Outlook

Tree pruning work at 3 and 5 Bloomesbury Avenue 2 Lime trees with TPOs

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Dear Sir / Madam

I am applying for consent to undertake minor pruning works to two protected lime trees to maintain the trees health, ensure public safety and reduce the risk of damage to nearby property.

The proposed works comprise a sympathetic crown reduction and removal of selected branches in accordance with current arboricultural best practice (BS3998: Tree Work – Recommendations). The intention is to retain the tree as an important landscape feature while reducing excessive branch spread and weight, removing any dead, damaged or crossing branches, and maintaining appropriate clearance from the property. I think a reduction of 25 percent would accommodate better growth for the tree as the one at number 3 is in a very dense and dark area .

The proposed works are not intended to harm the long-term health or amenity value of the tree. They represent routine management to ensure the tree remains safe, healthy and appropriate for its location. Any work will be undertaken by a suitably qualified and insured arborist using best practice techniques.

I've included the tree at number 5 Bloomesbury Avenue and I have the approval of my neighbours [redacted] . Their tree overhangs my boundary and we agree that the tree's health will benefit from a prune .

Their is a potential risk to the surrounding area as both trees have numerous dead branches

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

Helen Adams

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