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Hello Mr. Garcia,

I've been a resident in the City of Whittier 22 years. My family and I moved from Texas and this is the first and only city we've lived in since our big move. I treasure all the beautiful that entails and makes our lovely city of Whittier. I've spent countless times in uptown Whittier, I've driven many time by there and I'm always in awe of the beautiful trees. Please do NOT allow them to get removed. Without our big beautiful trees, our street will look plain, boring and just not attractive. Call it nostalgia, or whatever you like, but these trees are a signature to our city. I hope you take this plea into consideration and allow the trees to stay. Lastly, let's take note that these trees are living things and they give our environment and our lungs so much life and energy. Don't deprived us of this simple joy.

Thank you for your attention.

April Armendariz  
Sent from my iPhone