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> Jessica Schweifel Founder Root for Trees 36 Remsen Street, #5 Brooklyn, New York 11201

Dear Ms. Schweifel:

Manhattan Community Board No 4 enthusiastically supports the work of **Root for Trees**. Root for Trees is a New York City based nonprofit organization that uses art and creative campaigns to raise environmental awareness. We understand the need for residents to become more actively engaged concerning their community trees; we support this local attempt to reclaim the importance of trees in our urban landscape. Manhattan Community Board No 4 understands the collective environmental benefits of protecting trees and looks forward to working with Root for Trees in the near future.

Sincerely,

Alestrant

John Weis Chair Manhattan Community Board No. 4

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