

Hello Tim

I have reviewed the submitted arboricultural information, including the Arboricultural Implications Assessment and Method Statement prepared by Barrie Draper.

The proposal involves the construction of two car barns within areas of existing hardstanding and no tree removals are proposed.

Subject to strict adherence to the submitted Arboricultural Method Statement and Tree Protection Plan, the development is considered capable of being undertaken without resulting in unacceptable harm to retained trees.

Notwithstanding the above, tree T5 is identified as exhibiting signs of decline and basal decay, and the report recommends further investigation. This investigation should be undertaken prior to commencement of development and any recommendations arising implemented accordingly.

Therefore, I raise no arboricultural objection to the proposal subject to conditions requiring:

The development hereby permitted shall only be carried out in accordance with the Arboricultural Impact Assessment, Arboricultural Method Statement and Tree Protection Plan by Barrie Draper.

Reason: To protect the health of adjacent trees in accordance with policies CS16 and DM8 of the Havant Borough Core Strategy (2011) and the National Planning Policy Framework.

Subject to the above, the proposal is considered broadly compliant with the principles of BS5837:2012.

Best wishes

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