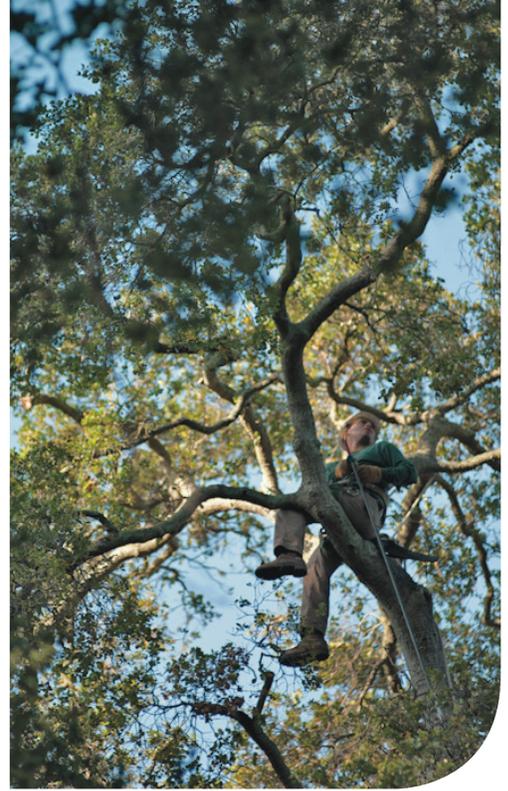




About Urban Tree Management, Inc.

Urban Tree Management, Inc. provides state of the art tree and landscape care to the San Francisco Peninsula and southern Bay Area. Founded in 1995 by Michael P. Young, the company specializes in land management for residential, estate, commercial and government properties. This includes an expertise in arboriculture and organic soil and plant care. Proper land management is an ongoing process that requires informed and diligent stewardship. Urban Tree Management supports discerning clients who understand that trees and thriving landscapes contribute immensely to our lives.



About Company Founder Michael P. Young

Michael P. Young founded Urban Tree Management in 1995, three years after graduating with honors with a Bachelor of Science and concentration in Environmental Policy, Law and Ecology from U.C. Berkeley. He is a certified arborist and a state licensed contractor with more than 26 years experience managing the San Francisco Bay Area's unique landscapes. Mr. Young is a leading expert in Bay Area tree management and has advised the public on tree evaluation and tree failure during storms. He is frequently consulted



by the media and in court trials. He currently serves on the Horticulture Advisory Board of the Gamble Garden Center in Palo Alto and the Horticulture Department of Foothill College in Los Altos. He has been teaching for more than 14 years on topics that include preserving native oaks, landscape design, pruning, horticultural practices, and small business management. Mr. Young is a lead volunteer for CANOPY Trees of Palo Alto, a nonprofit that educates, inspires and engages residents, businesses and government agencies to protect and enhance local urban forests.

