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1. Site situation

Currently there is Japanese Knotweed at the site but it will be removed from there, as it has been notified on the following approved documents (Application Ref: 2014/2833/P):

- Tree Report by ACD Arboriculture Ref PRI18839tr dated 08/01/2014
- Arboricultural Impact Assessment by ACD Arboriculture Ref PRI18839aia dated 10/04/2014



2. Tree features

Following the approved documents below (Application Ref: 2014/2833/P):

- Design and Access Statement by Dmkf
- Arboricultural Impact Assessment by ACD Arboriculture Ref PRI18839aia dated 10/04/2014

There is scope for the planting of three trees within the development layout:

- **Pyrus Communis 'Beech Hill'** (2 units): in the Northern section of the site – see drawing below, highlighted in violet.

Girth = 12-14 cm Height = 3 m approx (average mature height 10-15 m) Mature spread = 3-5 m approx

- **Parrotia persica 'Vanessa'** (1 unit): in the South West corner of the site – see drawing below, highlighted in orange.

Girth = 14-16 cm Height = 4 m approx (average mature height 10-15 m approx) Mature spread = 4-7 m approx



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3. <u>Root barrier</u> – *further confirmation from the Structural Engineer needed*

To protect the structure of the building from the tree roots, we will install a continuous root barrier that is the same length as the average diameter of the tree at maturity (ideal situation):

- **Pyrus Communis 'Beech Hill'** (2 units): in the Northern section of the site.

Diameter of the root barrier = 4 m

- Parrotia persica 'Vanessa' (1 unit): in the South West corner of the site.

Diameter of the root barrier = 5.5 m



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To reduce the presence of large damaging roots it is advisable to reach a depth of at least 2 feet, we will reach a depth of 1 m – see sections below with the root barriers highlighted in red.

As we are removing Japanese Knotweed from the site, we will only use vertical root barriers – no horizontal ones.





Section T1





Section T2