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Sent: 09 August 2019 12:18
To: Planning •
Cc: Muhibar Rahman •
Diane Langford

Subject: Tree Team: Notification of Intended Works to Tree in a Conservation Area

Dear Tree Team at Camden,

I am responding to the proposal to fell the Malus Tree in back garden. The landlord is Genesis Housing and I have cc'd my housing worker into this email.

I personally object to the felling because the tree is nested every year and is a part of the natural environment here. Also there is a similar tree in the adjacent garden which is not in question but poses similar risks to the properties in question.

I am currently dealing with stage 4 cancer and my garden gives me peace and solace. Whilst, I realise that the tree may be felled, I worry deeply about the suggested use of glyphosate a classified carcinogen left in the garden rendering it unsafe for myself and local wildlife.

There was a recent case in the newspaper of a man recieving compensation for glyphosate related cancer. I will attach several article links providing evidence to the raised cancer risk. The GMB union has called for this environmental toxin to be banned. There are global campaigns to ban this toxic chemical and some councils are reassessing whether to use this chemical at all. I urge Camden to do the same.

I strongly object to the use of this carcinogen in my garden. I feel it would be catatrophic for my health.

Kind regards

Claudia Manchanda

UK councils assess weedkiller use after US cancer court case



Robert Booth

Rulings against Roundup owner Monsanto prompt authorities to seek non-chemical alternatives

https://jeffreydachmd.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/05/Glyphosate-based-herbicides-are-toxic-and-endocrine-disruptors-in-human-cell-lines Seralini Gasnier Toxicology 2009.pdf

Weedkillers: What do we know about glyphosate?



Chemical giant Monsanto is told to pay £226m to a man who claimed glyphosate had caused his cancer.

How Toxic is the World's Most Popular Herbicide Roundup?

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Glyphosate is the most widely used herbicide worldwide. It is a broad spectrum herbicide and its agricultural us...



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