

# Independent Tree Panel for Sheffield

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Paul Billington  
Director of Culture  
Sheffield City Council

By email

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Dear Paul

## Kenwood Road

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	79
Number of trees referred to ITP	10
% of trees referred to ITP	12.7%
Number of households	37
Number of households responding to survey	12
Number of households responding to the survey who objected to the proposals	12

Andy Bagshaw, David Graham and I inspected the trees on 24 February 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

<b>Kenwood Road</b>			
<b>Fell Job No</b>	<b>Tree Location</b>	<b>Comment</b>	<b>Advice</b>
12025173	o/s 16	Buttress root extends into carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025171	o/s 16	Buttress root extends into carriageway. Tree overhangs carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025191	o/s hotel gates (opp 42, at gated entrance to hotel)	Kerb absent. Buttress root in carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025175	o/s 16	Buttress root extends into carriageway. Tree overhangs carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025169	o/s 42	Kerb damaged. Tree overhangs carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025188	o/s 11	Buttress root extends into carriageway. Adjacent gully.	Remove and replace tree.
12025186	o/s 3	Buttress root extends into carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025179	o/s 12	Sparse crown dieback. Vehicle impact wound. Vertical cracking. Possible fire damage. Fruiting bodies. Buttress root extends into carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025181	o/s 8 (OPPOSITE 7)	Buttress root extends into carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.
12025177	o/s 16	Buttress root extends into carriageway. Tree overhangs carriageway.	Remove and replace tree.