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**From:** Carolyn Harms [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 30 May 2017 09:23  
**To:** Planning  
**Subject:** cc [REDACTED] cc [REDACTED] Your Ref:  
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I am the occupier of the Flat on the Lower Ground and Ground Floor at 41, Christchurch Hill and the right hand garden wall of my garden is the retaining wall for the sloping rear garden of 26 Well Walk, London NW3 1LD. I forwarded on your letter to the Managing Agent, Mandy Gold of Goldschmidt & Howland but when I rang her late on Friday afternoon she told me she had not been in touch with you.

I am therefore urgently sending you this e-mail this morning as I see that the 21 days limit for comments with the regard to the proposed works to fell the birch tree in the rear garden of 26 Well Walk is imminent.

I would urgently like to make the Tree Team aware of the huge ivy infestation supported by the other birch tree that was planted at the same time as the birch tree due to felled but which died some 15 or more years ago. Since the owners of 26 Well Walk acquired this house they have encouraged an enormous and very heavy growth of ivy which is supported by this dead birch tree. This ivy overgrowth overhangs my garden and I very concerned that it could collapse and bring down with it the old retaining wall between our gardens. It would be very difficult to cope with this situation as there is no means of access for a lorry to remove or cope with the huge tons of earth from the garden of 26 Well Walk.

I would therefore be very grateful if the Tree Team could treat this matter urgently and come and view the situation from my garden.

I am Carolyn Harms of 41, Christchurch Hill, London NW3 1LA. My telephone number is 020 7 435 0203.

I am here this morning and would be most grateful if a tree surgeon could ring me to make an appointment to view this urgent situation.

Thank you

Carolyn Harms