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TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
WORKS TO A PRESERVED TREE

Reference: H16-0178-19 **Date of Decision:** 16th April 2019

Applicant: Mr Daniel Cooper - SHDC
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Location: Ayscoughfee Hall, Museum & Gardens Church Gate Spalding

Description: Works to Spalding TPO No. 48 1991

Detailed Description:

Application to carry out works to a horse chestnut tree located at the south western end of the driveway which adjoins Ayscoughfee Gardens to Church Gate sometimes referred to as Chestnut Avenue. The tree is within Group One of Spalding Tree Preservation Order No. 48 1991.

'To reduce east facing lateral limb on horse chestnut tree' Your ref: '(TPO=0566 Site Ref =24T) by 66% to mitigate against limb failure due to decay ingress at connection point with the meristem. Leaving 33% to serve as Eco-habitat.

South Holland District Council hereby give notice that this application has been GRANTED (or equivalent) subject to the following condition(s):

1 That the proposed work is carried out within two years of the date of this decision unless otherwise agreed with the District Council.

2 Work is to be carried out in accordance with BSI 3998 : 2010, 'Recommendations for Tree Work'.

Notes:

The necessary consent of all other interested parties should be obtained before the works proceed.

Avoid pruning horse chestnuts in the spring months directly prior to and immediately after bud opening as bleeding of sap from pruning cuts may be a problem. Ideally horse chestnuts should be pruned between leaf fall and February.

Under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as amended) all birds, their nests and eggs are protected by law and it is an offence to damage or destroy the nest of any wild bird while it is in use or being built. In the event of query please contact Natural England on Tel: 03000 603900.

Bats are protected species under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (as amended) and in the event that bats are living in any cavities in the tree(s), or if they are discovered while the works are taking place, please inform Natural England at their Lincoln office on Tel: 03000 603900 before works proceed.



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South Holland District Council

RIGHTS OF APPEAL:

Where an application is made to the Authority for consent and that consent is refused or is granted subject to conditions the applicant, if aggrieved by the decision, may appeal to the Planning Inspectorate (PiNS). Appeals must be received by the PiNS within 28 days of the Council's decision. The appeal should be made on the relevant TPO (consents) appeal form which can be obtained from PiNS. The form can be found on the Planning Portal website at:

www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/otherappealcasework/treepreservation

Alternatively a form can be obtained by writing to The Environment Team, Room 3/25 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Bristol, BS1 6PN or telephone on 0117 3728192

If you visit the Planning Portal web site you will be able to complete the appeal form adn return it to PiNS electronically via the email address:

environment.appeals@pins.gsi.gov.uk