

TREE DIAMETER MEASUREMENT

You may cut down trees on your property **which are less than 10 inches in diameter, measured at shoulder height, approximately 54 inches from the ground, according to US Forestry measurement guidelines.**

To find the diameter, measure completely around the tree with a cloth measuring tape at shoulder height. If that measurement is more than 31.41 inches, the tree is 10 inches or more in diameter and you must submit a Gold Ridge Forest Disposition of Trees on Homeowner's Lot form to get board approval to cut down the tree.

If the measurement less than 31.41 inches, you may cut down the tree, GRF board approval is not required.