



Application for Tree Works: Works to Trees Subject to a Tree Preservation Order (TPO) and/or Notification of Proposed Works to Trees in a Conservation Area

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Publication of applications on planning authority websites

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

Tree Location

Please provide the address of the site where the tree(s) stands (full address if possible)

Number

Suffix

Property Name

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Town/city

Postcode

Easting (x)

Northing (y)

If the location is unclear or there is not a full postal address, describe as clearly as possible where it is

(for example, 'Land to rear of 12 to 18 High Street' or 'Woodland adjoining Elm Road')

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Ms

First name

Sally

Surname

Brown

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

Queens Bank House

Address line 2

Queens Bank

Address line 3

Crowland

Town/City

Spalding

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

PE6 0JR

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number

***** REDACTED *****

Fax number

Email address

***** REDACTED *****

What Are You Applying For?

Based on the type of work proposed and the location and protected status of the trees involved, there are various details and supporting information that will need to be supplied in order for the Local Planning Authority to determine the application.

Are you seeking consent for works to tree(s) subject to a Tree Preservation Order?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Do you know the Tree Preservation Order reference number(s)?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Please enter the title or number for each relevant Tree Preservation Order

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Please indicate whether the reasons for carrying out the proposed works include any of the following.

If so, your application MUST be accompanied by the necessary evidence to support your proposals ([see guidance notes for further details](#)).

Condition of the tree(s) - e.g. it is diseased or you have fears that it might break or fall

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Alleged damage to property - e.g. subsidence or damage to drains or drives.

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Are you wishing to carry out works to tree(s) in a conservation area?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Documents and plans (for any tree)

A sketch plan clearly showing the position of trees listed in the question 'Identification of Tree(s) and Description of Works' MUST be provided when applying for works to trees covered by a Tree Preservation Order.

A sketch plan is also advised when notifying the LPA of works to trees in a conservation area ([see guidance notes](#)).

It would also be helpful if you provided details of any advice given on site by an LPA officer.

Are you providing additional information in support of your application (e.g. an additional schedule of work for the question 'Identification of Tree(s) and Description of Works')?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

If Yes, please provide the reference numbers of plans, documents, professional reports, photographs etc in support of your application

Ref A - Advice given during site visit with LPA officer - Trees and Nature Conservation Officer
Ref B - Plans of trees
Ref C - Photographs

Identification of Tree(s) and Description of Works

Please identify the tree(s) and provide a full and clear specification of the works you want to carry out

Crowland TPO No. 19 2012

T1 - 1 x Lime tree - In the north eastern corner of the grounds of Queens Bank House. The tree is situated approximately 4.80 metres to the south of the bank of the drain which forms the northern boundary of the property, and approximately 11.20 metres to the west of a line parallel with the eastern end of the drain.

Requires a weight reduction and removal of dead wood. Advised of a selective reduction of max 3m.

Needs to be reduced to avoid the BT wires where the tree crown has surrounded the wires

Trees need to be reduced to allow 17 feet clearance over the highway.

G1 - 1 x Sycamore, 1 x Horse Chestnut, 2 x Lime - The trees grow on the southern bank of the drain which forms the northern boundary of the grounds of Queens Bank House.

These trees require a selective reduction to tidy up the trees - Advised of a selective reduction of max 3m

A new Horse Chestnut will be planted to replace a horse chestnut tree following its removal after it blew over in a storm.

G2 - 1 Sycamore, 1 x Yew - In the vicinity of the north eastern corner of the grounds of Queens Bank House but to the west of the entrance driveway. The trees grow adjacent to the southern bank of the drain which forms the northern boundary of the property.

The sycamores require an approximate 4m crown uplift as part of the selective reduction.

G3 - 3 Horse Chestnut, 2 x Sycamore - In the grounds of Queens Bank House. A line of mature trees immediately parallel to the western side of the entrance driveway leading from Queens Bank Road to the house.

Needs to be reduced to avoid the BT wires which are growing with in the tree crown - suggested 3 - 4m crown uplift as part of the selective reduction with deadwood being removed. Trees need to be reduced to allow 17 feet clearance over the highway.

G4 - 2 x Horse Chestnut, 1x Lime, 2 x Sycamore, 1x Beech, 1x Ash. - In the grounds of Queens Bank House. To the south of the house. The 2 horse chestnuts and lime grow immediately parallel to the western side of the entrance driveway. The lime is situated at the eastern end of the drain which forms the southern boundary of the property.

The 2 sycamores are situated on the northern bank of the drain which borders the southern boundary of the property. The beech is situated in the vicinity of the south western corner of the area delineated as G4, set approximately 7.70 metres north from the drain edge.

The ash is situated approximately 9.40 metres south of the south western corner of Queens Bank House.

A number of the trees require a 3m crown thinning and reduction due to their proximity to the house outbuildings which are undergoing conversion plus proximity to the highway.

Some of the trees exhibit dead wood which needs to be removed. It has been noted that cavities are forming reducing the strength of the trunk so need to reduce the weight of the tree

You might find it useful to contact an arborist (tree surgeon) for help with defining appropriate work.

Where trees are protected by a Tree Preservation Order, please number them as shown in the First Schedule to the Tree Preservation Order where this is available. You should use the same numbering on your sketch plan (see below for sketch plan requirements).

Please provide the following information:

- Tree species
- The number used on the sketch plan; and
- A description of the proposed works.

Where trees are protected by a Tree Preservation Order you must also provide:

- Reasons for the work; and where trees are being felled
- Proposals for planting replacement trees (including quantity, species, position and size) or reasons for not wanting to replant.

e.g. Oak (T3) – Whole crown reduction to 12m above ground level, to provide sufficient clearance to property.

Sketch plan requirements

Your plan needs to show the precise location of the tree(s) in relation to nearby property/roads/boundaries. It should, therefore:

- indicate the main features of the site where the tree(s) stand and its surroundings; in particular, you should:
 - mark and name surrounding roads
 - sketch in buildings, including adjoining properties
 - add house numbers or names
- mark the position of the tree(s) to which you want to carry out work and identify them by the number shown in the Tree Preservation Order where possible; if you use a different number, please make sure that this can be matched with your description of the tree(s)
- if there are many trees on the site, make clear which tree(s) are included in this application by:
 - marking all trees on the plan, but only numbering those to which you want to carry out work
 - showing the approximate distance between the application tree(s) and buildings
 - adding other relevant features on the site (e.g. greenhouse, paths)

If it is impossible to identify the tree(s) accurately on the plan (e.g. because they are part of a woodland or group of trees), please identify their approximate location on the plan and provide details of how the tree(s) are marked on site (e.g. high visibility tape, tree tags, paint, etc); trees must not be marked by scarring or cutting into the bark.

Tree Ownership

Is the applicant the owner of the tree(s)?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:

- (a) a member of staff
(b) an elected member
(c) related to a member of staff
(d) related to an elected member

It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.

For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.

Do any of the above statements apply?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Declaration

I / We hereby apply for Tree works: Trees in conservation areas/subject to TPOs as described in this form and accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I / We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine options of the persons giving them. I / We also accept that: Once submitted, this information will be transmitted to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be made available as part of a public register and on the authority's website; our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

☒ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Sally Brown

Date

06/06/2023