

APPLICATION FOR TREE WORKS: WORKS TO TREES SUBJECT OF A TREE PRESERVATION ORDER (TPO) OR NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED WORKS TO TREES IN CONSERVATION AREAS

Checklist

Please use this list to ensure that the form has been completed correctly and that all relevant information is submitted.

For works to trees protected by a Tree Preservation Order, failure to supply sufficiently precise and detailed information may result in your application being rejected or delay in dealing with it.

In particular, you MUST provide the following:

Completed and dated application form, with all [mandatory] questions answered

Sketch plan showing the location of all tree(s) and their species

A full and clear quantified specification of the works to be carried out

A statement of reasons for the proposed work

Evidence in support of statement of reasons. In particular, you should provide:

Report by a tree professional (eg arboriculturist or horticultural adviser) if your reasons relate to the health and/or safety of the tree(s)

Report by an engineer or surveyor, together with one from a tree professional (arboriculturist) if you are alleging subsidence damage.

A full and clear specification of the works to be carried out

For works to trees in conservation areas, it is important to supply precise and detailed information on your proposal. It is therefore suggested that you provide the following:

Completed and dated form, with all questions answered

Sketch plan showing the precise location of all tree(s) and their species

A full and clear quantified specification of the works to be carried out

Whether the trees are protected by a TPO or in a conservation area, you may also be required to provide the following types of additional information, but please check with the Tree Protection Officer prior to submission if you are unsure:

- Photographs
- Report by a tree professional (arboriculturist) or other
- Details of any assistance or advice sought from a Local Planning Authority officer prior to submitting this form.
- Any other plan/s, information or statements as may be reasonably required