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For the attention of Daniel Atkinson Doncaster Council

19<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Sent via email

Dear Daniel,

## Consent to fell and replace three Sycamore trees. The trees are subject to G4 Doncaster Borough Council Tree Preservation Order (No.208) 1997 Sprotbrough Village.

Thank you for your notification of the above application on 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2023. The Parish Council discussed the application at its meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023 and wish to make the following observations.

The Parish Council queries why the three trees proposed to be felled cannot be crown reduced. The loss of three mature sycamore trees within the TPO would lead to habitat loss and appears to be severe considering the extensive push to plant and retain trees within the city to support climate change objectives.

Kind regards,

Emma Garner Clerk to the Council