

Recognized May 2010

Points of Interest

Owner: Michael & Rachel Hitchcock

Location: SE Linden Lane

Species: Atlas Cedar (*Cedrus atlantica*)

Age: Unknown

Height: Approx. 96 feet

Canopy: 36 feet

Diameter: 4 feet, 6 inches

Health: Good

Significant Features

Located along the Trolley Trail path

Spectacular canopy

A community icon

Hitchcock Property

Atlas Cedar Tree

This Atlas Cedar is located off of SE Linden Lane and west of McLoughlin Boulevard next to the Trolley Trail.

The branches extending low from the ground provide a thick low canopy spread of approximately 36 feet. A typical canopy for this species at maturity is 40 feet.

The tree is mature and approximately 96 feet tall. This species has a rapid growth for the first 10 years and at full maturity will range from 98.4 to 114.8 feet.

The tree is a large and unique specimen with a split trunk approximately 3 feet from the base and a circumference of 4 feet, 6 inches.

An assortment of branches extending from the trunk vary in size and formation. Typically the species has a horizontal branch extension.

This Atlas Cedar tree qualifies under the Heritage Tree categories of specimen, historic feature and landmark.



Upper right: Atlas Cedar

Right: Branch detail