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Attn Sophie Edwards,

Re: Planning Application 24/T/00070, Little Clandon, The Street, West Clandon, Guildford

Please see below further description of tree works at "Little Clandon".

Request works on 21x Lime trees (Tilia), previously pollarded approx 15 feet from ground. The trees Stand approx 40ft in height and the old pollard knuckles show signs of sever decay.

Reason for works:

Due to the close proximity of the adjacent school playground being a target area

Work required:

I would recommend reducing all trees by 3 - 4 m in height, branch cut diameter not to exceed 3cm, Reducing risk of stem failure at decayed pollard knuckles.

Also request works on 7 Ash trees (Fraxinus), along the same group line, approx 30ft in height, as The trees show signs of Ash dieback (Hymenoscyphus Fraxineus).

Reason for works:

Reduce risk of stem failure due to close proximity of adjacent school playground being a target area. **Work required:**

I would recommend the trees be reduced by 3 - 4 m, branch cut diameter not to exceed 3cm.

Yours sincerely,

Mr C B Stone Woodland Services Uk Ltd