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Please find notes on the above site attached. I strongly recommend that there is no reduction or thinning of the preserved Holm Oak (t5 on list). I think that the existing shape / appearance of this tree are why it was tpo'd.



Many thanks

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To: Carlos Hone

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Tree Survey and Inspection

Tree (*Species*)	T1 = Lime	Age (*est*):	T1 = 100yrs	Height:	T1 = 22+m
	T2 = Sycamore		T2 = 40		T2 = 16-18
	T3 = Sycamore		T3 = 40		T3 = 16-18
	T4 = Lime		T4 = 80		T4 = 20+
	T5 = Holm Oak (tpo)		T5 = 100		T5 = 18
	T6 = Holm Oak		T6 = 80		T6 = 18
	T7 = Holm Oak		T7 = 80		T7 = 18
	T8 = Bay		T8 =20-30		T8 = 6-7

LOCATION (Site Address) Vicarage Manor Road North Lancing

Proximity of other trees

Importance of tree to locality Conservation area and 1 Tpo Tree

REASON FOR REPORT

Request to carry out various works to trees that have not been managed for many years.

REMARKS / CONDITION:

T1 = Tall mature tree that is possibly top heavy. There are several cavities cracks and other faults below the main crown of the tree.
T2 & T3 = Two sycamore trees with severe damage to the main trunks, although both are are growing vigorously their main trunks are compromised.
T4 = Mature Lime with huge dense epicormic / basal growth. When this has been removed need for further works can be assessed.
T5 = Large majestic tree with symmetrical crown. The overall appearance of this tree should not be changed so that its amenity value is retained.
T6 & T7= Two Holm Oaks growing in close proximity to each other. Unlike T5 there is no distinct shape to the crown, and there is evidence of some damage. They have a wide spreading habit. The main stems have arched over rather than creating central leaders. This has in turn formed a dense wall of foliage low down.
T8 = Large bay, more of a shrub than a tree.

WORK / REQUIREMENTS;

T 1 = Re-pollard to break out points of crown, this would leave approximately 9 meter / 30ft trunk remaining.
T2 & T3 = Fell
T4 = Remove basal growth and dead wood.
T5 = Crown lifting but without removing major branches or limbs. Remove pendulous foliage back so as to lift the outer part of the crown by up to 1 meter. This should help to clear the closest branches to the surrounding properties, and should be carried out symmetrically to maintain the appearance of the tree.
Do not permit reduction or thinning.
T6 & T7 = Overall crown reduction of up to 30% and crown thin up to 20%
T8 = Coppice

Recommend above works be permitted.

Tree Survey and Inspection

TREE VALUE

A	Important tree worth saving	✓= T5
B	Less important than above	✓= T1 T4 T6 & T7
C	Suspect tree requires monitoring	
D	Dead or of no consequence	✓= T2 T3 T8