

REASONS FOR PROPOSED TREE WORK

T1 Walnut in front garden:

West stem section

- Reduce apical and lateral spread
 - Current branch length 5.0m
 - Finished branch length 3.0m
 - Current height 8.5m
 - Finished height 7.5m

East Stem section

- Reduce apical and lateral spread
 - Current branch length 5.0m
 - Finished branch length 3.0m
 - Current height 8.5m
 - Finished height 7.5m

The tree recently suffered a failure of the central stem leader due to decay, this has resulted in a loss of the crown dampening effect and the isolation of the two remaining stem sections.

The specification is intended to reduce the end weight of the two remaining stem sections and in doing so lessen the loading on their attachment points, whilst retaining the overall crown form and amenity value.