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20th December 2023  
Our Ref: 23/03932/ATP

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pond Cottage West View Springhill Farm Cuddington Road Dinton Buckinghamshire HP18 0AD  
**Removal of Ash tree. Ash tree will likely die due to ash dieback in years to come. Currently however it is growing into neighbouring beech tree and oak tree (both are planted within 2 metres). The Oak and beech are magnificent trees that need both the light and soil nutrients to thrive but they are currently being thwarted by the faster and more invasive ash tree. 4 new saplings (2 ash, 2 weeping willow) have already been planted alongside the nearby stream edge which is in need of planting.**

Thank you for your application which was registered on the 18th December 2023. The application is being dealt with.

There is no fee necessary for this application.

If I have not sent you a decision by 22nd January 2024 and you have not agreed to extend the period for the Council to make a decision, you then have a period of 28 days in which you can lodge an appeal with the Secretary of State for the Environment on a form available from the Department of the Environment, Eastern Regional Office (Environment), Heron House, 49-51 Goldington Road, Bedford, MK40 3LL. You will appreciate that it is not always possible for an application to be dealt with within the period given, and you may wish to contact this office before proceeding further with an appeal as once an appeal is lodged, a decision on the application cannot be made by the Council.

To ensure our records are always up to date, please let us know if you change your postal or email address.

Yours faithfully,

The Business Support Team

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