

Application for tree works:

Notification of proposed works to a tree in a Conservation Area.

Works:

Felling of 1 No, mature Cedar (approx. 40 foot)

If approved works to be carried out by Mr. K. Wymbbs, NCHArb of KW Tree Care

Reason:

The local area has a Honey Fungus infestation and three mature trees have been lost at this property over the last twenty two years (since our occupancy). The Cedar in question has been exhibiting signs of deterioration e.g. the loss of several significant boughs. The tree is also the subject of crowding and has been the subject of woodpecker damage through to the centre of the main trunk.

Photographs 1 and 2.

Woodpecker damage to the main trunk



Photograph 3

Damage following several boughs falling



Photograph 4

One example of a significant fallen bough



Mitigation measures:

In preparation for the loss of the Cedar, 5 No Holm Oaks (*Quercus ilex*) have been planted sourced from Arundel Arboretum. Holm Oaks have been naturalised in the UK since the 16th Century and are now reflective of mature trees in the local area.

Photograph 5

One of 5 No planted Holm Oaks (*Quercus ilex*)



Location:

The Cedar is located within the rear garden of the property:-

'Harvests'
Norton Lane,
Norton,
Chichester,
West Sussex,
PO20 3NH

Figure 1

Location of "Harvests"

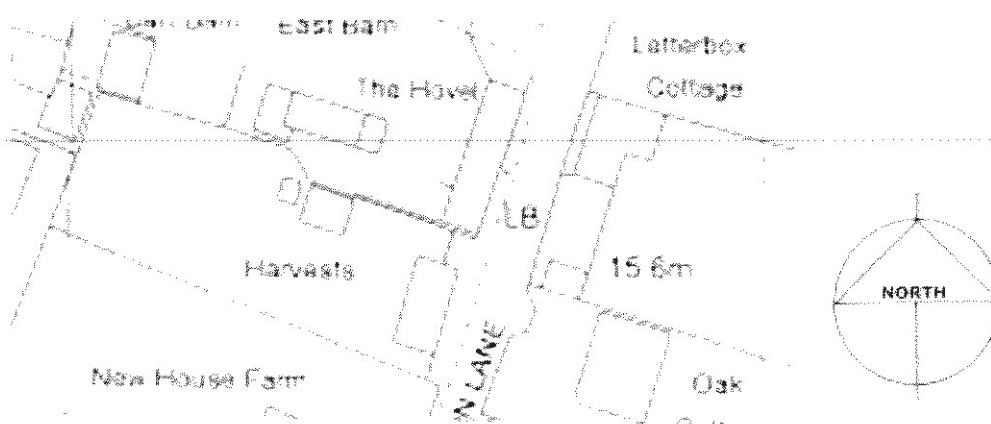


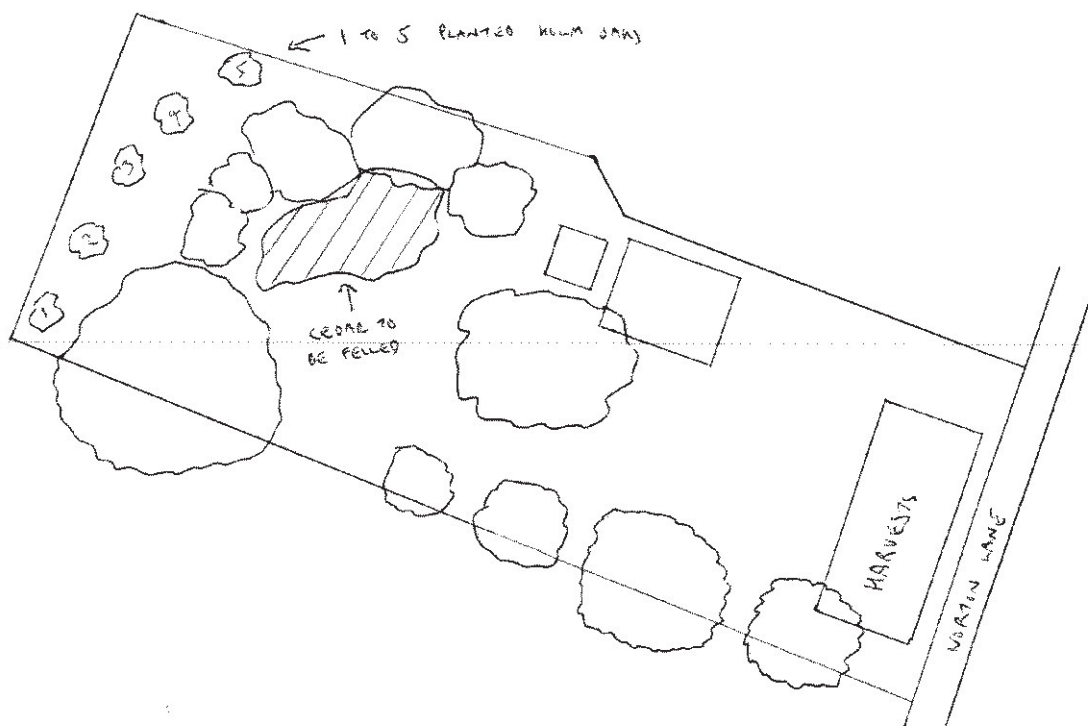
Figure 2

Aerial photograph of 'Harvests' with tree to be felled indicated



Figure 3

Sketch of 'Harvests' showing tree to be felled (red shading) and the location of 5 No Holm Oaks (Quercus ilex) planted as replacements.



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