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**To:** Planning  
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Dear Sir / Madam

I would like to object to the application on following grounds

- it's one of the few mature trees left on the street and should be under TPO.
  - It's part of the microclimate of the area, helping against pollution, noise and it's providing the greenery and a home for the wildlife.
- Replacing a mature native tree with a young Chinese dogwood ( large shrub or small tree, slow growing ), it's not going to compensate for the lost benefits to the community.
- Felling the tree should be considered when it is diseased and may fall, endangering peoples and property. Pruning should be the 1<sup>st</sup> option to deal with the excessive shade to the property. In relation to gutters blocking, we've had the same problems and found using gutter guards effective.
- Cutting down such a mature tree which is taking up the rain water, will lead to the changes to the ground that will affect /damage the surrounding properties and the public ways.

Yours faithfully,  
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