> 71+</p>	
<p>Size of Canopy: (From edge to edge of tree canopy in feet) See diagram C. Please check box below. <input type="checkbox"/> 0-20 <input type="checkbox"/> 21-50 <input type="checkbox"/> 51-75 <input type="checkbox"/> 76-100 <input type="checkbox"/> 101+</p>	
<p>Exceptional Qualities of this tree are: Please check all that apply. <input type="checkbox"/> Historic Value <input type="checkbox"/> Endemic Status: (Unique to a Hawai`i, not found elsewhere) <input type="checkbox"/> Aesthetic Quality: (What makes it stand out?) <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Value</p>	
 <p style="text-align: center;">Diagram</p>	<p>Please explain based on the criteria selected above, why this tree is exceptional:</p>

The Nomination Application:

1. Application form
2. Current photo of the tree(s)/palm(s)
3. Site map

Returned to:

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