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Subject: Re: The Homestead

Hi

We have considered the Tree Officer's comments regarding T33, T34 and G35.

While it is understandable that concern was raised given the proximity of plots 28–30 to these Beech trees, you have informed us that the pruning works specified in our Arboricultural Method Statement (AWA6641AMS) have now been undertaken.

The photos you provided suggest the works were carried out in accordance with BS3998:2010, providing improved clearance and reduced shading/overhang, likely without compromising the trees' health or amenity.

Some shading will remain, but this is typical where boundary trees are retained and does not amount to an unreasonable loss of daylight for the new properties. Crucially, it will not necessarily lead to pressure for removal of the trees. The suggestion that “the above plots will result in further tree loss of category B trees” is therefore unfounded.

On this basis, we consider the concerns raised have been addressed, and the scheme allows for the successful long-term retention of T33, T34 and G35.

Kind regards,

