Resolution 040306-01

A Resolution Establishing a Tree Removal Replacement Fee Pursuant to Section 18-28 of the Municipal Code of the Village of Fontana on Geneva Lake

Whereas, the Village Board has the authority pursuant to Section 18-28 of the Municipal Code to set a tree removal replacement fee in the Village of Fontana on Geneva Lake; and

Whereas, the Park Committee has both reviewed and recommended to the Village Board that the tree removal fee be established and,

Whereas, the Village Board has determined that on the subject of the tree mitigation policy, an alternative to the actual replacement of removed protected trees shall be the payment of a tree removal replacement fee, as established herein, which shall be held in a segregated tree reforestation fund to be used as determined by the Village Park Commission or Village Tree Board deem appropriate in furtherance of the Village's commitment to maintain the Village's tree canopy.

Tree Removed	Removal Replacement Fee
8" – 20" DBH	\$400.00 for each protected tree removed.
21" – 40" DBH	\$600.00 for each protected tree removed.
Greater than 41" DBH	\$800.00 for each protected tree removed.
"Clear Cutting": removal of more than	As determined through the Conditional Use
30% of trees having a DBH of 8" or more	Permit and/or Planned Development
	Zoning process, and approved by the
	Village Board.

Now Therefore, Be it Resolved by the Village Board of the Village of Fontana on Geneva Lake that the fee as authorized by Section 18-28 shall be established and shall remain in force until again set by the Village Board.

Approved and Adopted this 3rd day of April, 2006.

		Board of Trustees of the Village of Fontana on Geneva Lake
		By: Thomas W. Whowell, President
Attest:	ennis L. Martin, Clerk	