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Business Unit : **Landscape Services**
Our Ref : TRE/2025/0712
Your Ref :
Date : 30 July 2025
Ask For : Mr Fergus MacArthur

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Dear Sir or Madam

Proposal: **A Large veteran Oak tree 18-20m in height located on the track to the driving range from the main Golf course car park.**
One side of the forked main stem has a large open cavity with a second open hole in the opposite side of the stem. On the side with the smaller hole are several open cracks running up from these cavities and the tree has the potential to fail onto the track used by the visitors below.

I suspect the stem with the cavities is also hollowing up and down from the open areas as well as having the cracks, so could be a potential bat roost which we are employing an ecologist to survey.

We seek permission to remove the stem with the issues to below the cavitied area which is around half of the canopy and then reduce the other side of the remaining canopy to 50% in height to reduce stresses from the new level of exposure and to hopefully create a pollard into the future.

Location: **Kedleston Park Golf Club Kedleston Road Kedleston Derby Derbyshire DE22 5JD**

Applicant: **Mr Paul Adamson**
Kedleston Hall, Main Office Kedleston Rd Nr Quarndon Derby Derbys

Agent:

I am writing to confirm that the Council does not propose to serve a Tree Preservation Order in response to your notice of 14 July 2025.

You may carry out the work so long as;

1. You do so within two years of the date of your notice; and

2. You do no more work on the tree(s) than is set out in your notice.

Yours faithfully



Mr Fergus MacArthur
Trees and Conservation Officer

Note: The Council recommends that a competent arboricultural contractor carries out this work (see enclosed leaflet 'Tree Work - Choosing Your Arborist') and whilst the Council does not recommend or assess any individuals or companies it does recognise the Arboricultural Association Approved Contractor scheme as being the best way of assuring the professional competence of companies engaged in tree work.

Details of Arboricultural Association Approved Contractors can be obtained from;

The Arboricultural Association
The Malthouse
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