

Application No:	Consultees Name:	Received:	Comment:	Response:
2019/4328/T	Wendy Biss and Richard Perkins	12/09/2019 15:04:10	OBJ	<p>We live [REDACTED] in Kenmore Court, a block of flats situated in Acol Road to the south-west of the development that has prompted this application. Although we have been formally consulted regarding the felling of the ash and sycamore trees 8, 9, 10, 12 and 13 (the subject of application 2019/4329), those trees are further away from Kenmore Court - and further still from the buildings comprising Sidney Boyd Court - than the lime trees 5, 6 and 7. All eight trees are adjacent to a little-used part of the Sidney Boyd Court car park.</p> <p>The lime trees exceed 10 metres in height and form part of a green (from April to November) curtain of limes which is of substantial amenity value to residents of all of the homes in Woodchurch and Acol Road from which they can be seen.</p> <p>We consider that healthy trees with a significant amenity value should not be felled on account of an approved development unless they impede it or are so prejudiced by it that they are unlikely to survive it for long. It is not evident that trees 5 and 6 will affect or be affected by the development at 13 Woodchurch Road, which has been underway for several weeks. Paragraph 5.15 of the Tree Report notes that these two trees are outside of the site of the development and do not need to be protected on account of it. Accordingly, our view is that these two trees should be retained.</p>

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