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I wanted to reach out and voice my concern about this proposal and let you know that I completely disagree.

It will put undue burden on homeowners and tree companies. What happens after a storm, do you need a permit to cut down a tree that falls within the size guidelines? What happens if a tree falls down on its own after a storm do you need to plant 3 more? What if I would rather plant bushes and flowers?

This is another example of the town trying to tell homeowners what they can or cannot do.

How about all of the land that P&Z has allowed to be used for condos that had beautiful landscapes. Why is a homeowner potentially now burden with getting a permit when P&Z allows tons of space to be converted to apartments and condos. The lot across from Greens Farms elementary school was a beautiful yard with lots of foliage that (I believe) was approved to be turned into condos.

Too much hypocrisy!

## You may soon need a permit to cut down trees in Westport

