

Eastleigh Borough Council Tree Preservation Order and Conservation Area Assessment Form

Application Number	T/23/94635				
Surveyor	SK				
Address	1 BOTLEY ROAD, HEDGE END, SOUTHAMPTON, SO30 2RA Climbers Way Tree Care – Thomas Bunday				
Proposed work	1 no. Oak (T6)- Remove highlighted limb taking back to near union with main scaffold to a good target pruning point. 1 Group of Oaks (G3)- Reduce 0.5m past curb and crown raise to 6m to reduce the weight load and create appropriate clearance to buildings/cars to prevent damage. 1 no. Oak (T3) - Lift by 5m to reduce the weight load and create appropriate clearance to buildings/cars to prevent damage. Mixed Species Group (G1)- Remove Alder and Sycamore Saplings. Reduce Oaks by 2m from streetlight. Mixed Species Group G2) - Crown raise by 6m to reduce the weight load and create appropriate clearance to buildings/cars to prevent damage.				
Assessment Date	17/02/23				
Officer comments	Site visited and full access possible. Most of the works are routine maintenance and will keep clearance and lamp head clear but the lifting to 6m is excessive in some instances (given this is a car sales & maintenance facility and no high vehicles are anticipated for much of the site). Generally, permit but restrict works to oaks as these are already looking stressed so further demands on reserve energy are to be limited.				
Decision	Consent	Refuse	Part consent/ Part refuse	Withdrawn / Invalid	Conservation Area
					Raise no objection TPO
			X		
Decision notice	REFUSE: 1 Group of Oaks (G3)- Reduce 0.5m past curb and crown lift to 6m Mixed Species Group G2) - Crown lift by 6m CONSENT: 1 no. Oak (T6)- Remove highlighted limb taking back to union with main scaffold to a good target pruning point. 1 Group of Oaks (G3)- Reduce 0.5m past curb and crown lift to 4.5m with no cuts to be larger than 75mm in diameter.				

	1 no. Oak (T3) - Lift by up to 4.5m with no cuts to be larger than 75mm in diameter. Mixed Species Group (G1)- Remove Alder and Sycamore Saplings. Reduce Oaks by 2m from streetlight. Include removal of one alder sustaining damage on railings on west side. Mixed Species Group G2) - Crown lift by up to 4.5m with no cuts to be larger than 75mm in diameter.		
Conditions	Standard		
Notes to applicant	A 6m lift on this site is excessive and will remove a significant amount of photosynthetic area, adversely impacting the trees.		
Parish comments	No Objection subject to the usual conditions of the tree officer.		
Public objection/ support	Support	Objection	Observation
	0	0	0
Objection/ support consideration	The Parish comment has been noted.		