Tree identification survey.

Site: Wilthorpe Road, Barnsley. S751JR.

Client: Peter Wade Consultancy.

Client contact: Richard Sixsmith.

Assessment carried out by Samuel Donington on behalf of S&D Landscapes Ltd.

Date: 10/09/2020.

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Introduction and scope of works.

S&D Landscapes were instructed to carry out an identification survey on site trees at the Wilthorpe Road site. The document as requested by Peter Wade Consultancy shall identify species, location, approximate height, crown spread, root protection area and a concise comment on the condition of each significant tree and tree group.

The assessment was carried out by Samuel Donington FdSc Arb.

The survey is intended to identify site trees.

Each tree or tree group has been identified on the provided plan.

Limitations of the survey.

The inspection was carried out from ground level only.

No aerial inspection or climbing took place.

The trees were in full leaf at the time of inspection.

The location of trees on the provided plan is approximate only.

G1 and by extension G2 are extremely dense and access is problematic.

In order to calculate the RPA radii stem diameter is measured at 1.5m above ground level or above the root flare in the case of multi-stemmed trees.

The RPA radii has been calculated as per BS 5837: 2012, Annex D.

Tree Schedule.

Tree Number	Species	Common Name	Height (m)	Condition/comments
T1	Quercus.	Oak.	3-4	Young recently planted tree with good vitality and form.
T2	Quercus.	Oak.	2-3	Young recently planted tree. Main central leader has been historically lost. Good vitality. Poor form.
T3	Quercus.	Oak.	3-4	Young recently planted tree with good vitality and form.
T4	Crataegus	Hawthorn	6-8	Slightly leaning stem with reasonable vitality.
T5	Corylus	Hazel	6-8	Large established Hazel coppice encroaching across both sides of the water course/ drainage ditch. Good vitality.
G1	Prunus, Corylus. Crataegus. Sambucus. Rubus.	Blackthorn, Hazel, Hawthorn, Elder, Bramble.	6-8	Established dense native boundary tree/ shrub line. Apparently unmanaged and entering within the proposed site boundary. Growing along adjacent drainage ditch/ water course.
G2	Corylus	Hazel	6-8	Line of Hazel copse along top of Water course/ drainage ditch bank.

Conclusion.

The site curtilage does not contain any trees with Tree Preservation Orders on and it does not stand in a Conservation Area.

The collective native tree cover of G1 and G2 provides an established tree line of considerable width that encroaches onto the site separating it from the adjacent residential property.

G1 and G2 do not appear to have undergone much tree management in recent years and they encroach onto the grassed amenity area.

T1, T2 and T3 are relatively recent additions with staking still in place.

Report status: Final.

Report completed by: Samuel Donington.

Signature:

