



To whom it may concern,

I have been asked to quote for works at:

Parkfield Church

Middleton

Rochdale

M24 4AX

Overview:

A previous tree survey has been conducted on the site in 2022. (Survey is attached) Since this time trees T15, T16, T9 and to a lesser extent T20 have declined in health significantly.

Under the survey Para 3.6 of the survey it states:

‘The removal of any feature not listed above and shown in drawing 2 would constitute a material amendment and may therefore require an application to vary consent’

The purpose of this document is to request that trees T15, T16, T9 and T20 are removed and to see what steps need to be taken to get this amended on the planning permission.

Trees:

T9 – Cherry. The stem cavity has continued to rot the stem leading to the tree being structurally compromised. The tree can not support any extra weight and the root plate is damaged.



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Tree Care



T15 and T16 – Both trees have now succumbed to Dutch Elm Disease. The trees are structural compromised and show no signs of life. All branches are now dead and the bark is stripping off the main stem. Due to the proximity of the trees to both the church and neighbouring properties any failures could cause structural damage and need to be removed.

T15



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T16



T20 - Hawthorn

Although posing no significant threat of damage to the surrounding area the tree is not in full leaf and is requested to be removed to ensure it does not pose a threat in the future.

Would you be able to inform me of the next steps needed to apply to amend the planning or due to the severity of damage is it possible to add these diseased and damaged trees to the removals list.

As always, any help or guidance would be greatly appreciated and if you require any more information or wish to conduct a site visit, please get in touch.

Many thanks,

Chris