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Tree Assessment

Date: 24.12.20

Client & Location:

Mr Colin Russel
Cuby rd, Tregony

Assessment:

On viewing the double stemmed Sycamore outside of Mr Russel's house in Tregony (what 3 words location: paddlers.crumples.lemmings), I have advised for the immediate dismantling and removal.

The tree is located on a bank in close proximity to the house.

The greatest concern with the tree is the union between the two stems. The stems are joined at ground level with a false / weak union and a large crevice between them. There is evidence of rott within the crevice caused by collection of water and debris over time. Both stems are also top heavy with little branch structure lower down. This can thus act as a sail in the wind putting greater stress on the base of the trunks where they are joined and increasing the likelihood of a snap out.

One stem in particular is weighted heavily towards Mr Russel's house and would undoubtedly cause severe structural damage should it come down in the wind.

If there are any further questions please contact me on [REDACTED]

Many thanks,

Toby / Wild Arborist