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Re:

503 Wire Mill Road

Stamford, CT.

On Monday and Tuesday, February 06th and 07th 2023, I visited the site to inspect the trees within the proposed 3 lot subdivision. The subdivision area is a stand of non-maintained woodland trees. The majority of the trees are of poor quality, many of which have developed unbalanced canopies due to crowding, high canopy structure, (which is not uncommon for woodland trees competing for sunlight) and/or structural flaws and defects from previous damage and lack of care.

Twenty-one trees consisting of various species were identified during the inspection which were of fair or good quality. These trees have been marked with orange ribbon, numbered and have had diameter measured in the field.

The inventory numbers have been transferred onto the site map to plot their location. Some of these trees may prove to be worth preserving if their location does not interfere with developing the lots.

Please see the attached list of trees, correlating inventory numbers and recommendations for preservation.

Rich Whitehead

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