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**Please ask for:**

Mr D Sullivan  
on Ext: 37775

17 February 2006

St. Marys Church  
St Mary's Centre  
Grassmere Close  
Felpham  
Bognor Regis  
PO22 7NU

Dear Sir/Madam

**Trimming and pollarding of Lime trees within the Felpham Conservation Area**  
**St. Mary's Churchyard Grassmere Close Felpham**

I refer to your recent notification of your intention to carry out the above mentioned works and write to inform you that, after consideration of your proposal, it has been decided not to make a Tree Preservation Order in this case. You may therefore proceed with the works outlined in your notification.

However, I should stress that this letter conveys consent under planning legislation relating to Conservation Areas only and you should ensure that such works do not contravene other legislation e.g. Protection of Wildlife etc.

It should be noted that under Part 1 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, with only a few exceptions, it is an offence for any person to intentionally take, damage, or destroy the nest of any wild birds while the nest is in use or being built. Birds nest between March and September so that removal of dense bushes, ivy or trees, or parts of trees etc during this period could lead to an offence under the Act.

Yours faithfully

**Stephen Cantwell**  
**Planning Control Manager**

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