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2019/6192/T	Jessica Pawlowski	03/01/2020 17:05:20	COMMNT	In the interest of the environment, the trees should preferably be replaced with a native English species instead of an American variety. I find it strange the council would not support the use of native plant varieties given the chance. Otherwise, the replacement of these trees with a variety that bring beautiful autumnal foliage is a very good idea.
2019/6192/T	K Berges	03/01/2020 14:15:33	COMNOT	<p>Regarding the removal of the 4 Leylandii in Langbourne Avenue, Holly Lodge Estate</p> <p>I reside across the street from the trees in question, with a direct view onto them. I do believe these trees should be removed, despite the fact that I am generally against tree removal.</p> <p>These trees have gown wildly out of control in the 6 years that we have been living on the estate. During big storms, we have watched aghast as the trees whip back and forth up to 45 degrees, particularly the one at the end of the street, closest to Swains Lane. We fear for the safety of our neighbors and any one who might be on the street.</p> <p>The trees are enormous, they are very close to the buildings, and loom over the walkways and street. If one of them came down or snapped, buildings could be heavily damaged, cars could be totalled, and if a pedestrian was in the wrong place, they could easily be killed.</p> <p>I can understand the reluctance of some to have them removed. However, it apparently is not possible to trim this or otherwise contain this species, Therefore, we believe safety should win out, and the trees should go.</p> <p>That being said, given that removing them would have a large impact on the immediate landscape, we believe this should be mitigated by replacing them with saplings as large as would be feasible, and care taken over re-landscaping the area.</p>
2019/6192/T	Roger Elliott	03/01/2020 16:17:11	SUPPRT	<p>I have always considered the dark and overbearing presence of the four Leyland Cypress on Langbourne Avenue to be wholly out of character with the largely deciduous nature of the trees on the Holly Lodge Estate. By contrast, my window looks out onto a mature Sweet Gum that shades me in the summer and allows sunlight in during the winter; it is a constant source of delight throughout the year.</p> <p>The Leylandii are surely coming near to the end of their natural life; a fifth one has been cut down already because it was diseased. With their height and notoriously shallow roots they could be at risk of falling from the embankment; I have heard this fear expressed by some who live in the darkness beneath them. It is surely time to remove them, to lift the fears and allow in the light.</p> <p>There will be those who will argue for the retention of the ageing Leylandii, perhaps because they don't like to see any tree felled, but I cannot imagine anyone who would prefer them to a Sweet Gum were they to see the beauty of the tree and the rich variety of life it nurtures that I see from my window daily.</p>
2019/6192/T	Shannon	03/01/2020 13:45:06	COMMNT	<p>We need these removed due to the damage they cause on our paths and drains. They are so high they have overgrown the height of flats and are now dangerous. Crime rate...these are used as sheilds ts causes very dark areas that none can see and crime on cars. The damage to grass banks nothing grows anymore.</p>

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2019/6192/T	Samanthini Wijeweera	03/01/2020 14:54:40	COMMNT	Please please do not cut off this trees. Those trees giving shade and cover from sunlight our houses. Summer time because of these four trees can live at home peaceful. And also this trees give privacy for us by covering from otherside building. I love tgis trees as much as I love myself. I been growing up looking at those trees .

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