

# Duty to Consult On Felling Street Trees

This is a notification that this tree is proposed to be felled. From the date of this notice, there is a 28-day period in which you can provide comments on the proposed tree removal. This notice meets the requirements set out in section 115 of the Environment Act 2021 and section 96A of the Highways Act 1980 on the duty to consult.

Notice Date: 20/02/2025

Reference: ROC022749

Parish/Ward: Rochford

Location: Derwent Avenue, Rayleigh, SS6 8LE

What3words reference: ///////prop.olive.stars

Species: Silver Birch (022749)

Reason for removal: To prevent or alleviate damage to property.

Solutions considered: Engineered solutions have been considered, however the location of the tree and proximity to private property determine that this is not a suitable alternative remedial action.

Replacement: Replacement planting is not considered appropriate in this location, given the potential for future damage to occur. Alternative locations in the area will be sought.

To provide comments on this consultation, use the QR code below or visit:

**[www.essexhighways.org/street-tree-consultations](http://www.essexhighways.org/street-tree-consultations)**

For further information about Council tree management please visit our website at **[www.essex.gov.uk](http://www.essex.gov.uk)** and search for 'Tree Management'

Any comments should be made by Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March

