

Appendix F

Trial Pit Investigation (Tree Officer)

105, Addington Road,
Reading,
Berkshire,
RG1 5PZ

Project Reference J117

PHOTOGRAPHS OF THREE TRIAL PITS DUG AT:-

103/105 ADDINGTON ROAD AND ADVERTISING HOARDINGS FRONTING ERLEIGH ROAD
RG1 5PZ

Save for mechanical removal of the concrete covering trial pit 'C' all pits were hand dug over the Spring Bank Holiday weekend 2019.



TRENCH 'A' - ERLEIGH ROAD FRONTAGE

Trench 'A' was dug further out from the position shown on plan AJT/T at the request of Sarah Hanson (Natural Environment Officer) and bridges the two corners of the proposed building.

There is no evidence of any roots from the adjoining street Lime.



TRENCH 'B' CORNER OF SITE

An existing bush (photo below) had to be removed to allow excavation and the remains of its roots are visible on the photograph above.

There is no evidence of any significant roots from the adjoining street Lime.



BUSH REMOVED TO ALLOW DIGGING OF TRENCH 'B'



TRENCH 'C' CONCRETE YARD IN FRONT OF 105 ERLEIGH ROAD.

The trench revealed two objects crossing the trench. The first (closest to the camera) is an electricity cable. The second (furthest from the camera) is a root from the adjoining street Lime at a depth of 560mm heading towards the basement under the building.

