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Tree Assessment

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The purpose of this report is to inventory and assess the trees located on and immediately adjacent to 1070 Bakervale Road. The fieldwork was completed on April 26, 2023, and all trees 10 centimetres in diameter and greater were captured. In total, 7 trees were identified and assessed.

All of the trees were found to be native to the region- White Spruce (*Picea glauca*), Black Ash (*Fraxinus nigra*), White Cedar (*Thuja Occidentalis*) and Red Maple (*Acer rubrum*); with the exception of a Siberian Elm (*Ulmus pumila*), and an ornamental Cherry (Prunus). The trees are generally in good/fair health, with no visible signs of the Emerald Ash borer present on the Ash tree.

Since the site is located within the suburban area of Ottawa, two trees are considered distinctive trees as they measure greater than 50cm DBH. The first is a city tree that is located in the Right-of Way (Tree #2 Siberian Elm), the second is located along the rear property line (Tree #4 White Spruce). A detailed tree inventory list is provided below.

Number	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Health	Ownership	Status
1	Acer rubrum	Red Maple	30	Fair/Good	City	Protect
2	Ulmus pumila	Siberian Elm	51	Fair/Good	City	Protect
3	Fraxinus nigra	Black Ash	15, 9	Fair	Private	Protect
4	Picea glauca	White Spruce	52	Good	Private	Protect
5	Thuja occidentalis	White Cedar	12,19	Good	Boundary Tree with 1067 Chevrier Street	Protect
6	Thuja occidentalis	White Cedar	24,16	Good	Boundary Tree with 1067 Chevrier Street	Protect
7	Prunus	Cherry	13	Good	Neighbouring property (1066 Bakervale drive)	

Impacted Vegetation

All existing trees in and adjacent to the property will be protected. The critical root zone of all seven trees will not be impacted as a result of the proposed development. The attached drawings provide the proposed method and location for the tree protection fencing.

Regards,

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