

# Independent Tree Panel for Sheffield

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Paul Billington  
Director of Culture  
Sheffield City Council

By email

2 June 2017

Dear Paul

## Whirlowdale Crescent

The Independent Tree Panel has reviewed Sheffield City Council's plans for the removal and replacement of trees on this street. The summary data for the street are:

Number of trees	33
Number of trees referred to ITP	9
% of trees referred to ITP	27%
Number of households	69
Number of households responding to survey	21
Number of households responding to the survey who objected to the proposals	11

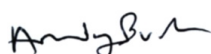
Andy Bagshaw, David Graham and I inspected the trees on 20 April 2017. Jacquie Stubbs and Philip Duckett inspected the trees on 30 May 2017.

We have considered the structural and physiological condition of each tree, and hence whether to advise the Council to consider removing and replacing the tree for this reason. Please note that in the absence of a comment to the contrary, we found the tree to be healthy and not in need of replacement for an arboricultural reason.

We considered whether the engineering solutions provided for in the Streets Ahead programme could be deployed to enable each tree to be retained, and hence whether to advise the Council to consider deploying one or more solutions for this purpose. We took account of the information provided by the Council about the engineering solutions.

We have summarised our comments and advice in the attached table.

Yours sincerely



Andy Buck  
Chair

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James Henderson  
Independent Tree Panel members

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Fell Job No	Tree Location	Comment	Advice
12025351	o/s 55-57	Root in channel. Kerb missing. No sign of third party damage.	Root plane. Dropped kerb. Tree pit.
12025345	o/s 39A, OPPOSITE 26	Footway lifted. Kerb displaced. Tree overhangs carriageway at 2m. Impact wound at 2.5m.	Remove and replace.
12025347	o/s 45	Root between kerbs. Footway lifted - significant. No sign of third party damage.	Remove and replace.
12025349	o/s 49	Kerb displaced – minor. Footway lifted – significant. Third party damage.	Remove and replace.
12025364	s/o 185 Millhouses Lane (last tree on rd)	Significant root in carriageway. Footway lifted.	Remove and replace.
12025358	o/s 75-77	Extensive damage to footway.	Remove and replace.
12025360	o/s 79	Significant root between kerbs. Significant footway lift.	Remove and replace.
12025362	s/o 185 Millhouses Lane, (second tree from end of road)	Kerb displaced. Significant root in carriageway.	Remove and replace.