

Tree protection plan

Location of trees, categorisation & protection/management proposals at 54-58 Queens Road, Reading

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BS category B Tree of moderate quality

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BS category C Trees of low quality

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Trees to be removed

Proposed layout

Estimated tree position not included on original land survey

Protective barrier/fencing

Construction exclusion zone (CEZ)

Root protection area (RPA) boundary for category C tree

Tree schedule				
Tree No	Species	Category	RPA Radius	Tree Works
Retained tree				Carry out safety check
T1	Sumac	C	2.4	-
T2	Acacia	B	5.7	Fell
T3	Hawthorn	C	1.2	Fell
T4	Amelanchier	C	3.6	Fell

SGN 1

Monitoring tree protection

Always:

✓ have a pre-commencement meeting with the tree consultant before development starts

✓ use the tree consultant to regularly check that protection remains fit for purpose

✓ use the tree consultant to supervise work in RPAs

✓ keep a written record of supervision

SGN 11

Installing services in RPAs

Always:

✓ use the tree consultant to supervise work in RPAs

✓ select the least damaging option when installing services, so prioritise trenchless, over broken trench over continuous trench

✓ hand-dig trenches if trenchless is not feasible

SGN 2

Fencing protected trees

Always:

✓ install protection before development starts

✓ make sure protection is fit for purpose, i.e. it prevents damage to trees and soil

✓ keep protection in place until there is no risk to trees

✓ get written permission to move or remove any protection

SGN 12

Landscaping in RPAs

Always:

✓ use the tree consultant to supervise work in RPAs

✓ avoid raising ground levels within 1m of the trunks of retained trees

How to use plan

More detailed guidance on each Site Guidance Note (SGN) can be found in a printed hard copy compilation of all the SGNs, issued to the Site Manager at the pre-commencement site meeting (**Note:** This should be retained on site throughout the duration of works). Additionally, an electronic pdf compilation of all the SGNs, was submitted with this drawing to the local planning authority and the client. Alternatively, a pdf of each SGN can be downloaded by:

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