

Clackamas County Heritage Tree Program

Approved 2012

Points of Interest

Owner: Karen Brecknock

Location: SE Lindy St., Happy Valley

Species: Schwedler Norway Maple (Acer platanoides "Schwedleri')

Age: 64 years

Height: 52 & 56 feet

Canopy: 55 & 52 feet

Diameter: 26 & 30

inches

Circumference: 7 feet, 2 inches & 8 feet,

2 inches

Health: Good

Significant Features

Two healthy specimens in the local area.

Brecknock Property

Schwedler Norway Maples (stand of 2 trees)

These two deciduous trees are notable figures in the neighborhood. They provide a dense shaded canopy in the summer and a year-round wildlife refuge for local birds, squirrels and other small wildlife. In 1947 Edward Williams bought the 0.6 acre property for \$10 and built the house on the property. These two trees were planted on the property in memory of the Williams' lowa origins.

The Schwedler Norway Maple species is a fast-growing variety of the Norway Maple. The species typically reaches a height of 35 to 50 feet with a 25 to 30 foot upright, round canopy that can extend to 50 feet.

These two Schwedler Norway Maples are nominated and approved under the Heritage Tree category of specimen.



