



The Town and Country Planning Act 1990
Notice of REFUSAL to Carry Out TPO Tree Work
Application Reference Number: PL/2025/09240
Decision Date: 14/01/2026

Applicant:	Mr Chris Vinall 9 STARFIELD COURT, STATION ROAD, HOLT, TROWBRIDGE, BA14 6RD
Particulars of Development:	Yew tree - crown reduction of 50%
At:	9 STARFIELD COURT, STATION ROAD, HOLT, TROWBRIDGE, BA14 6RD

In pursuance of its powers under the above Act, the Council hereby REFUSES PERMISSION for the tree works referred to in the above particulars of development to be carried out in accordance with the application and plans submitted, for the reasons specified hereunder:-

Refusal Reason

- 1 A 50% crown reduction, as proposed, is excessive and may result in poor health of the tree. Whilst Yew trees are known to grow back eventually, this amount of reduction will negatively affect the positive aesthetics that this tree provides to the character of the local area.

***Nic Thomas* - Director of Planning, Economy and Regeneration**

Right of appeal against Tree Works refusal and/or conditions

If you are aggrieved by the decision of the local planning authority to refuse to grant consent for certain elements and/or to impose conditions on certain elements then you may appeal to the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government in accordance with Regulation 19 of the Town and Country Planning (Tree Preservation) (England) Regulations 2012 within 28 days of the date of this decision. Details of the appeals procedure and forms can be found at the Planning Portal –

<http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/appeals/otherappealscasework/treepreservation>

Or alternatively direct from the Planning Inspectorate –

The Environment Appeals Team, Trees and Hedges, Room 3/25 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN

Telephone: 0303 444 5584

A copy of the appeal documents should be sent to planningappeals@wiltshire.gov.uk.

If you intend to submit an appeal that you would like examined by inquiry then you must notify the Local Planning Authority and Planning Inspectorate (inquiryappeals@planninginspectorate.gov.uk) at least 10 days before submitting the appeal. [Further details are on GOV.UK](#).