

ADC PARKS & GREENSPACE ARBORICULTURE CONSULTATION

FROM: Ian Brewster TO: Peter Cleveland

PLANNING APPLICATION: FG/88/12/T

ADDRESS: Oak Lawn Greystoke Road Ferring BN12 5JL

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: Lop & prune back to previous pruning points (approx 2m) 2 no. Holm Oak trees

INSPECTION DATE: 20th June 2012

RECOMMENDATION:

Objection ☐ No Objection ☒ Suggested Conditions ☒

Comment ☒ Recommendation ☒ Abate a Nuisance ☐

Tree Replacement ☐ Dead/Dangerous ☐ CA & Amenity Value ☐

Comments:

I met with the owner and accept the proposal for crown reduction to the previous pollard points for those points raised at the time of my visit. The work should accord with the following suggested conditions;

Planning Condition:

Re-Pollard of two Evergreen Oaks

All branch removals must occur beyond the original 'knuckle' points for both trees. There must be no cutting of live branches below these points.

Pruning wounds should not exceed 60mm in diameter.

All final pruning cuts must not be cut 'flush' to the knuckle.

They must be cut cleanly and smooth, at right angles to the direction of the pollard branch and leaving 60mm slight stub protrusions from the 'knuckle points.

REASON

'In order to ensure a satisfactory standard of tree surgery in the interests of retaining good health and amenity in accordance with policy GEN7 of the Arun District Local Plan'.

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