

## Project Background

In the spring of 2019, Calaveras County Department of Public Works contracted with ACRT Pacific LLC to conduct an assessment of 93 trees in the public right of way on Main Street in Murphys, CA. This was done in response to various complaints from residents and businesses of falling limbs and tree failure.

The results of that assessment showed that over half of the trees on Main Street are in good health and require no maintenance at this time.

The report also indicated that 22 of the trees assessed are in need of corrective maintenance to return to good health and 23 of the trees are in such poor health they must be removed. These trees pose a significant risk to public safety.

Since receiving this report, Public Works has issued a Request for Proposals and has contracted with West Coast Arborists Inc. to conduct the tree removal and maintenance work.

Work is scheduled to be occur between October 7, 2019 and November 1, 2019.



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## Tree Maintenance and Removal Project: Main Street Murphys

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**Murphys Tree Maintenance Project**



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## Project Description

The Tree Maintenance Project on Main Street in Murphys will entail the trimming of 22 trees and the removal of 23 trees within the public right of way between French Gulch Road and Scott Street.

Work will begin on October 7, 2019 and may continue through November 1, 2019. Lane and sidewalk closures will be in effect and flaggers will be on-site directing traffic.

Limbs and woody debris will be removed daily and transported off-site to be recycled and repurposed.

Equipment will be stored off-site.



## Additional Information

A copy of the report submitted by ACRT Pacific detailing the health assessment of the 93 trees in the public right of way on Main Street in Murphys is available for download on the Public Works website.

This report outlines the methods used in the health assessment, an inventory of the public trees, and general analysis of trees' health. The report also contains a map of Main Street with the trees marked for maintenance, monitoring, or removal.

Visit the page listed below and click the Forms and Documents tab.

<https://publicworks.calaverasgov.us/Public-Works/Forms-and-Documents>

## What to Expect

- Intermittent sidewalk and lane closures.
- Traffic control, flaggers, and delays.
- Boom truck and crane activity in the area.
- Parking restrictions will be posted 24 hours in advance of work.
- Work will be conducted Monday through Friday during daylight hours.

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