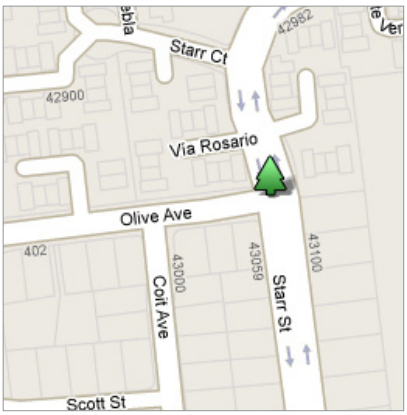
Olea europaea
Olive

Starr Street & Olive Avenue
Mission San Jose District



Approximate location on map.

Olives in planter median located in residential neighborhood,

Photo Taken: July 2010

MSJ-15 TREE INFORMATION/July 2010

HEIGHT: Average 18 ft.
SPREAD: Average 27 ft.
DBH: Average 1ft. 7.5 in.
QUANTITY: Numerous, on Planter Strips
NATIVE TO: Mediterranean region
LANDMARK DATE: June 07, 1991

These landmark Olives are remnants of what used be the Palmdale Estate. They create a stunning median along the length of Olive Avenue and Starr Street. These palms are listed as one of the City's Landscape Primary Historic Resources, which is a collection of the City's historical landmarks.[23]

Olives are broadleaf evergreen trees whose character develop with age as the trunks become gnarled and twisted.[14]