



Patterson Self-Storage and Packing Supply Store

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Calle Real Avocado Orchard Information

Thank you for your interest.

We get asked a lot of questions about the orchard so we telephoned our neighboring property owners to get some information which we are happy to share with you.

History

The neighboring property is a remnant of an orchard before the County bisected it with the New Calle Real and moved the Patterson on ramp. The owners continue to grow, pick and sell avocados from the orchard.

Why were the trees cut?

They are older trees and were starting to thin out. According the owner, they will grow back more fully and produce more avocados after pruning. They estimate the trees will grow to 8-10 feet in height in two years.

Why did they paint the trunks white?

The trunks are normally in the shade when the trees are mature. The white material reflects the sun and stops new growth from sprouting at the base of the tree.

If you have another question, feel free to give us a call and we will do our best to get the answer.