

SALTASH TOWN COUNCIL VOLUNTARY TREE WARDENS' REPORT

PA23/00524 – Trees At Cedar Court Saltash PL12 6DQ

We can see no reason to argue against the works on G1 and T2 – but there are some large branches that are possibly at risk in both G1 and T2, so we suggest adding something to the effect that permission be granted 'to remove branches no greater than 5cm'. This is quite commonly added as a condition of permission.

The bay tree T1 and the elder T3 are not included in the TPO [E2/06/TPO/00080](#) and so permission to prune is not required.

We think it is worth being particular in this case, since there were some misleading aspects of the application:

1. Photographs included in the application show trimming a beech tree which grows in the neighbours property on the Eastern boundary. This tree is not mentioned in the application and is not protected by a TPO. A member of the public has asked for the permission to be refused, but legally the property owner is permitted to trim overhanging branches.
2. G1 the row of conifers are *Cupressus Lawsonii* not *C Leylandii*. They are correctly described on the TPO.

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