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4, GRADYS AVE

COWPLAIN

WATERLOOVILLE

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PO 8 8HT.

3/4/2017

REF. PLAN/A. 1700245

10A. LONGWOOD AVE.

Dear Sir,

Ref the above planning application.

While I have no objection to the crowning and reduction of protected trees, I do have a serious objection to the proposed felling of two oaks in this area. There was a similar application several years ago, which the Council quite rightly refused, and now it seems the application is being repeated.

These oak trees contribute so much to the quality of life here in Cowplain and are also home to many species of birds, including two spotted woodpeckers. Of course these trees were there a long, long time before the houses in question

as they are relatively new.

Havant Borough Council has a good reputation with regards to its trees, and is rightly proud of them, and I believe that whatever beautifies our surroundings should be cultivated and protected.

Please consider my view and thank you for listening.

Yours Faithfully

[Redacted Signature]