Kirklees COUNCIL

Kirklees Council
Planning Services (Trees)
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HD1 9EL

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KIRKLEES COUNCIL - RESPONDING TO THE RECESSION VALIDATION CHECKLIST: SUPPLY 1 COPY (PLUS THE ORIGINAL)		

Please email completed forms to trees.planning@kirklees.gov.uk or post to the address above

Application for tree works: works to trees subject to a tree preservation order (TPO) and/or notification of proposed works to trees in a conservation area.

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

You can complete and submit this form electronically via the Planning Portal by visiting www.planningportal.gov.uk/apply

Publication of applications on planning authority websites

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

Please complete using block capitals and black ink.
You must use this form if you are applying for work to trees protected by a tree preservation order (TPO). (You may also use it to give notice of works to trees in a conservation area).
It is important that you read the accompanying guidance notes before filling in the form. Without the correct information, your application / notice cannot proceed.

1. Applicant Name and Address

Title:	Mr	First name:	Richard
Last name:	Noon		
Company (optional):	Meltham Town Council		
Unit:		House number:	House suffix:
House name:	Carlile Institute,		
Address 1:	Huddersfield Rd,		
Address 2:	Meltham,		
Address 3:			
Town:	Holmfirth		
County:	West Yorkshire		
Country:			
Postcode:	HD9 4AE		

2. Agent Name and Address

Title:	Ms	First name:	Helen
Last name:	Proudfoot		
Company (optional):	Kirklees Council		
Unit:		House number:	House suffix:
House name:			
Address 1:	Kirklees Council		
Address 2:	Environment & Climate Change - Landscape Architects		
Address 3:	PO Box 1720		
Town:	Huddersfield		
County:			
Country:			
Postcode:	HD1 9EL		

3. Trees Location

If all trees stand at the address shown in Question 1, go to Question 4. Otherwise, please provide the full address/location of the site where the tree(s) stand (including full postcode where available)

Unit: | House number: | House suffix:

House name: Robert Ashton Memorial Park,

Address 1: Huddersfield Road,

Address 2: Meltham,

Address 3:

Town: Holmfirth

County:

Postcode (if known): HD9 4AG

If the location is unclear or there is not a full postal address, either describe as clearly as possible where it is (for example, 'Land to the rear of 12 to 18 High Street' or 'Woodland adjoining Elm Road') or provide an Ordnance Survey grid reference:

Description:

Trees on both sides of vehicle access road

4. Trees Ownership

Is the applicant the owner of the tree(s): ☐ Yes ☑ No

If 'No' please provide the address of the owner (if known and if different from the trees location)

Title: | First name:

Last name:

Company (optional): Meltham Town Council

Unit: | House number: | House suffix:

House name: Carlile Institute,

Address 1: Huddersfield Rd,

Address 2: Meltham

Address 3:

Town: Holmfirth

County: West Yorkshire

Country:

Postcode: HD9 4AE

Telephone numbers

Country code: | National number: | Extension number:

Country code: | Mobile number (optional):

Country code: | Fax number (optional):

Email address (optional):

5. What Are You Applying For?

Are you seeking consent for works to tree(s) subject to a TPO? ☑ Yes ☐ No

Are you wishing to carry out works to tree(s) in a conservation area? ☐ Yes ☑ No

6. Tree Preservation Order Details

If you know which TPO protects the tree(s), enter its title or number below.

61/93/g1, 61/93/g2, 61/93/a3

7. Identification Of Tree(s) And Description Of Works

Please identify the tree(s) and provide a full and clear specification of the works you want to carry out. Continue on a separate sheet if necessary. You might find it useful to contact an arborist (tree surgeon) for help with defining appropriate work. Where trees are protected by a TPO, please number them as shown in the First Schedule to the TPO where this is available. Use the same numbers on your sketch plan (see guidance notes).

Please provide the following information below : tree species (and the number used on the sketch plan) and description of works. Where trees are protected by a TPO you must also provide reasons for the work and, where trees are being felled, please give your proposals for planting replacement trees (including quantity, species, position and size) or reasons for not wanting to replant.

E.g. Oak (T3) - fell because of excessive shading and low amenity value. Replant with 1 standard ash in the same place.

Works proposed to allow vehicle access for redevelopment of play area without damaging trees.
The trees overhang the vehicle access point for the park.
Proposals to prune back overhanging vegetation and /or remove low overhanging limbs to create a corridor that is 5m high and the width of the roadway, taking care to minimise disruption to the trees. Dead branches to be removed at the same time.

See drawing LAD.409 LA 104 Tree Works Plan, as attached.

7. Identification Of Tree(s) And Description Of Works continued ...

Group1, g1, Birch and Hollies: Remove 4 overhanging limbs
B1, a3, Beech: Prune back overhanging vegetation in line with edge of carriageway, Remove 3 overhanging limbs and dead/ broken branches
L1, a3, Lime: Prune back overhanging vegetation in line with edge of carriageway
La1, g1, Laurels: Prune back overhanging vegetation in line with edge of carriageway
W1, a3, Willow: Prune back overhanging vegetation in line with edge of carriageway
Y1, g2, Yew: Remove 3 overhanging limbs
Y2, g2, Yew: Remove 3 overhanging limbs
Y3, a3, Yew: Prune back overhanging vegetation in line with edge of carriageway
Y4, a3, Yew: Major prune back removing all limbs overhanging access road and car park entrance to a clear height of 5m; remove dead and broken branches
Yew tree Y4 could be be significantly pruned back to allow for vehicle access, but alternatively we would propose removing this tree for the following reasons:
- It is badly damaged by cars passing to get into the car park, with sections dying
- Sufficient pruning could result in it being one sided
- Meltham Town Council are looking at long term improvements to the car park access, which could be resolved by removing this tree, or alternatively by removing other TPO trees in the same group.

The following new trees are being planted within the adjacent play area as part of the works:
3nr Amelanchier Lamarkii
3nr Multi stem Betula Jacquimontii
2nr Prunus serrula

8. Trees - Additional Information

Additional information may be attached to electronic communications or provided separately in paper format.

For all trees
A sketch plan clearly showing the position of trees listed in Question 7 must be provided when applying for works to trees covered by a TPO. A sketch plan is also advised when notifying the LPA of works to trees in a conservation area (see guidance notes).
It would also be helpful if you provided details of any advice given on site by an LPA officer.

For works to trees covered by a TPO
Please indicate whether the reasons for carrying out the proposed works include any of the following. If so, your application must be accompanied by the necessary evidence to support your proposals. (See guidance notes for further details)

1. **Condition of the tree(s)** - e.g. it is diseased or you have fears that it might break or fall: ☐ Yes ☑ No
   If YES, you are required to provide written arboricultural advice or other diagnostic information from an appropriate expert.

2. **Alleged damage to property** - e.g. subsidence or damage to drains or drives. ☐ Yes ☑ No
   If YES, you are required to provide for:

   Subsidence
   A report by an engineer or surveyor, to include a description of damage, vegetation, monitoring data, soil, roots and repair proposals. Also a report from an arboriculturist to support the tree work proposals.

   Other structural damage (e.g. drains, walls and hard surfaces)
   Written technical evidence from an appropriate expert, including description of damage and possible solutions.

Documents and plans (for any tree)
Are you providing separate information (e.g. an additional schedule of work for Question 7)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If YES, please provide the reference numbers of plans, documents, professional reports, photographs etc in support of your application. If they are being provided separately from this form, please detail how they are being submitted.

LAD.409 LA-104 Tree Works Plan: identifying tree locations and listing works proposed to each tree
LAD.409 RAMP TPOs: Showing TPO areas
LAD.409 Photos - named photos of trees

9. Authority Employee / Member

With respect to the Authority, I am:

(a) a member of staff (c) related to a member of staff

(b) an elected member (d) related to an elected member

Do any of these statements apply to you?

☑ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please provide details of the name, relationship and role

I am a Landscape Architect at Kirklees Council (Helen Proudfoot, agent)

10. Application For Tree Works - Checklist

Only one copy of the application form and additional information (Question 8) is required. Please use the guidance and this checklist to make sure that this form has been completed correctly and that all relevant information is submitted. Please note that failure to supply precise and detailed information may result in your application being rejected or delayed. You do not need to fill out this section, but it may help you to submit a valid form.

Sketch Plan

- A sketch plan showing the location of all trees (see Question 8) ☑

For all trees
(see Question 7)

- Clear identification of the trees concerned ☑
- A full and clear specification of the works to be carried out ☑

For works to trees protected by a TPO
(see Question 7)

Have you:

- stated reasons for the proposed works? ☑
- provided evidence in support of the stated reasons? in particular:
  - if your reasons relate to the condition of the tree(s) - written evidence from an appropriate expert ☐
  - if you are alleging subsidence damage - a report by an appropriate engineer or surveyor and one from an arboriculturist. ☐
  - in respect of other structural damage - written technical evidence ☐
- included all other information listed in Question 8? ☑

11. Declaration - Trees

I/we hereby apply for planning permission/consent as described in this form and the accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I/we confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine opinions of the person(s) giving them.

Signed - Applicant:

Or signed - Agent:

Date (DD/MM/YYYY):

(This date must not be before the date of sending or hand-delivery of the form)

12. Applicant Contact Details

Telephone numbers

Country code: National number: Extension number:

Country code: Mobile number (optional):

Country code: Fax number (optional):

Email address (optional):

13. Agent Contact Details

Telephone numbers

Country code: National number: Extension number:

Country code: Mobile number (optional):

Country code: Fax number (optional):

Email address (optional):

Electronic communication - If you submit this form by fax or e-mail the LPA may communicate with you in the same manner. (Please see guidance notes)