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2016/5842/T	Rory Harden & Nancy Crockett	160 Goldhurst Terrace London NW6 3HP	27/10/2016 14:13:28	COMNOT	<p>We have lived at 160 Goldhurst Terrace for twenty-one years.</p> <p>South Hampstead is special in its general greenness and, in particular, its large trees and hedges. It is partly because of this that we have remained here so long.</p> <p>We are opposed to all of the proposals in this application.</p> <p>The large ash tree, especially, should be preserved. We suggest that a Tree Preservation Order be applied to it.</p> <p>This ash tree forms part of a beautiful line of tall, mature trees that roughly follows the border where the gardens of Goldhurst Terrace and Aberdare Gardens meet. Not only are these trees lovely to look at, but they also afford a good measure of mutual privacy for the residents of these two streets. And they provide an important wildlife corridor. As such, they are a valuable amenity.</p> <p>Though many delightful gardens and plantings remain, South Hampstead has suffered badly over the past two decades from the destruction of trees, hedges and gardens and the creation of ugly, off-street parking spaces for ever-larger cars. We feel that it is necessary to resist this deterioration, for aesthetic as well as practical and ecological reasons.</p> <p>We also note that the proposals in this application run counter to the objectives specified in sections 12.12, 12.17, 13.80 and 13.85 of the South Hampstead Conservation Area Character Appraisal and Management Strategy (2011).</p> <p>Rory Harden &amp; Nancy Crockett 160c Goldhurst Terrace, NW6 3HP.</p>

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