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City of Lafayette to Replace Invasive Callery Pear Trees at City Garage Labor and new trees will be donated from area businesses.

LAFAYETTE, INDIANA – November 18, 2020 – The City of Lafayette will be removing 13 invasive Callery Pear Trees at the City Parking Garage on 5th Street beginning today.

The City will collaborate with area businesses to remove and plant the new trees. TNT Tree Service of Lafayette will provide tree removal service and funds for the new trees. Restoration Nursery in Battleground, a working nursery that hire staff that are in recovery from addiction to gain experience for future employment, will be used to purchase the new trees with funds provided by TNT Tree Service. Custom Cuts Landscaping of Lafayette will donate the labor to plant the new trees and provide landscaping upgrades at the City Garage.

“We are thrilled that TNT Tree Service and Custom Cuts Landscaping have come together to provide these services to our city”, states Mayor Tony Roswarski. “This partnership is what makes our community so special. Area businesses see the need and come forward with their time, talents and financial support.”

After the trees are removed this week, new trees will be planted the following week. The City ask that you observe any lane restrictions around the City Garage over the next couple of weeks as these companies come together to assist the City on this project.

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