

# Independent Tree Panel for Sheffield

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Paul Billington  
Director of Culture  
Sheffield City Council

By email

2 June 2017

Dear Paul

## Sheldon 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	48
Number of trees referred to ITP	10
% of trees referred to ITP	21%
Number of households	144
Number of households responding to survey	28
Number of households responding to the survey who objected to the proposals	23

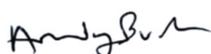
Andy Bagshaw, David Graham and I inspected the trees on 13 April 2017. Jacquie Stubbs and Philip Duckett inspected the trees on 30 May 2017.

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

<b>Sheldon Road</b>			
<b>Fell Job No</b>	<b>Tree Location</b>	<b>Comment</b>	<b>Advice</b>
12027837	o/s 35	Kerb displaced. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027839	o/s 53	Impact wound at c. 2.5m. Decay extending into tree. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027824	o/s 44	Buttress root in carriageway. Kerb displaced. Footway lifted - significant. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027822	o/s 60	Kerb displaced. Footway lifted. Adjacent utility cover. Tree overhangs carriageway. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027826	o/s 32 to 34	Kerb absent. Root in carriageway. Adjacent gully. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027828	o/s 28	Tree growing in carriageway. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027830	o/s 26	Kerb damaged. Tree overhangs carriageway at c. 2m. Driveway obstructed. Footway lifted. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027832	o/s 22	Third party wall damaged. Footway lifted. Kerb displaced. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12025415	o/s 85	Brick laid driveway damaged. Head overhangs and obstructed footway. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.
12027834	o/s 14	Driveway obstructed. Footway lifted. Kerb lifted. Narrow busy road.	Remove and replace tree.