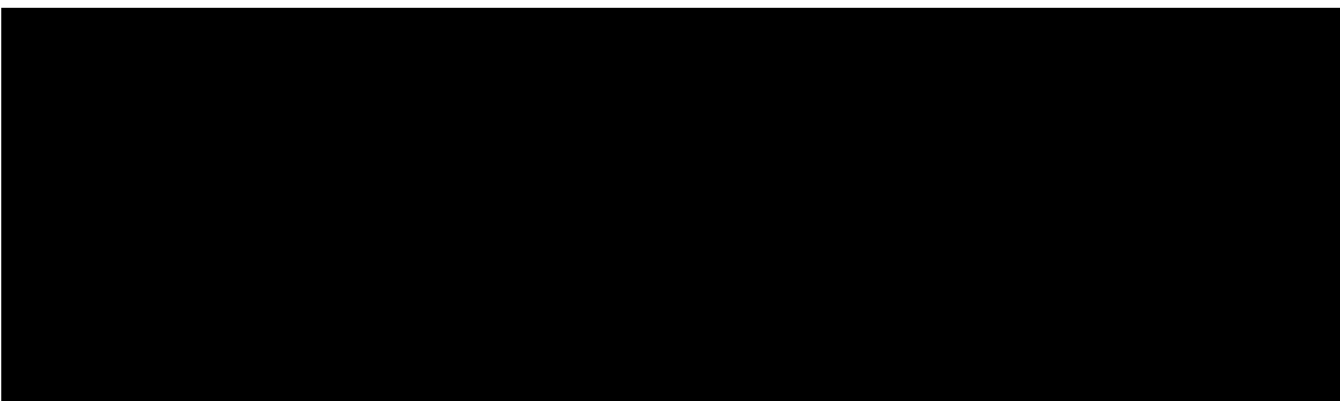
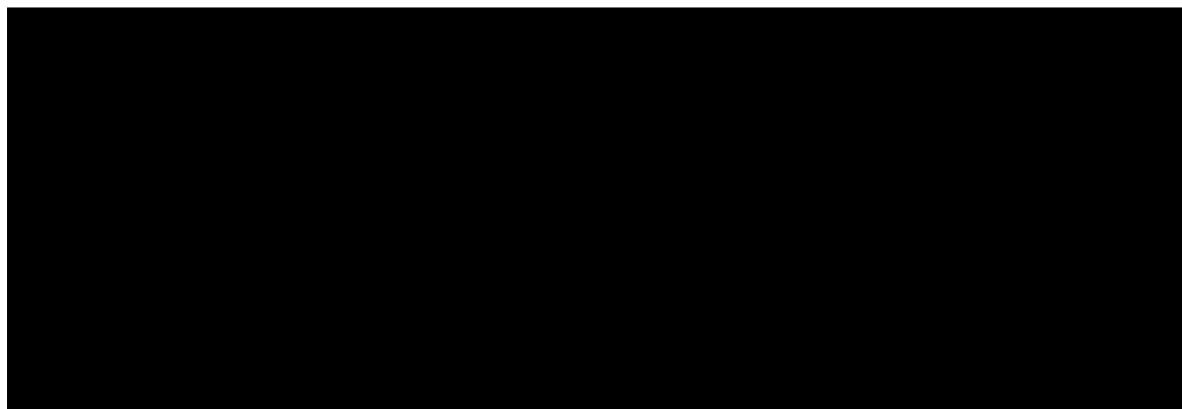


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From: Mark Warwick
Sent: 10 March 2022 16:34
To: Ben Powell [REDACTED]
Subject: Wheelwrights Close, Arundel

Hi Ben

Thank you for your email.

I visited the trees yesterday as part of my consultation to the planning team for your tree work application – AB/18/22/TC.

You must await their decision (or until the 6week period post-validation has elapsed) before undertaking that work, although the subsequently collapsed stem (part of T2 cluster) can be cleared any time. It was evidently badly decayed at the root collar (*Kretzschmaria deusta*). The rest of the tree appears not to be infected (at this time) although this type of infection can be difficult to understand fully or even observe in the absence of external fungal growth. No doubt the proposed height/spread reduction work will increase the safety margin and that work is likely to be approved.



I'll forward this correspondence to the area planning team so that they are aware you might visit to clear the collapsed stem shortly.

Kind regards,

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Hi Mark,

I currently have a job in Wheelwrights close that involves reduces 2x Sycamores and 1x Alder. Ut us situated in a conservation area so I have done all the appropriate applications. I received a call this week to say that one half of a sycamore had failed during the recent high winds and that I needed to go and have a look. Upon inspection it was clear that the failed half needs to be removed as soon as possible. I have attached photos for you to have a look at. It was dark so they aren't the best. Please could you give me your thoughts on whether the rest of the tree needs to be removed?







Many thanks,
Ben