

Trees Planning

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Good Afternoon,

I am proposing to remove this large beech tree in the woodland off Haughs Road. During a walk-through inspection of some of the trees in this area it was noted that the base of the beech was riddled with *meripilus giganteum*. This causes rot at the base/roots of the tree often sufficient to subject the tree to windthrow. The tree is right along the footpath near the entrance of the woodland. As we are unable to suitably monitor the tree I believe the tree should be removed due to the risk it poses.

CFM – Are you happy with me to arrange the removal of this tree? Due to infection I will remove on the DDD code if that's ok?

Kind Regards

Phil

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