



Application: 20221196

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

NOTIFICATION OF CONSENT FOR WORKS TO TREES IN A CONSERVATION AREA

To: **Mrs Linda Sims, Meopham Parochial Church Council
C/O Mr Daniel Hitchcock, Northdowns Tree Care
C/O Applicant**

TAKE NOTICE that the **GRAVESHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL**, the Local Planning Authority under the Town and Country Planning Acts, **HEREBY CONSENTS** to the carrying out of the operations within the **Multiple Conservation Area** specified in and in accordance with the application submitted to the Council on 8th November 2022 and being:

Carrying out of the urgent works identified in the associated Tree Hazard Survey Report to the following trees;

T5 (Common Ash);

T6 (Standing Dead Tree);

T9 (Cherry);

T10 (Cherry);

T13 (Elder); and

N2 (Holm Oak), N3 (Mainly Redwood Group) and N4 (Redwood) located on the neighbouring land.

on land situate at:

**Parish Church Of St John The Baptist
Wrotham Road
Meopham
Gravesend
Kent**

Conditions and Reasons

1 GOOD FORESTRY PRACTICE

The works hereby permitted shall be carried out by a competent and experienced tree surgeon, in the interests of good forestry practice.

2 TREE OWNERSHIP

It is noted that not all of the trees which are the subject of this application fall within the ownership of the Parish Church of St John The Baptist. Please be aware that prior consent from the land owner must still be sought and this permission does not override the requirement for landowners consent.

Dated: 18 November 2022

Civic Centre
Windmill Street
Gravesend

Wendy Lane MRTPI
Assistant Director (Planning)
Planning Service

You should read the notes overleaf

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.

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**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. Any appeal against this notification of decision must be lodged by notice in writing to the **Planning Inspectorate at Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN; telephone: 0303 444 5000; email: [enquiries@pins.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@pins.gsi.gov.uk) or online at [www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs](http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs).**