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Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission to the implementation review of the Planning and Design Code.

I am concerned about the impact of both the code and poor regulations on tree canopy right across Adelaide. You are no doubt familiar with the significant body of work published by the Conservation Council of SA and partner organisations over the last 2 years. Using an evidence-based approach, these reports highlighted how impoverished our trees have become since 2011 when significant exemptions were added to them, despite protests from both the community and experts. The Conservation Council and partner organisations have compiled a list of their top ten priorities for reform. These improvements should be supported to make our state's tree regulations best practice. Many of the changes are backed up not only by the CCSA reports but also by the independent report commissioned by the State Planning Commission.

We cannot underestimate the important role that trees play in our daily lives - we need them more than they need us. They are vital to our mental & physical health, more than the air that we breathe, remove carbon dioxide from the atmosphere, help cool our homes and streets, make our city more livable and mitigate the impacts of climate change for our children and grandchildren.

Please support the CCSA's call for stronger reform.

Yours sincerely,
John Adley

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