## Attachment 2

## **Arborist Certification Statement**

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (print name),

of The Oakley Group LLC (firm name),

hereby acknowledge that:

- 1. I have read the City of Paso Robles Oak Tree Preservation Ordinance (<u>Chapter 10.01</u>) and am aware of its provisions;
- 2. I understand that I will be held accountable for violation of the terms of this ordinance;
- 3. I have read the City's Oak Tree Impact Evaluation Report Guidelines and understand that any report must comply with this criteria or it will be rejected by the City;
- 4. I understand that I require a valid City business license to perform work within the City limits; and,
- 5. I would like to be included on the City's approved list of ISA-certified arborists.

My ISA Certification number is: ISA BCMA WE-9474B ASCA RCA #556

Signature: Samuel Oakley

Date: 7/27/23

Please make the following address/phone/e-mail corrections:

Mailing address: PO Box 2412, Pismo Beach, CA 93448

office: 805-270-3439

cell: 415-407-6995

email: info@oakleygroup.org



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July 27, 2023

Sam Oakley (Point of Contact) The Oakley Group, LLC PO Box 2412 Pismo Beach, CA 93448 sam@oakleygroup.org (805) 270-3439

To whom it may concern,

Thank you for the opportunity to work within the City of Paso Robles as a City-Approved Arborist. I am excited and committed to performing within the provisions of the City of Paso Robles Oak Tree Preservation Ordinance for any projects I am retained to work on within the city limits of Paso Robles.

I have extensive experience and interest in performing and preparing tree inspection reports, tree risk assessments, tree appraisals, and reports specifying tree protection measures related to development, and I think that I would be an asset in preparing and reviewing needed arborist reports, reviewing tree protection plans, reviewing Protected tree removal/pruning permits applications, formulating conditions of approvals for tree removal permits, conducting site visits, reviewing the feasibility of design alternatives, monitoring replacement trees and noticing, etc. while helping make the decisions on tree removal permits, reviewing and providing comments on tree protection plans and development applications regarding impacts to trees.

I possess the following qualifications:

- Master's Degree in Geography/Natural Resources Management
- Geographic Information Systems/mapping specialist
- International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) Board Certified Master Arborist (WE-9474B);
- Current ISA Tree Risk Assessment Qualification holder;
- Registered Consulting Arborist (#556), American Society of Consulting Arborists (ASCA).

I appreciate the opportunity to work with you and hope that I can provide value and extensive expertise to help manage your urban forest.

Sincerely,

Sam Oakley Owner The Oakley Group, LLC