



TREE CONSULTATION RESPONSE

Application No	2025/0377
Proposal	Crown lift Horse Chestnut T1 and Lime tree T2 to 6m and deadwood within TPO 2/1996
Address	28 High Street, Royston, Barnsley, Barnsley, S71 4RF.
Date of Consultation Reply	11/11/2025
Consultee	Tree Officer

Consultation Assessment and Justification

The trees are large prominent specimens located on the front boundary immediately adjacent to High Street; the trees therefore have high amenity value. The works proposed are to crown lift the trees to provide clearance over the highway and deadwood the trees. The removal of deadwood is exempt from needing permission and as such is not included in the decision.

The level of crown lifting proposed is a little above what would normally be required to provide clearance over the highway, however this height aligns approximately with the level of the main scaffold branches. The material being removed is restricted to relatively small branches/epicormic growth and as such their removal will not have any detrimental impact on the tree

There is therefore no objection to the proposed works from an arboricultural perspective.

***Note:** Assessments of tree condition and safety are based on a simple visual inspection from ground level. Comments should not be taken as a definitive assessment of tree health, as this should be carried out by a suitably qualified arboriculturist, possibly including a high level inspection. The applicant should be reminded of the owner's legal responsibilities to ensure that trees are regularly inspected and maintained in a safe condition.*

NO OBJECTION*

*Delete as applicable

Consultation Suggested Conditions:

Not less than five working days notice of the date of the proposed work shall be given in writing to the Local Planning Authority and the tree surgery shall be carried out to the standards set out in BS3998.

Reason: To ensure the work accords with good arboricultural practice.

Consultation Informative(s):

Time limit for TPO works

The proposed tree works should be completed within 2 years of the date of this consent.

Permission

Before proceeding with the notified works, you should ensure that you have the permission of the owner, and comply with all other relevant legislation, for example it is an offence to disturb nesting birds, and bat roosts.

Planning Obligations required:



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N/A