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The 2016 Seattle Canopy Cover Assessment stated that there were only 6,338 trees of trunk diameter of 30" and greater left in the city. Help us find them.

We now have over 1400 majestic trees that have been submitted by volunteers from every neighborhood in Seattle. Our focus currently is to analyze and report the key points of our census findings to community groups.

The Last 6000 Campaign had a table at the **Magnolia Farmers Market** on Saturday, August 7, 2021, and we enjoyed talking with the numerous people stopping by to look at the select photos of the majestic trees submitted by volunteers for the 98199 Zip Code.





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Ninety-five majestic trees were submitted during the campaign for the 98199 Zip Code, including 18 Giant Sequoias. Sixty-eight of those trees were Evergreen trees and twenty-seven were Deciduous trees. Eighty-four were on private property and eleven were on public property. Nine of those trees were under power lines.

The four most common species submitted were: Western Red Cedars, Big Leaf Maples, Giant Sequoias, and Douglas Firs.

Our findings also indicated that one of the largest Japanese Maples in the city and one of the largest Elm trees in the city are in the 98199 Zip Code.



We were happy to receive two additional submissions right after our day at the Farmers Market – a majestic Western Red Cedar and majestic Pine

Thanks very much!

A big thanks to Swanson's Nursery for donating five small Douglas Firs to give away to raffle winners. And thank you to Vanishing Seattle for donating a copy of the iconic book Trees of Seattle by Arthur Lee Jacobson to the Last 6000 Campaign.

