

ADC PARKS & GREENSPACE ARBORICULTURE

FROM: Dafydd Lloyd

TO: Richard Temple

PLANNING APPLICATION: AW/239/15/TC

ADDRESS: 30 Wychwood Close Aldwick PO21 4DW

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: Fell 1No. Pine & 1No. Sycamore & Crown reduction to various trees. within the Craigwell House Conservation Area

INSPECTION DATE: 15/09/2015

RECOMMENDATION:

Objection ☐

No Objection ☒

Split Decision ☐

Comment ☒

Recommendation ☒

Suggested Conditions ☐

Tree Replacement ☐

Dead/Dangerous ☐

CA & Amenity Value ☐

T1 Species: Holly **Height:** 6 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 3.5 meters
Crown Condition: fair **Form:** fair **Age Class:** semi mature

T2 Species: Cherry **Height:** 8 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 4 meters
Crown Condition: fair to poor **Form:** fair **Age Class:** mature

T3 Species: Leyland cypress *Cupressus × leylandii* **Height:** 7 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 3 meters
Crown Condition: fair **Form:** fair **Age Class:** semi mature

T4 Species: Leyland cypress *Cupressus × leylandii* **Height:** 5 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 3 meters
Crown Condition: fair **Form:** semi mature **Age Class:** semi mature

T6 Species: Pine *Pinus spp* **Height:** 5 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 3 meters
Crown Condition: poor **Form:** semi mature **Age Class:** semi mature

T8 – T10 Species: Leyland cypress *Cupressus × leylandii* **Height:** 6 meters
Average Branch Spread: 3 meters **Crown Condition:** fair **Form:** fair **Age Class:** semi mature

T11 Species: Pittosporum **Height:** 8 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 5meters
Crown Condition: fair **Form:** fair **Age Class:** mature

T12 Species: Pittosporum **Height:** 8 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 3 meters
Crown Condition: fair **Form:** fair **Age Class:** mature

T17 Species: Sycamore *Acer pseudoplatanus* **Height:** 6 meters **Average Branch Spread:** 3 meters **Crown Condition:** fair **Form:** semi mature **Age Class:** semi mature

Comments:

- The trees cited in this application are located in the front and rear garden of 30 Wychwood Close.
- For **T1**, the applicant has applied to reduce by 0.5 meters. This action is clearly designed to adhere to the established pruning regime.
- For **T2**, the applicant has applied to reduce by 1 meter. This action is clearly designed to adhere to the established pruning regime.
- For **T3**, the applicant has applied to reduce the height by 3 meters by 1 meter and the lateral spread by 1 meter. This action is clearly designed to adhere to the established pruning regime.
- For **T4**, the applicant has applied to reduce the height by 3 meters by 1 meter and the lateral spread by 1 meter. This action is clearly designed to adhere to the established pruning regime.
- For **T6**, the applicant has applied to fell this specimen. Due to the suppression evident for **T6**, it would not have the attributes to warrant a TPO order.
- For **T8 – T10**, the applicant has applied to reduce these specimens by 2 meters. This action is clearly designed to adhere to the established pruning regime.
- For **T11**, the applicant has applied to reduce the height by 2 meters and reduce the lateral spread by 1 meter. This action is clearly designed to adhere to the established pruning regime.
- For **T12**, the applicant has applied to reduce the height by 2 meters and to crown lift to 3 meters. This action is clearly designed to adhere to the established pruning regime.
- For **T17**, the applicant has applied to fell this specimen. Due to the form and the aesthetic value, **T17** was not suitable for a TPO order.

Recommendation:

- **I would have no objection to the various proposed operations, as they are adhering to an established pruning regime.**

**Dafydd Lloyd
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