From: Billy Black

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To: Planning

Subject: Objection 2022/0419/T

Dear Planning Team

I hope this finds you well. I am writing to express my strongest objection to the proposal to destroy these trees. I live a short walk away in Rosebery Square, where we also try to grow as much as we can to improve the air quality and biodiversity in this very concrete area, so I am very well aware of how long it would take to regrow these beautiful and well loved mature trees, and how much their destruction will impact on the wildlife in the whole area. There is an existing, professionally assessed and low cost solution to how the trees affect the building next door, there is no need to destroy them in this very short sighted proposal. In our very built up local area, it is our responsibility to preserve as much of the natural habitat as we can, if we are to leave somewhere worth living for the growing generations. I do understand (though possibly disagree) that if there were no other option, this would be a complex decision to balance residents' conflicting needs, but this is clearly not the case in this instance

Thank you for your time and attention in reading this, and I am very happy to give further information and perspective on this should you wish.

Best Wishes

Alex Black