

PROTECTED TREE REPORT (TREE WORKS)

Haringey Council, L4, Alexandra House, Station Road, N22 7TY

Application number	CON/2022/0402
Application type	Conservation Area Notification
Site Address:	5 Oakfield Road London N4 4NH
Proposal	Front Garden H1 - Privet Fell as close to ground level as possible. Apply systemic herbicide to stump to prevent re-growth. Rear Garden T2 - Sycamore Fell as close to ground level as possible. Apply systemic herbicide to stump to prevent re-growth. T3 - Ash Fell as close to ground level as possible. Apply systemic herbicide to stump to prevent re-growth. T4 - Twin Stem Sycamore Fell as close to ground level as possible. Apply systemic herbicide to stump to prevent re-growth. Please see attached report for summary of reasons for work.

RECOMMENDATION:	No Objection	
Application date	28/09/2022	
Tree Inspector	DM	Date: 23 rd December 2022

Site

The various trees T2- T4, as shown in the sketch, are situated in the rear garden of the property. They are publicly visible from Carlton Road.

A site visit was deemed necessary to determine the appropriateness of the proposed works (08/11/2022 at approximately 12:00pm).

The location is also within the Stroud Conservation Area. This protects every tree with a diameter at breast height (taken at 1.5m) >75mm.

Proposal

Tree works proposed:

Front Garden

H1 - Privet

Fell as close to ground level as possible.

Apply systemic herbicide to stump to prevent re-growth.

Rear Garden

T2 - Sycamore

Fell as close to ground level as possible.

Apply systemic herbicide to stump to prevent re-growth.

T3 - Ash

Fell as close to ground level as possible.

Apply systemic herbicide to stump to prevent re-growth.

T4 - Twin Stem Sycamore

Fell as close to ground level as possible.

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Issues

This Sec. 211 Notice has been given the reason for the fells as direct damage (subsidence).

I have no issues with the removal of the self-set Sycamore and Ash trees in proximity with the structure (extension), and adjacent wall, nor the self-set Sycamore that is causing direct damage to the back wall. All these trees are inappropriately placed due to the site and scale.

It has been agreed with the agent and Insurers, in the meanwhile and interim, to carry out mitigating works to the remaining Sycamore T4 (crown reduction 2-3m).

This is the best tree within the group, and reduction works will curtail root to shoot growth, and allow growth of an open canopy.

The submitted details include soil analysis but there is no quantifiable crack or level monitoring to establish seasonal vegetative monitoring.

This resolution will suffice until further monitoring results are presented to establish any vegetative seasonal movement.

Recommendation

No Objection

