From: Alan Edmondson

Sent: Monday, May 3, 2021 9:23 AM

To: Distrib- City Clerk < City. Clerk@cityofsanrafael.org>

Subject: 3rd Street plan

Dear City Council,

I recognize the need to improve 3rd street. I am writing to ask that you spare the large median tree by removing 2 parking spaces.

Trees beautify, sequester carbon, provide shade and have a general calming effect on all who drive, walk or live nearby, often without being noticed. Those parking spaces are used only by the closest residents. They will probably miss the tree more than the parking spaces.

"You don't know what you've got till it's gone" - Joni Mitchell

Thank you, Alan Edmondson

San Rafael