

PROTECTED TREE REPORT (TREE WORKS)

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

Application number	HGY/2026/0431
Application type	Conservation Area Notification
Site Address:	2 Springfield Avenue, Hornsey, London, N10 3SU
Proposal	We would like to do work on a tree that borders our back garden. We would like to work on two branches, as marked in the picture "Tree". Pictures are taken from our garden. There is a small lower branch, which we would like to cut close to the border (marked in red). There is a larger branch (a bit higher), which we would like to cut as marked (in red) - this branch makes a definite bend and we would like to cut at that corner. The image "Tree_detail" shows the detail of this corner. The branches are very overhanging on our garden patio, impinging on the space. The image "Tree_position" shows the position of the tree in question, within the Alexandra Palace conservation area. Our garden also borders a line of Laurels. We would like to trim the tops of those by 1m. The image "Laurels" shows the Laurels (on the left) and the image "Laurels_position" shows their location, within the Alexandra Palace conservation area. We have consulted a tree surgeon about the works proposed

RECOMMENDATION:	No Objection	
Application date		
Tree Inspector	DM	Date: rd 2026

Site

The various trees/ shrubs, as described above, marked on the plan, and seen in the photographs, are situated in the rear garden of the property. They are not publicly visible.

A site visit was not deemed necessary to determine the appropriateness of the proposed works.

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

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Issues

I hold no objections to the sensitive reasonable proposed pruning works.

The specification is within good arboricultural practice and husbandry.

If this is practicing one's common law right to an adjacent third party tree, it would be courteous and prudent to inform the adjacent landowner.

The reduction of the Laurels will allow for them to be managed more conveniently as a hedge in the future.

Recommendation

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