

Dear Yiannas,

Thank you for your email and the photos. The two cherry trees are dead and are therefore exempt from the usual notification process. No further interaction with The Council is required in order for the trees to be removed. As discussed on the phone earlier this week, the planting of two replacement cherry trees will be secured via a condition. The replanting should take place between November and March. Full details of the replacements will be on the decision notice which will be issued next week.

Planning Technician: Please log in my name as: 2x cherry tree, front garden – DD – Fell, 18 Lindfield Gardens, London NW3 6PT.

Kind regards

Nick Bell Tree and Landscape Officer

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Dear Nick

Thank you for your time on the call we had earlier.

As discussed, we have 4 privately owned cherry blossom trees within the courtyard of our building, Lindfield Court, 18 Lindfield Gardens, NW3 6PT.

The trees are located to the left and right of the main gate to the building, inside the boundary of the building and very close to the street (Lindfield Gardens).

The trees to the left of the main gate (as viewed from the street) have died approx. 4 years ago. There is no doubt about this as for the last 4 years there has not been a single leaf on them.

We are looking to take out the two dead cherry blossom trees and replace them with similar/identical ones of approx. 6-8 feet tall planted at exactly the same spots.

We received advice from two different gardeners that this is right size of trees to maximise their chances to survive.

We have received quotes and are ready to start the work but before doing so I wanted to check with you whether any permission is required.

As discussed, I will separately email you pictures.

If you could reply by the end of the week, that would be much appreciated.

Kind regards