

CONSERVATION AREA NOTIFICATION

ASSESSMENT SHEET

APPLICATION NO: **CA/26/0035: Henfield Vicarage Church Lane Henfield.**

REPRESENTATION AND CONSULTATION RESPONSES:

Henfield Parish Council has indicated no objection to this notification.

No additional representations have been received in respect of this notification.

ASSESSMENT:

The removal of T1 (Sycamore) and T7 (Holly) is considered acceptable on arboricultural grounds, due to the suppressed condition of T1 and its relationship with adjacent trees, which limits its ability to develop into a specimen that would make a meaningful contribution to its setting, as well as the dead status of T7. As such, their removal will not be detrimental to the wider conservation area, given the established and substantial tree coverage across the site.

The remaining works, which refer to selective crown reductions to T2–T5 and height management of T6, represent proportionate maintenance intended to retain the trees in a suitable form relative to nearby structures and boundaries. This will ensure their continued contribution to the landscape while safeguarding adjacent uses and built features.

The proposed tree works will not negatively impact the character and appearance of the conservation area and will not result in an unacceptable loss of visual amenity.

Accordingly, it is not considered necessary or appropriate to protect these trees by means of a Tree Preservation Order (TPO)

RECOMMENDATION:

No objection to notification.

Authorising Officer sign.....ANBU.....**Arboricultural Officer (Strategic Planning)**

Date.....15 Jun 2026.....