

Application No:	Consultees Name:	Received:	Comment:	Response:
2022/0896/T	B A Abraham for the Belsize Society	11/03/2022 18:11:30	OBJ	For the Belsize Society: The two sycamores proposed for felling are 2 in a row of 3 trees between Palmers Lodge and the block of flats immediately to the south. They are highly visible from College Crescent and for a considerable distance along the street opposite, Belsize Park, and therefore have amenity value. There are too few trees in the immediate vicinity, with its proximity to the busy polluting roads of College Crescent and Finchley Road, and the loss of these two trees would have a significant deleterious effect on the neighbourhood. The two sycamores should only be felled as a last resort if they are terminally decayed. It is not clear from the application the extent and cause of the decay and whether the trees can possibly be "rescued". This should be ascertained before considering felling the trees. We do not object to the proposed pruning of the other trees.

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