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Please ask for: Zoe Toppin
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Our Ref: R/230/20/TC
Your Ref:
Date: 24th November 2020

Dear Mr Wenham,

Town & Country Planning Planning Act 1990 (as amended) s211 Notice

Prior Notification of Work to Tree(s) in a Conservation Area

Development: Fell 1 No. Pittasporum tree within the Rustington Conservation area.
Location: Mitchells Cottage 24 The Street Rustington BN16 3NX

Thank you for your notification which was received on 20th November 2020. I am writing to acknowledge that it was accepted as validly made on 20th November 2020. On receipt of this letter, if you have any concerns about the way that the Council has described your application you should contact the case officer: Zoe Toppin, who is dealing with your application.

The Council will publicise this application by means of a site notice on or near the application site and on our website. **The notice needs to be displayed until the date indicated on it for comments to be made by and for not less than 21 days.** After this period it can be removed. If there are any problems with regards to the site notice (e.g. vandalism), please contact the case officer.

Your application cannot be determined until the end of the statutory publicity and consultation periods which is 24th December 2020. You can follow how your application is progressing on the Council's website:
https://www.arun.gov.uk/weekly-lists

Under section 211 of the Act, the outcome of your application will either be that the Council:
- consider it necessary in the interests of amenity not to permit the proposed works and so will make Tree Preservation Order(TPO);
- decide not to make a Tree Preservation Order and inform you, within 6 weeks from the date the notification was accepted as valid, that you can go ahead witihin 2 years of the date of the decision;
- decide not to make a Tree Preservation Order and allow the 6 weeks for determination to expire, at which point the work can go ahead so long as it is carried out within 2 years of the date the notification

was received.

Finally, can I remind you that it is a criminal offence to carry out works to trees in a Conservation Area without first having the Council's consent. The penalties are the same as those for contravening a Tree Preservation Order (TPO) , for example the owner or anyone who cuts down a tree is liable, if convicted in the Magistrates' Court to a fine up to £20,000.

Please do not hesitate to contact the case officer on the above details if you have any questions or queries. If you made a paper application and did not provide an email address, please could you do so to enable us to contact you swiftly with any queries or issues.

Yours sincerely

Neil Crowther
Group Head of Planning

For details of how the Council will deal with your data please refer to our privacy notices on the website www.arun.gov.uk/planning-privacy-statements

If you have provided an email address, all correspondence including the decision notice will be sent by email. It is therefore important that you keep us informed if this changes during the course of this application.