

6.0 General Maintenance Works:

6.1 The following tree works are not issues that relate to health and safety, but are recommended to comply with good arboricultural husbandry and abate nuisance.

- T1; Ash tree:- 10% crown thin, remove the small broken branch and remove the ivy from the tree trunk.
- T2; Sycamore:- 10% crown thin and remove the ivy from the tree trunk.
- T3; Sycamore:- 10% crown thin and remove the ivy from the tree trunk.
- T4; this is a cherry tree and a sycamore sapling that have become intertwined together and are covered with ivy growth. I would suggest that they be felled to ground level.
- T5; Sycamore:- the trunk bole is very close to the brick boundary wall and the tree canopy is problematic to the neighbouring property (in contact with the roof structure). I would suggest that the tree has reached the end of its SULE and that its removal is recommended.
- T6; Sycamore:- the trunk bole is very close to the brick boundary wall. I would monitor its growth at this stage and consider its removal in the next few years.
- T7; Sycamore:- prune the epicormic growth off the trunk and remove the ivy growth from the trunk.
- T8; Turkey oak:- Crown reduce by approximately 3 metres to leave an overall height of 14 metres. To be crown reduced by pruning longer branches back to a suitable lateral branch union.
- T9; Lime:- the tree has suppressed structural growth form due to the adjacent dominant trees and it is likely to be a constant problem to the adjacent car park area. I would recommend that it be felled to ground level.
- T10; Silver birch:- this tree has been topped in the past and decay is evident at the old topping wounds. I would advise felling the tree at this stage.
- Continue maintenance of shrub and tree branch overhang of Vine Street, allowing for a height clearance from ground level over the pavement of 3 metres and over the road of 5 metres.