

# **Clackamas County Heritage Tree Program**

Approved 2012

### **Points of Interest**

Owner: Valda Hattan

**Location:** 4504 SE River Dr., Milwaukie

**Species:** Silver Maple (Acer saccharinum)

**Age:** Approx. 55-65

years old

Height: Approx. 51 feet

Canopy: Approx.

55 feet

Diameter: 31 inches

Circumference: 8 feet,

5 inches

**Health:** Good

#### **Significant Features**

A healthy specimen and community land-mark in the neighborhood.

## **Hattan Property**

# Silver Maple

This Silver Maple tree is located on an urbansized parcel in the Milwaukie area of unincorporated Clackamas County. The size of the tree and draw of the foliage has made it a neighborhood landmark.

The tree, which was planted by Valda Hattan, has been the site for many family memories including picnics and weddings.

Silver Maple trees are native to eastern North America and eastern Canada and known to be one of the most common trees in the United States.

The species has a typical height of 50 to 80 feet with a 35 to 50-foot wide canopy. The species has a brittle bark that leaves it susceptible to damage in storms. These trees are commonly found along waterways and in wetlands. They are considered to be highly adaptable.

This Silver Maple is nominated and approved under the Heritage Tree categories of specimen and landmark.



