



Dear Katrine

Would it be possible to have a quick chat/meeting with you about this. The Carob Tree is a running sore locally and affects not only the conservation area but also the amenity of the tenants in St Albans Villas.

As the cabinet member responsible for rubbish collection I'm also concerned if we are not being rigorous enough about storing waste adequately. This just leads to complaints to the environment department, as well as causing a health hazard.

As you know the developers submit, in a snowballing fashion, a huge number of applications and variations so it is difficult to keep track of what is going on.

Please do let me know when would be a good time.

With best wishes

Sally

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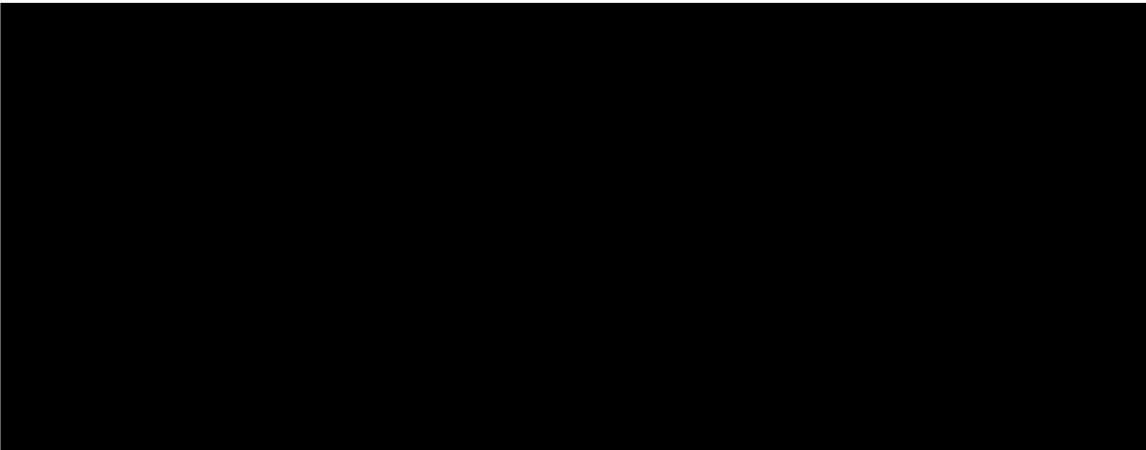
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Dear Katrine,

I am forwarding recent correspondence with Christopher Heather. I understand that you are now also dealing with 2014/6953/P. Before the Swains Lane R&NW Association and the DPCAAC can complete comments on this application, it will be necessary to have proper drawings, with elevations and dimensions, for the structure which would be erected to cover the cycles.

Christopher has sent the Council response to the Appeals relating to previous Carob Tree applications. You will clearly need to digest this, as well as the many other documents relating to this sensitive site.

In respect of 2014/7171/P, the elevations showing the 1st and 2nd floor terracing do not appear to be accurate. Added to which, the North (Swains Lane) profiles (15HR/E/003 and 15HR/005) suggest that there is already approval for the increased height of the 1st floor terrace. We are not aware of an Application for this. It is noted that large Planters are shown in drawings submitted under 2014/1397/P but changes to the terrace were not part of that application.

Unfortunately, applications by Fruition Properties have often included drawings which are inaccurate or lacking in relevant detail.

Unless the relevant drawings are available by the end of the week, it may be difficult to provide comments before the end of the Christmas period.

Many thanks,

Dr John M Slater
Co-Chairman, Swains Lane Residents and Neighbourhood Watch Association

