

REDINGTON FROGNAL
NEIGHBOURHOOD FORUM

18 March 2024

Dear Mr. Bell and Mr. Little,

Tree felling notice: 2024/0987/T – 11 Chesterford Gardens

Trees are of great importance to the character of the Redington Frogna! Conservation Area, as noted by AECOM in its study of Contribution of Trees to Townscape Character

<https://www.redfrogforum.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/53-AECOM-Contribution-of-Trees-to-the-Townscape.pdf>

and in the Redington & Frogna! Conservation Area Character and Management Plan under section 3.4 Townscape and Landscape Character and section 3.6 Harm; eg:

“Trees are a key part of the garden suburb character, so tree losses are particularly harmful.”

The gardens in the Redington Frogna! area form a local ecological network and their trees, individually and collectively, make an important contribution to, and relationship with, the landscape and the character and appearance of the conservation area. Additionally, they are important as wildlife habitat and for providing insects to support the birds and bats in the area.

No reason has been provided for wishing to fell the yew and two ash trees. Moreover, it is noted that one of these trees is subject to a TPO.

Yours sincerely,

Secretary

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