From: ****

Sent: Thursday, July 13, 2023 10:16 AM **To:** ******@southampton.gov.uk>

Subject: RE: Ref: T2-773

Dear ****,

Many thanks for the confirmation.

As you may be aware, the tree preservation order is temporary in the early stages and the council cannot conform an order with an outstanding objection. Given that you are wishing to fell both trees in order to excavate to create off road parking, I do not feel that I will be able to give you any information and reassurance that will result in your removal of your objection.

In cases where an objection stands, the decision as to whether the order can be confirmed, lies with the elected members of the Planning & Rights of Way panel, therefore I feel that this matter is most likely to be heard at a PROW meeting. This is a public meeting, and you will be invited to attend to put forward you objection and as to why the order should not be approved. The council have up to the 12th of January 2024 in which to have this matter heard.

Once a date has been set and the report written, you will be informed and invited to attend.

In the meantime, if you have any further questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

Tree Officer

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