



Application: 20250457

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACTS
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (TREE PRESERVATION ORDER) REGULATIONS 1969
(AS AMENDED)**

**NOTIFICATION OF CONSENT FOR WORKS TO TREES SUBJECT OF A TREE
PRESERVATION ORDER**

To: **K Kennedy**
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TAKE NOTICE that the **GRAVESHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL**, the Local Planning Authority in pursuance of its powers under the above mentioned act and regulations and the Tree Preservation Order No. TPO_1953_001 confirmed on 16.08.1954, **HEREBY CONSENTS** to the carrying out of the operations specified in and in accordance with the application submitted to the Council on 9th May 2025 and being:

Works to protected trees; 1 x Ash Tree (T1) - Fell to ground level due to Ash die-back. 1 x Hornbeam Tree (T2)- Fell to ground level due to weak unions at the coppice stool for the four leaders and risk of failing.

on land situate at:

51 Timber Bank
Vigo
Gravesend
Kent
DA13 0SF

CONDITIONS AND REASONS:

1. The works hereby permitted shall be carried out by a competent and experienced tree surgeon.

Reason In the interests of good forestry practice.

2. Replacement trees must be planted as approved of in writing by the Local Planning Authority, in the next appropriate planting season.

Reason In order to reinstate and preserve the special amenity and character of the site as a whole in the future.

Dated: 18 February 2026

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Please note that some works to trees can affect the underlying soil moisture conditions and therefore the stability of any nearby foundations. You are advised to employ the services of a surveyor to ascertain whether your proposed tree works will have a detrimental effect on existing structures.

Notes

1. The Tree Preservation Order makes provision for the payment of compensation in certain circumstances to any person who has suffered loss or damage in consequence of any refusal (including revocation or modification) of consent under the Order or of any grant of any such consent subject to conditions.
2. **Appeals can be made online at: <https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate>. If you are unable to access the online appeal form, please contact the Planning Inspectorate to obtain a paper copy of the appeal form on tel: 0303 444 5000.**