



Broomfield Parish Council

Dear Councillors

You are summoned to attend the **Environment Committee Meeting** of Broomfield Parish Council to be held on **Wednesday 17th June 2026 at 7.30pm** at Broomfield Village Hall for the transaction of business as set out below. Press and public are warmly invited to attend. Meeting packs for this agenda are available on the website www.broomfield-pc.gov.uk

Abi Wood, Clerk to the Council

Agenda

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| EC26/041 | To elect a Chair for this committee |
| EC26/042 | To receive and approve apologies for absence |
| EC26/043 | To receive Councillors declarations of interests and dispensation requests |
| EC26/044 | To approve the minutes of the Environment Committee Meeting held on 15th April 2026 |
| EC26/045 | Public Participation session
<i>The session will last for 15 minutes, and the time will be distributed between those wishing to speak.</i> |
| EC26/046 | Make Space for Girls project update |
| EC26/047 | To consider the quote for tree works from JCM following the annual inspection |
| EC26/048 | To discuss the possible disposal of old maintenance equipment and the purchase of new electric strimmer with the proceeds |
| EC26/049 | Green spaces in the parish <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To receive any updates |
| EC26/050 | Angel Meadow and surroundings <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Playground - To discuss extending the chains on one swing to lower the seat for younger users |
| EC26/051 | Church Green <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To receive any updates |
| EC26/052 | Centenary Wood <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To receive any updates |
| EC26/053 | Allotment site and Association <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To receive any updates |
| EC26/054 | Environment Enhancement <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To receive an update on the village sign repair quote |
| EC26/055 | Items for inclusion in the next agenda |
| EC26/056 | Chair to close the meeting |
- The next Environment Committee meeting is on Wednesday 15th July 2026 at 8.00pm**



Broomfield Parish Council

**Minutes of the Environment Committee of Broomfield Parish Council
held in Broomfield Village Hall
on Wednesday 15th April 2026 at 8.00 p.m.**

Members in attendance	A Faulds (Chair), M Bleet, S Boreham, G Garfield, C Taylor, N Kiddier, G Scott
Members not in attendance	D Howell
Others in attendance	A Wood, Clerk and RFO D Hance, Events and Fundraising S Earley, Village Attendant

E26/027	To receive apologies for absence Apologies were received and accepted for Cllr Howell. Proposed: Cllr Faulds Seconded: Cllr Bleet All agreed.
E26/028	To receive Councillors announcements, declarations of interests and dispensations requests None were presented.
E26/029	To approve the minutes of the Council Meeting held on 18th March 2026 The minutes were approved as a correct record of the meeting and signed by Cllr Faulds. Proposed: Cllr Garfield Seconded: Cllr Scott All agreed.
E26/030	Public Participation session Mrs Hance raised questions received by a resident relating to the flint wall at Brooklands, a Parsonage Green tree and bollards and a missing finger post sign. Mrs Hance will respond and report as required.
E26/031	Make Space for Girls project update Mrs Hance provided an update on the project and that work was progressing well. The ground works and electrics have been installed, and the pergola is due to arrive shortly. Seating will arrive next week. It is planned to plant Darcy Apple trees and install picnic benches in the area too. The bollards will be graffitied as part of the Concrete Canvas project, and a discussion took place about planting a hedge around the car park.
E26/032	To discuss the recent damage to the village gate and VAS sign and to agree next steps Mr Earley provided an update on the recent incident that demolished the parish council VAS sign and one of the southern gates to the village. It was noted that the sign might not work now and that the location was problematic for solar power and so replacement in that location was not necessary at this time. A claim on the parish council's insurance was considered and will not be progressed. It was RESOLVED that the gate be repaired and for 30mph signs and community speed watch signs to be installed on them by the Village Attendant. A quote will be brought to the next meeting. Proposed: Cllr Taylor Seconded: Cllr Faulds All agreed.

E26/033	Green spaces in the parish • To receive an update on the Berwick Avenue meeting Cllrs Faulds and Garfield provided an update on a positive meeting with Chelmsford CC and advised that they have a budget of £31,000 to replace the play equipment in Autumn 2027. Chelmsford CC will send a brief to the parish council to consider whether to contribute to the project and to consult with the residents. Mr Earley will visit the site with Cllr Faulds to install cable ties on the swings to reduce the issue of bird mess on the seats. An increase in grass cutting was discussed with areas being left for nature, which is something that will be considered by the City Council.
E26/034	Angel Meadow and surroundings • To confirm the purchase of a new litter bin for the bottom of Angel Meadow The Clerk reported that the bin had been purchased and installed already as the cost was below the limit of her authorised spending (£243.00 including VAT). • To approve the quote for playground repairs It was RESOLVED to approve the quote from Playquip Ltd for repairs to the bike rocker and the turnstile carousel at a cost of £720.00 plus VAT. Proposed: Cllr Faulds Seconded: Cllr Scott All agreed
E26/035	Church Green A general discussion was held about the green and it was noted that the previous issues with cars parking on the yellow lines and grass had diminished.
E26/036	Centenary Wood It was reported that willow dome has been planted and is being watered regularly. There had been an incident with a small fire which seems to have been an isolated event. Cllr Faulds advised that she had cleared out the pond of branches and that information signs had been printed. The wildflowers seem to be growing well.
E26/037	Allotment Site/Association Mrs Hance reported that gate is being installed next week. Quotes for resurfacing are still being sought. No issues with deer at this time which is a positive result.
E26/038	Environment Enhancement • To consider the Chelmsford City Council Nature Pledge project The Clerk was asked to progress this project on behalf of the parish council and Mrs Hance and Councillors will work with other groups to encourage further pledges. • To receive an update on the annual tree inspection The Clerk advised that the report had been received that day and has been shared with staff and the Church. She will send the report to JCM Services for a quote for the works highlighted and will bring this to the next meeting. • To receive an update on the missing dog bin between the churchyard and school Mrs Hance reported on a recent meeting with the dog warden and signage has been erected on the site to encourage residents to report dog mess bags being left. It is hoped that the dog warden service will be able to install a new bin that meets with health and safety requirements in consultation with the parish council.
E26/025	Items for inclusion in the next agenda • Village sign repair quote • Tree works quote
E26/026	Chair to close the meeting Cllr Faulds closed the meeting at 9.00pm The next Environment Committee meeting is on Wednesday 20th May at 8.00pm

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Tree Survey Report



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1 Introduction / Scope

- 1.1 A site visit was carried out by Adam Sultan (Place Services' Arboricultural Consultant) on 7th April 2026 to inspect trees in line with the instruction from Broomfield Parish Council. Unless otherwise stated, all trees were inspected visually from ground level. The nature of the survey was to assess the site for risks from tree-related hazards and to recommend any necessary work to control these risks.
- 1.2 Trees were assessed for safety considerations and recommendations for any necessary work have been detailed in this report. Any trees with defects that do not require remedial work, but where it is foreseeable that the trees' condition could deteriorate over time as a result of their defect(s), have been noted for monitoring. Any trees that require further investigation (either internal or aerial) have also been included.
- 1.3 Provision should be made for inspection of the site/s every three years as a minimum, with individual trees being inspected sooner where recommended in this report.

2 Survey Method

Tree Assessment

- 2.1 The assessment of trees on the site has been carried out using the current industry standard Visual Tree Assessment (VTA) technique developed by Mattheck and Breloer (1994). Where necessary, non-invasive tools such as binoculars, a mallet and/or a metal probe were used to assist in the assessment of tree defects, such as cavities/suspected decay. A systematic approach was used, with the rooting area, stem and crown/branch structure inspected for each individual tree.
- 2.2 Risk assessments have been carried out broadly in line with the National Tree Safety Group (NTSG) - Common Sense Risk Management of Trees (guidance) and the International Society of Arboriculture's (ISA) Tree Risk Assessment Qualification (TRAQ), which defines the following three levels of assessment.
 - **Level 1: Basic Visual Assessment** - Generally reserved for large populations of trees that require a fast and cost-effective overview of the tree stock. Any trees that require a more detailed inspection have been given a level 2 standard assessment.
 - **Level 2: Standard Assessment** - A detailed visual inspection from ground level of specific individual trees. Any trees that may require further investigation, such as internal decay detection or aerial inspection will be recommended for a level 3 advanced assessment.
 - **Level 3: Advanced Assessment** - This is the highest level of inspection, only undertaken when significant defects are identified at level 2 that require the use of specialist equipment and techniques. Examples of this level of assessment would be internal decay detection with sonic tomography or aerial inspection from a rope and harness.
- 2.3 As part of this survey a combination of both level 1 and level 2 assessments have been carried out. Where required, recommendations have been made for trees that require a level 3 advanced assessment.

Site Use

- 2.4 Only areas of the site identified as high or medium risk were inspected where access is foreseeable; this included major paths, tracks, rides, car parks, areas abutting highways, desire lines, seating, playgrounds and playing fields, children's play areas and areas around structures and buildings.

- 2.5 The level of risk increases and decreases with the change in frequency of use, particularly during special events where large numbers of people may be in an area around trees for an extended period of time. This raises the level of risk considerably.
- 2.6 The risk assessment of each tree defect was based on the severity of the hazard and the likelihood of it causing injury or harm. Provided below are keys for the works priority (based upon the significance of the defect and the target area below) and an inspection frequency (based upon the recommended work having been completed or the likely rate of decline as a result of a defect).

3 Report Limitations

- 3.1 Trees are living organisms whose health and condition can change rapidly and all trees, even healthy ones, can be a risk as a result of weather, environmental events or human actions. The assessment of risk for any tree is based upon factors evident at the time of the inspection and the interpretation of those factors by suitably qualified inspectors. The health, condition and safety of trees should be checked on a basis commensurate with the level of risk.
- 3.2 Trees are dynamic structures that can suffer damage or failure under average conditions without external symptoms. A lack of recommended work does not imply that a tree is without defect; all external factors are considered during level 1 and 2 tree surveys, and an assessment of risk is made. This prevents foreseeable failure; however, the very nature of a living structure gives rise to anomalies or undetectable underlying weaknesses. Regular inspections by a competent and suitably qualified arboriculturist will help to identify potential problems before they become acute.
- 3.3 Brambles, Common Nettle and Common Ivy around trunks can prevent thorough inspection of some trees. In such instances, the inspection is based on crown condition and the parts of the tree that are visible. Where there are some concerns but a full inspection of individual trees has not been possible, this has been noted on the tree schedule and may be accompanied by a recommendation to clear the obscuring vegetation.
- 3.4 Where work is recommended to a tree, an initial assessment for bat roost potential has been made, as appropriate to the training and experience of the surveyor. For trees with confirmed bat roost potential, or where there is uncertainty, it is essential that an ecologist is consulted to provide advice on suitable working methods to enable the remedial works without a criminal offence being committed. Where possible our recommendations have included retention of the feature, but this is not a substitute for ecological advice.

4 Carrying out tree work

Appointing a contractor

- 4.1 We strongly suggest that tree works are organised and managed through a suitably qualified, competent, experienced and insured contractor. Carrying out tree works is hazardous and needs to be carried out adhering to all relevant health and safety legislation/guidance and most recent arboricultural practices.
- 4.2 The contractor appointed to carry out the work should be aware of and made responsible for the due diligence for all protected species, including nesting birds and roosting bats in line with the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 and the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017.
- 4.3 No statutory checks have been undertaken in relation to statutory tree protection and these must be done prior to commencement of any arboricultural work on the site. The responsible local authority will be able to advise whether the tree/s are protected by a Tree Preservation Order (TPO) or sit within a Conservation Area and if so, appropriate applications or notices must be submitted in advance of any work.

Pests and Diseases

- 4.4 The chosen contractor must be aware of suitable biosecurity processes to prevent cross contamination and the spread of pests and diseases.
- 4.5 It is essential to keep up to date on pests and diseases entering the country that could pose a threat to the long-term health to our tree stock, especially through cross contamination. Up to date information can be found on the Forestry Commission website <https://www.forestry.gov.uk/pestsanddiseases>

5 Findings

- 5.1 The majority of the trees were found to have good vitality with no visible major defects. Section 4, below, contains a schedule specifying trees with faults and/or defects requiring work, re-inspection or monitoring.
- 5.2 Trees located on private land adjacent to the site but within falling distance of high/medium risk areas owned by the parish have been visually assessed from within the site. It is not possible to undertake a detailed inspection without access to the trees and therefore our recommendations should be considered preliminary. Where concerns about private trees are noted in the report, the parish is advised to contact the landowner(s) regarding the identified recommendations.
- 5.3 The recommendations resulting from the survey can be found in the tables below.

Key to tree tables

Note: The inspection frequency categorisation given below is as used for trees on other ECC sites.

Bat PRFs	
Potential Roost Features for bats (European Protected Species). Please see the Information section of this report for more detail on this. If a tree requires remedial work and is found to have roosting potential for bats, an ecologist will need to be consulted on the likely impact and working methods required.	
Yes	There are features present
No	There are no features present

Age Class	
Young	Tree has not yet reached a third of life expectancy and is still establishing.
Semi-mature	Tree is within the second third of life expectancy but is still yet to reach its ultimate height and spread, with considerable growth potential.
Early-mature	The tree is still in the second third of life expectancy but is reaching its ultimate height and its growth is slowing. It will still grow considerably in stem diameter and crown spread.
Mature	Tree is within the final third of life expectancy and has a limited potential for further significant increase in size. It is likely to have a considerable life expectancy.
Late-mature	Tree is in the late stages of useful life expectancy with no potential for further growth. The tree might show signs of early retrenchment.
Ancient	A tree that is older than the life expectancy.

Priority		
E	Urgent	Works required immediately to make tree safe.
30D	Very high	Works required within 30 days.
90D	High	Works required within 90 days.
1Y	Moderate	Works required as part of scheduled maintenance over 12 months from the relevant inspection date.
2Y/3Y	Low	Works required are of the lowest priority and may be done if the budget allows.
N/A	Not applicable	No work required

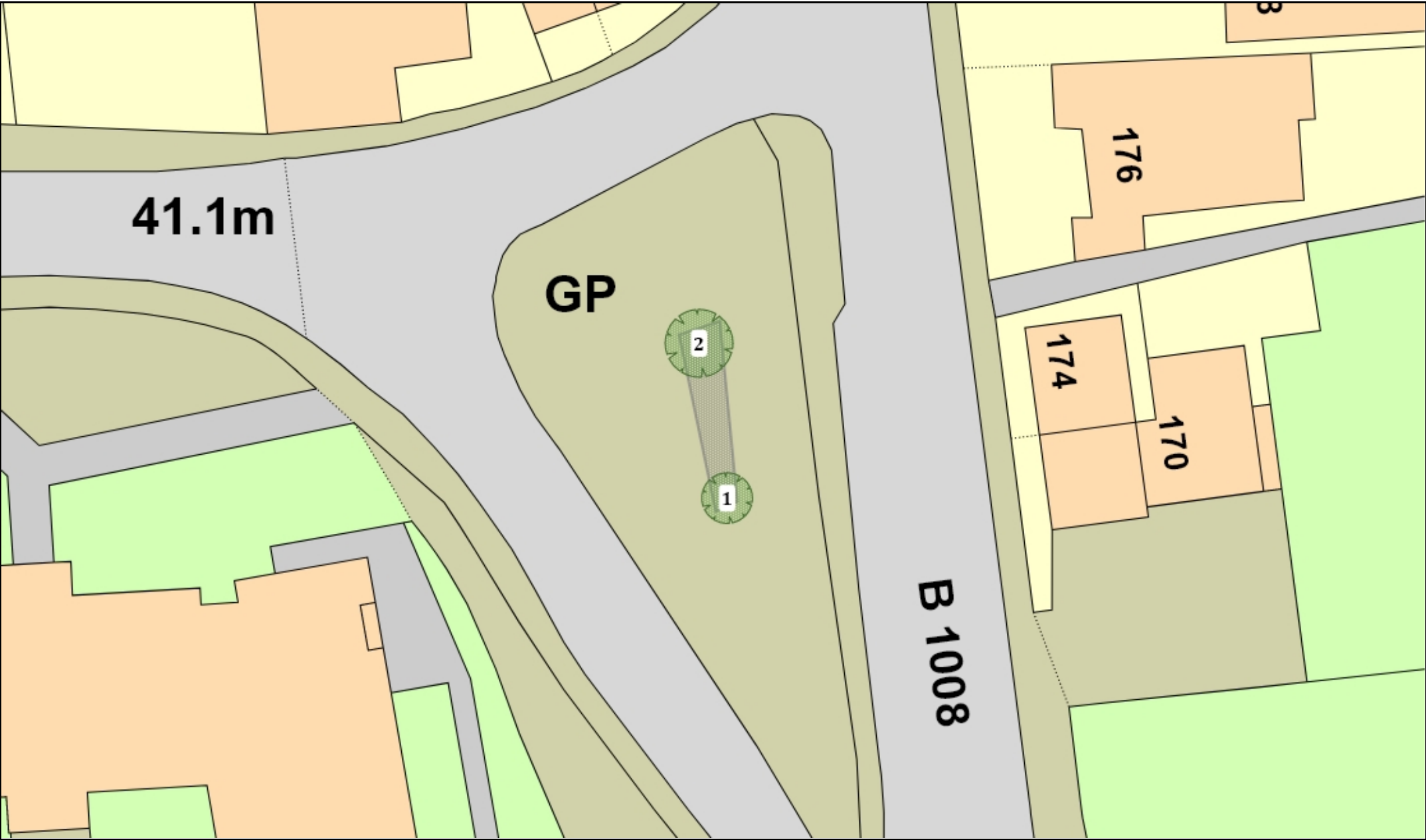
Next ST Inspect	
The next date on which the tree must be inspected by. This will generally be within 1 year, 18 months or 2 years. It is generally accepted that healthy trees with no defects will be inspected within 3 years.	

6 Appendices

Tree Schedule, Site plan and Photographs

Angel Green

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
1	Opposite 172	Hornbeam	No	5	Young	Good	· No significant defects · No works required	None Recorded.	No action required	G1 on previous report. Young Hornbeam in good overall condition. Tree guard and basal/ lower stem epicormic growth has been removed since last inspection as recommended.	01/04/2029
2	Adjacent Broomfield sign	Hornbeam	No	6	Young	Good	· No significant defects · No works required	None Recorded.	No action required	G1 on previous report. Young Hornbeam in good overall condition. Tree guard and basal/ lower stem epicormic growth has been removed since last inspection as recommended.	01/04/2029



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Seq: 1



T1: Hornbeam

Seq: 2



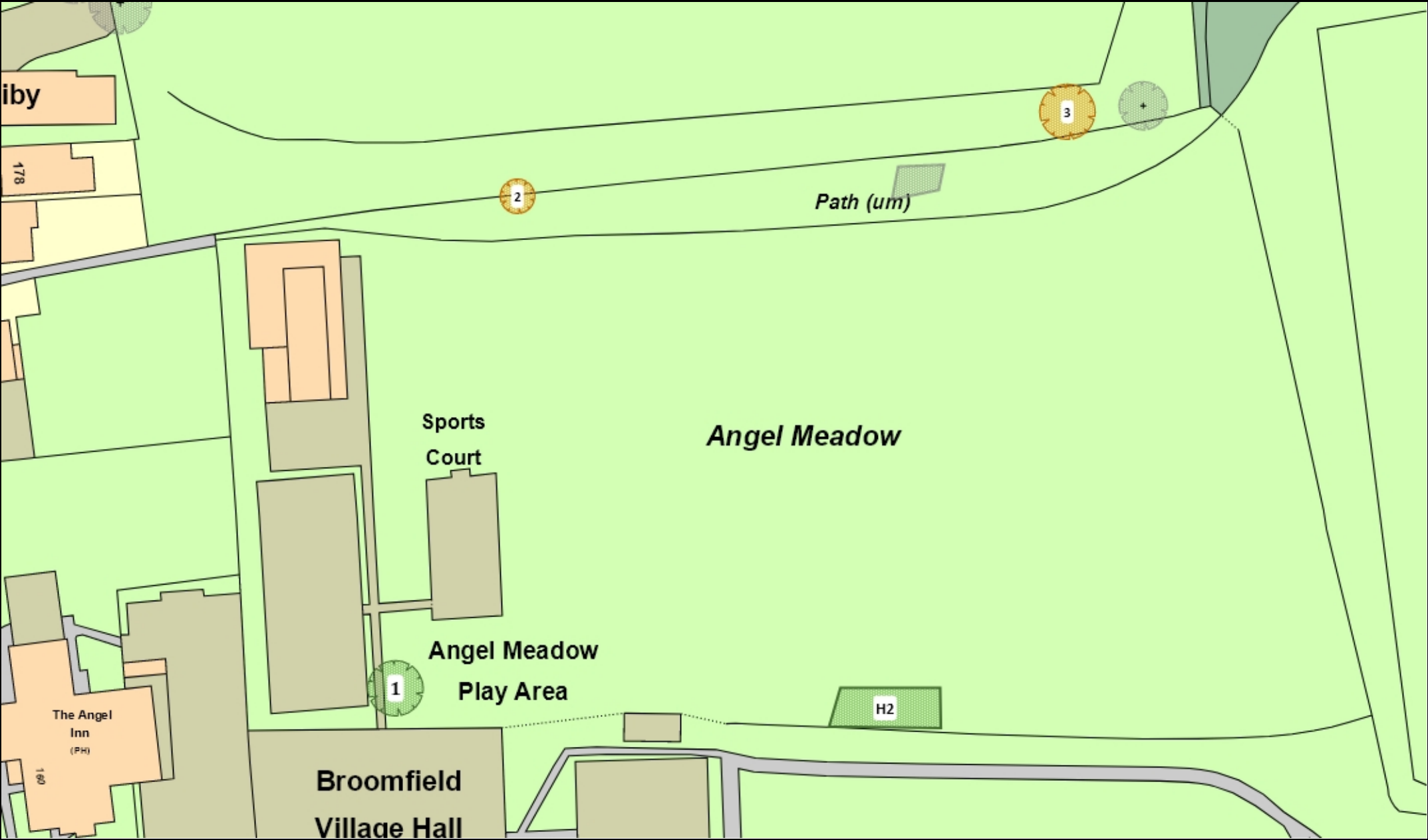
T2: Hornbeam

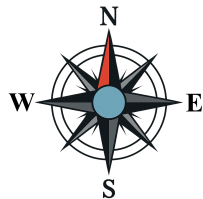
Angel Meadow

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
1	Adjacent play area, green bin, car park, benches	Sycamore	No	12	Mature	Fair	· Trunk - Weak union · Trunk - Compression fork · Trunk - Included bark - probe can currently be inserted 5cm	Re-inspect compression fork union	18 months	T1 on previous report. Mature tree in fair structural condition and good physiological condition. The tree has a compression fork at the crown break at 1.7m, with included bark, a probe can currently be inserted 5cm. There is a high target of the play area and footpath, due to this it is recommended to monitor the union before the next scheduled inspection to assess structural integrity.	01/11/2027
H2	Both sides of halfway line	Mixed Broadleaves	No	6	Mature	Fair	· Trunk - Ivy	None Recorded.	No action required	Group of 2 Hawthorn and 2 Elder trees in good physiological condition. Both trees are heavily ivy clad, preventing a full stem inspection. Ivy has been severed as recommend at last inspection, however this is only beginning to die back.	01/04/2029
2	Off site behind bench in line with sideline of 5 a side	Dead tree	No	12	Semi-mature	Dead	· Dead tree	· Fell Tree to Ground Level	Within 30 days	Off site dead tree within falling distance of bench and playing field.	

Angel Meadow

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
3	Off site adjacent T2 Horse Chestnut on previous report	Common Ash	Yes	16	Semi-mature	Poor	· Crown - Major Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length · Trunk - Major trunk decay · Trunk - Cavity · Trunk - Fungus	· Further Investigation	Within 30 days	Off site twin stem Ash tree in poor structural condition and fair physiological condition. Multiple woodpecker holes visible along both stems, with <i>Inonotus hispidus</i> (shaggy bracket) wood decay fungi also present, these factors are likely to have caused significant internal decay along the stems, however due to boundary fence no further assessment can be made at present. It is recommended to contact the landowner and request they commission a full inspection of the tree and carry out necessary works as the tree is within falling distance of the public footpath and playing field.	01/04/2029



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Angel Meadow



T1: Sycamore



T1: Trunk - Compression fork



T1: Previous inspection 27/01/2025



T1: Previous inspection 27/01/2025



T1: Previous inspection 27/01/2025



T1: Previous inspection 27/01/2025

Angel Meadow



G1: 2x Hawthorn, 2x Elder

Seq: 2



T2: dead tree

Seq: 3



T3: Ash

Seq: 3



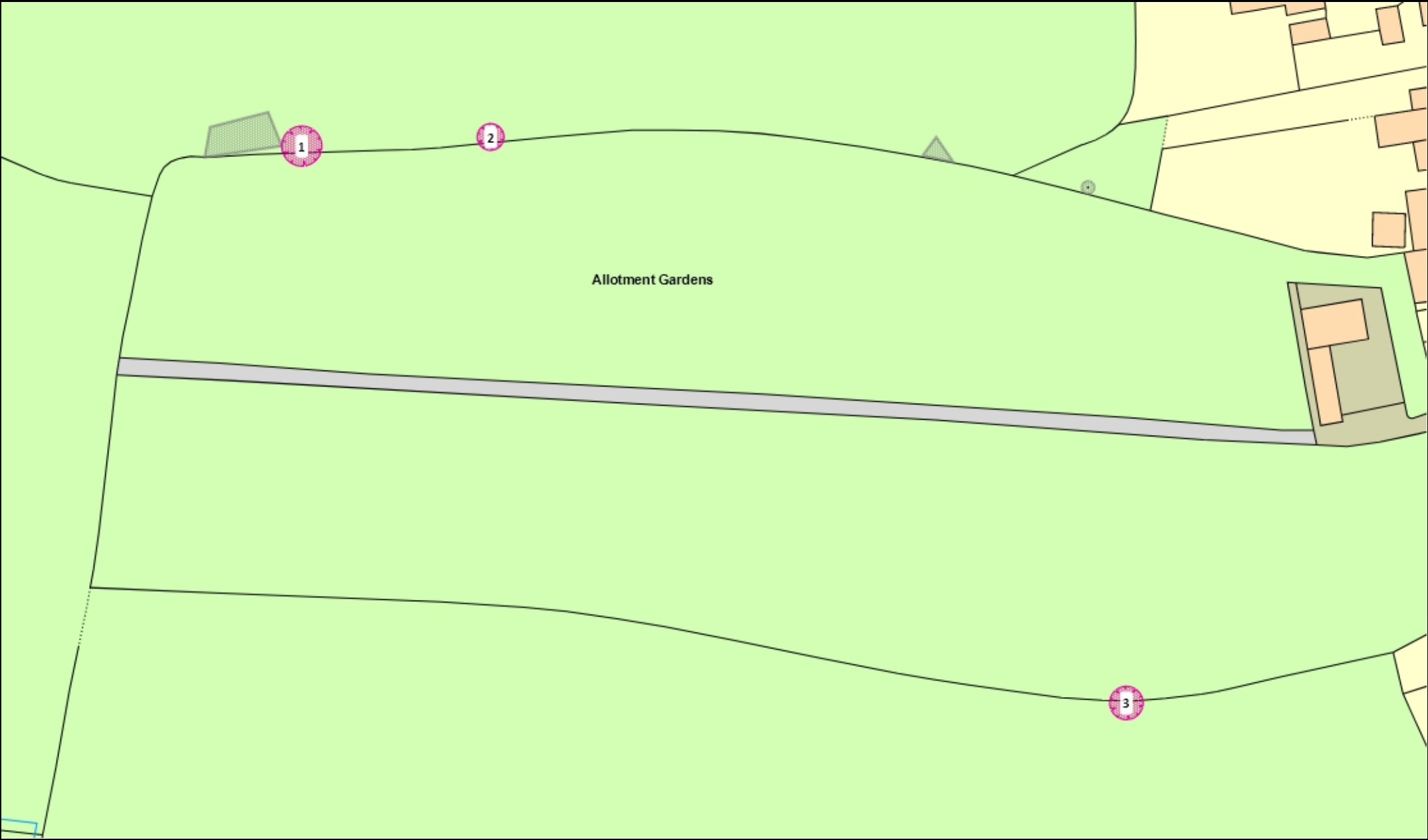
T3: Trunk cavity



T3: Trunk - Fungus

Broomfield Allotments

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
1	NW corner of allotments	Common Ash	No	11	Semi-mature	Fair	· Crown - Major Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length · Crown - Dieback in upper crown, suspected Ash dieback · Ash Health Class 3 - 50% -25% Canopy	· Remove Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length overhanging allotments	Within 90 days	T1 on previous report. Multi-stem Ash tree in fair overall condition. The tree has suspected Ash dieback, negatively impacting crown vitality, with some deadwood present. Remove deadwood on allotment side of the tree.	01/04/2029
2	Adjacent plot 20B / Mel's garden	Hawthorn	No	5	Semi-mature	Dead	· Dead tree · Trunk - Ivy	· Fell Tree to fence height/ 1.5m	Within 90 days	Dead semi-mature ivy clad Hawthorn adjacent shed and within falling distance of allotment. Wood can be left neatly adjacent for habitat potential.	
3	Behind boundary fence and white storage unit	Elm spp	No	10	Young	Dead	· Dead tree · Trunk - Ivy	· Fell Tree to fence height/ 1.5m	Within 90 days	Dead ivy clad Elm within falling distance of allotments.	



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Broomfield Allotments

Seq: 1



T1: Ash

Seq: 1



T1: Remove Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length

Seq: 1



T1: Remove Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length

Seq: 1



T1: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Seq: 2



T2: Hawthorn

Seq: 3



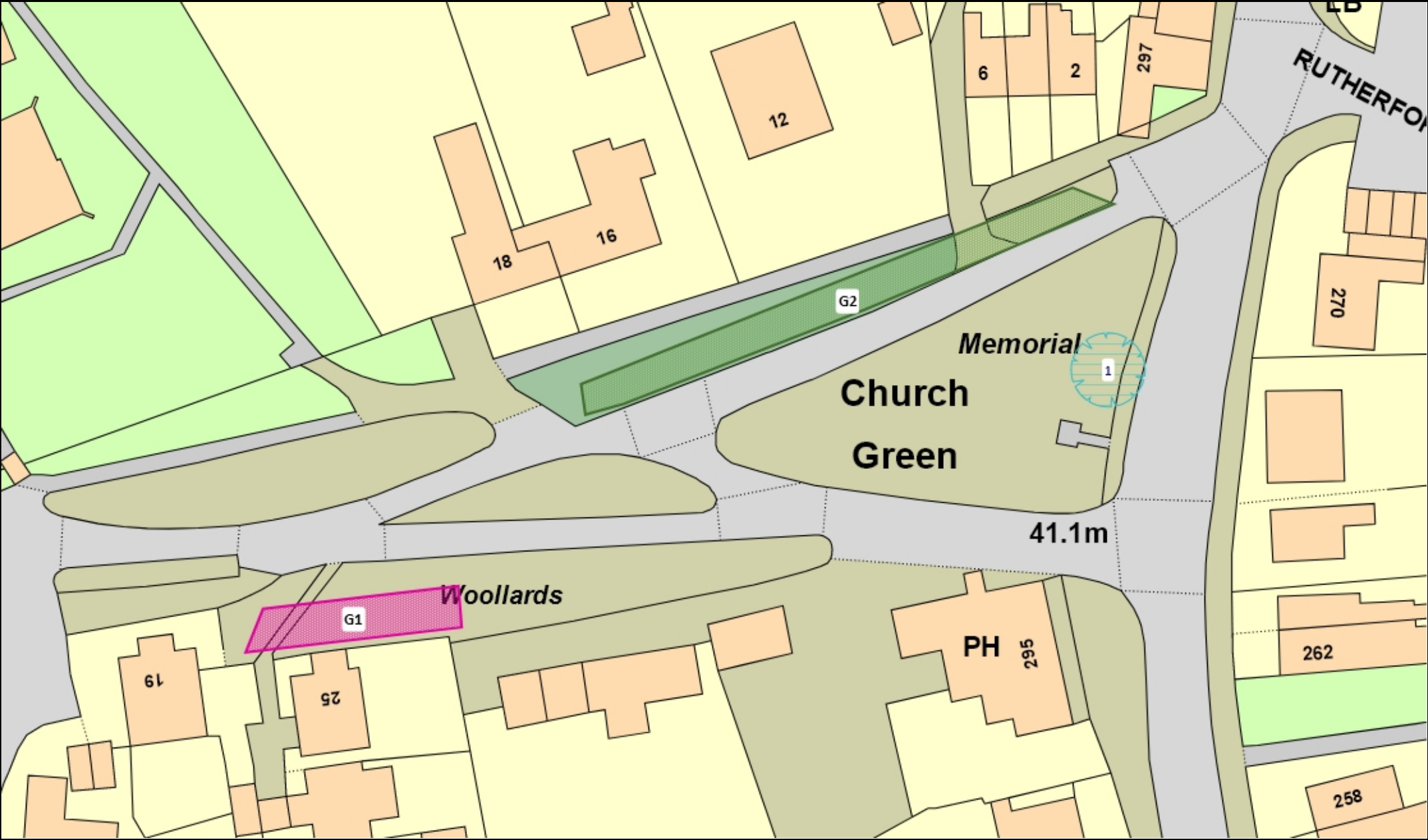
T3: Elm

Church Green

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
G1	Opposite pedestrian entrance to church	Common Lime	No	13	Mature	Good	· Crown - Pollard	· Re-pollard in winter 2027/28 (x 5 trees)	Within 2 years	G1 on previous report. Group of 5 mature Lime trees in good overall condition. Basal growth has recently been pruned back. The trees are on a 5 year pollarding maintenance cycle, currently with approximately 3m of re-growth, typical for this species and this is to be maintained.	01/04/2029
1	Adjacent bus stop / black bench	Wild Cherry	No	11	Mature	Fair	· Crown - Weak branch Unions	None Recorded.	No action required	T1 on previous report. Mature Cherry tree in fair structural condition with good crown vitality. The tree has recently been crown lifted over the footway as recommended in the previous report. The tree has included bark at the crown break at 2.5m to the S aspect, this is a potential failure point, however at present there is no indication of significant decay when sound tested with a soft faced hammer and probed. No work currently required.	01/04/2029

Church Green

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
G2	Outside 2-18	Common Lime	No	6	Mature	Good	· No significant defects · No works required	None Recorded.	No action required	G2 on previous report. Group of 11 mature Lime trees in good overall condition. All trees have recently had their basal epicormic growth removed and also recently been re-pollarded. The trees are on a pollarding maintenance cycle every 3-5 years and this is to be maintained. No works currently required.	01/04/2029



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Church Green

Seq: G1



G1: 5x Lime

Seq: 1



T1: Cherry

Seq: 1



T1: Crown - Weak branch Unions

Seq: 1



T1: Crown - Weak branch Unions

Seq: G1



G1: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Seq: 1



T1: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Church Green

Seq: 1



T1: Previous inspection of weak union 24/01/2025

Seq: G2



G2: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Seq: G2



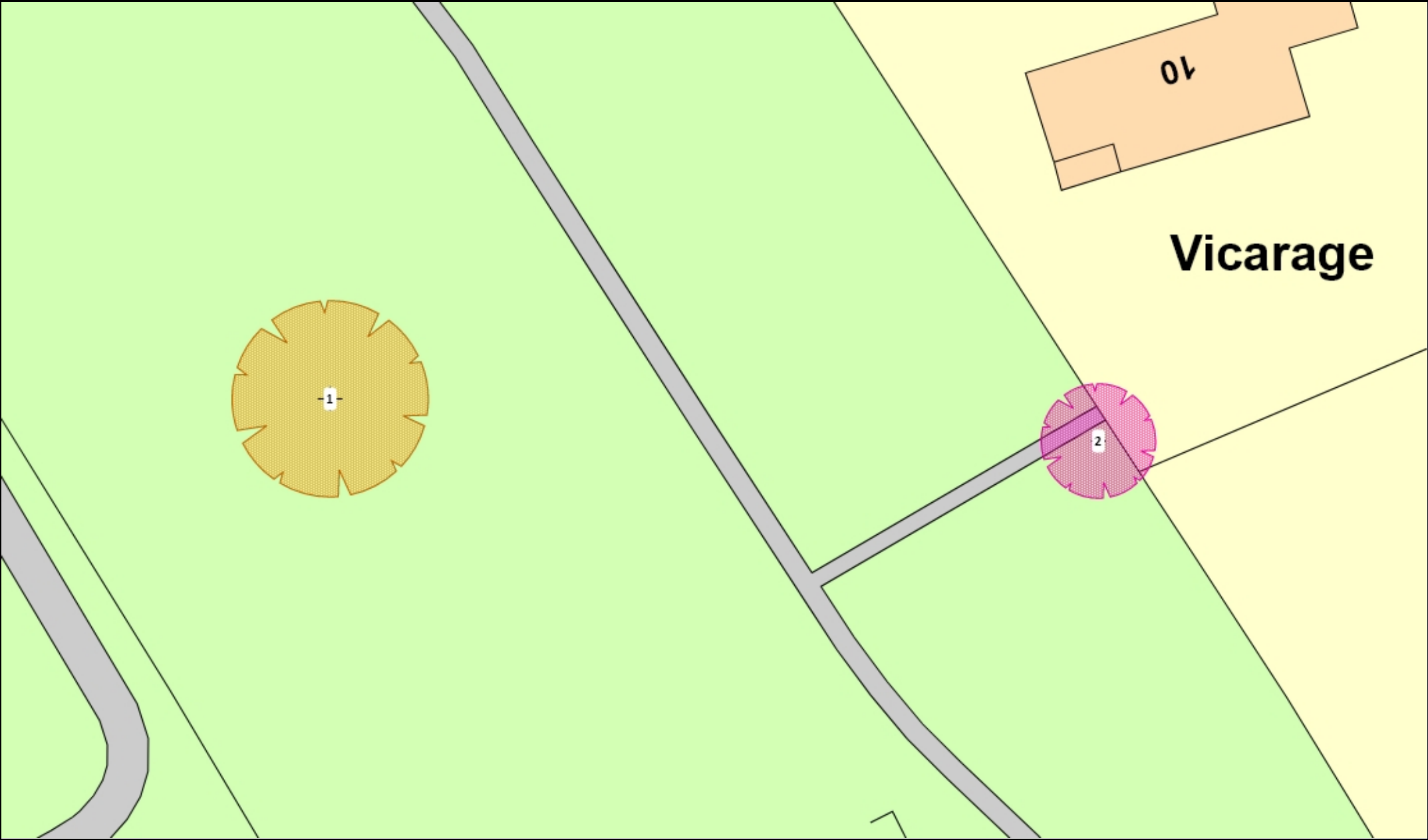
G2: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Church Yard

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
1	Centre of Church Yard	Deodar Cedar	No	12	Mature	Fair	· Crown - Broken hanging branches · Crown - Low branches over graves	· Crown Lift to 3m all round if unrestricted access is required. · Remove broken hanging branches x2	Within 1 year Within 30 days	Tag 0588. Mature Cedar in fair structural condition and good physiological condition. There are multiple broken branches within the crown, no fungi or disease visually evident on inspection. There are low drooping branches over graves, consistent with the species, an optional crown lift all round to 3m will abate this obstruction if unrestricted access is required in this area.	01/04/2029

Church Yard

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
2	End of path, adjacent gate	Common Ash	No	12	Mature	Poor	· Crown - Pollard · Crown - Significant decay visible on branch growing into adjacent hedge · Crown - Fungus - <i>Inonotus hispidus</i> bracket on leading stem 1.5m above crown break · Minor trunk decay - Tapping stem from base up to 2m infers minimal decay at present. · Trunk - Fungus - <i>Perenniporia fraxinea</i> brackets around all aspects of buttress.	· Re-inspect in 18 months to assess decay and observe any new fungi.	18 months	Mature Ash in poor structural condition and fair physiological condition. The tree has <i>Perenniporia fraxinea</i> (Giant Ash bracket) fungi brackets around all aspects of buttress. Tapping stem from base up to 2m infers minimal decay at present. Significant branch decay visible on branch growing into adjacent hedge. <i>Inonotus hispidus</i> (Shaggy bracket) bracket on leading stem 1.5m above crown break. The tree has been pollarded, suspected due to fungi and potential structural weakness, with sporadic poor regrowth up to 2m.	01/10/2027



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Church Yard

Seq: 1



T1: Cedar

Seq: 1



T1: Remove broken hanging branch

Seq: 1



T1: Remove broken hanging branch

Seq: 2



T2: Ash

Seq: 2



T2: Crown - Branch Decay

Seq: 2



T2: Crown - Fungus - Shaggy Bracket

Seq: 2



T2: Trunk - Fungus - Giant Ash Bracket

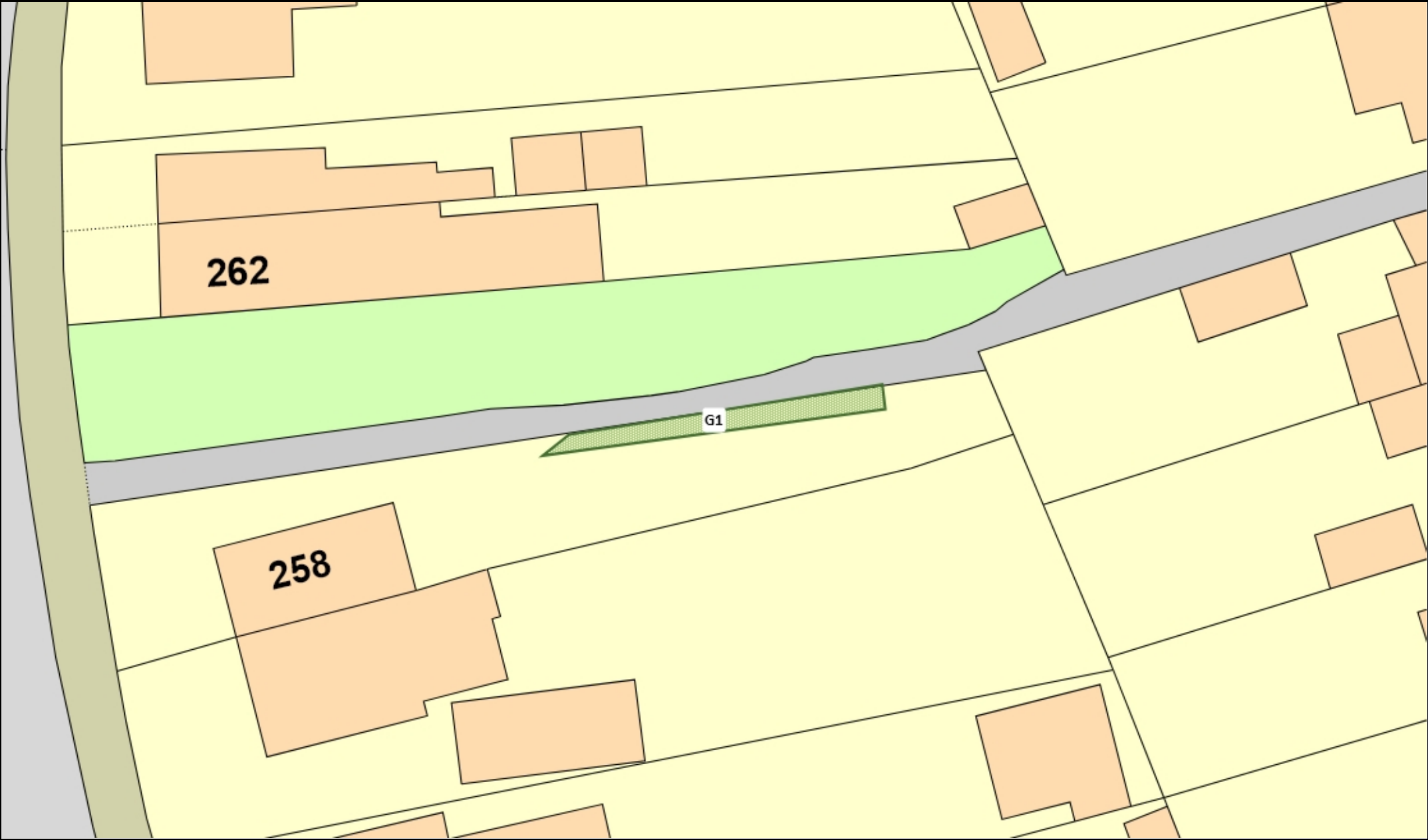
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T2: Trunk - Fungus - Giant Ash Bracket

Glebe Crescent

Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
G1	South side of footpath	Mixed Broadleaves	No	5	Mature	Good	· Crown - Recently pollarded in winter 2025/26 · Trunk - Ivy	None Recorded.	No action required	G1 on previous report. Group of 6 (3 Lime, 3 London Plane) mature trees, in good physiological condition. Ivy has been severed as recommended on previous report, however it is still dying back preventing a full stem inspection. The trees have recently been pollarded and this maintenance cycle should be maintained every 3-5 years.	01/04/2029



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Seq: G1



G1: G1: 3x lime, 3x London Plane

Seq: G1



G1: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Parsonage Green

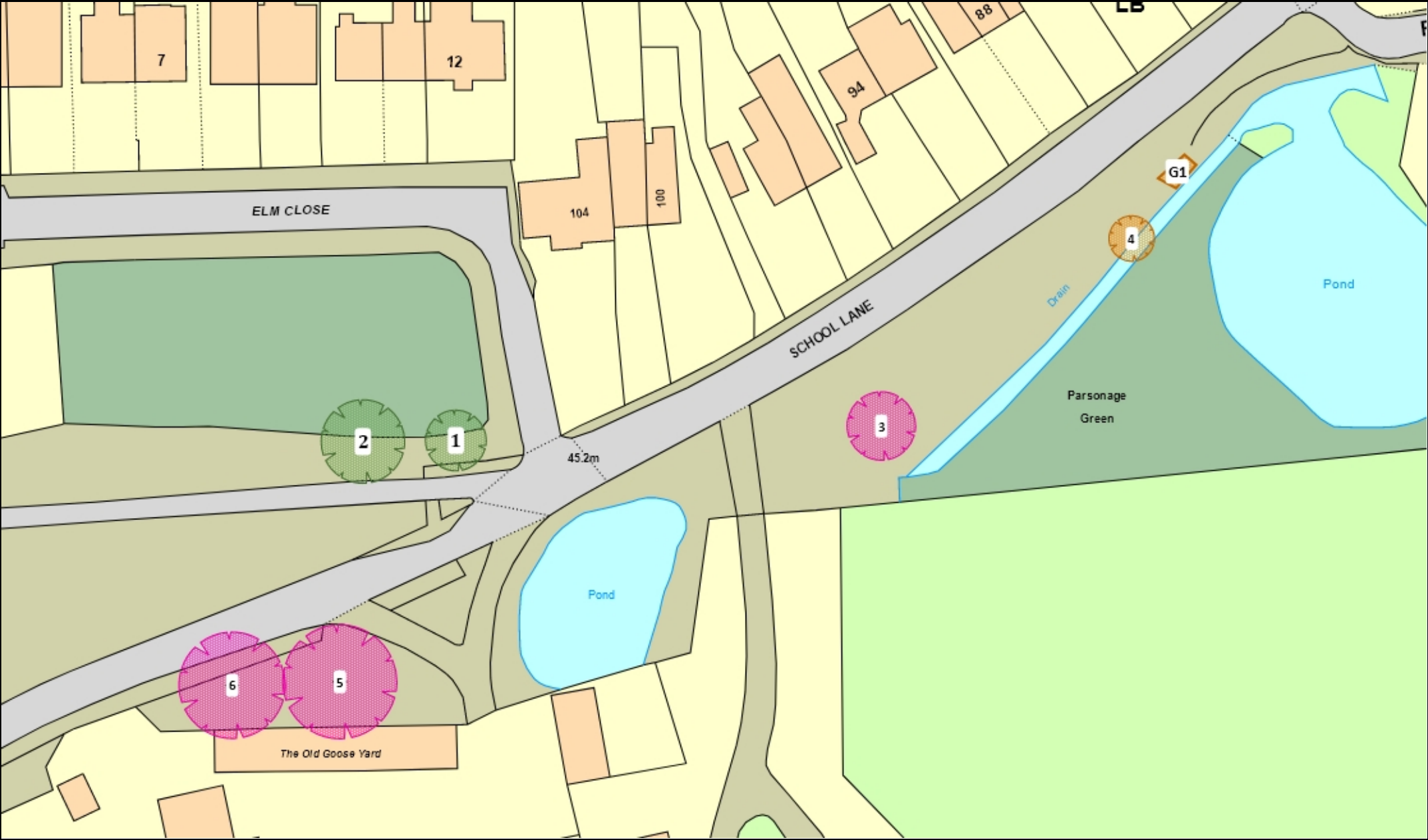
Seq No	Tree Position	Common Name	Bat PRFs	Height (m)	Age	Stru cond.	Conditions	Recommendations	Priority	Comments	Next S/T Inspect
1	Approximately 10m NW of Broomfield sign	Elm spp	No	12	Mature	Fair	· Crown - Recently crown reduced · Crown - Weak branch Unions · Trunk - Forked trunk · Trunk - Weak unions · Trunk - Exudation	None Recorded.	No action required	T1 on previous report. Tag 001729. Mature Elm in fair structural condition and good physiological condition. The tree has recently been reduced as recommended in previous report, with new shoots starting to emerge. Tight branch unions at 1.25m and 2.5m and co-dominant leaders. The union at 1.25m was sound tested with a soft faced hammer and probed with no significant signs of decay detected. Sap runs also present under these two lowest unions. No works currently required.	01/04/2029
G1	Opposite 86a School Lane	Elm spp	No	7	Young	Dead	· Dead tree	· Fell whole of group (x 2 trees)	Within 30 days	Group of 2 young dead Elm trees within falling distance of the highway.	
2	Approximately 10m NW of red dog poo bin	Elm spp	No	15	Mature	Good	· Crown - Previous crown reduction to the Southern aspect back from overhead utilities. · No works required	None Recorded.	No action required	T2 on previous report. Tag 001728. Mature Elm in good overall condition. Branches to the South aspect have recently been pruned back from overhead utilities as recommend on previous report. No works currently required.	01/04/2029

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3	Adjacent entrance to 'Parsonage House'	Pine spp	No	10	Mature	Fair	· Trunk - 2x Trunk wounds on upper stem, tear out wound from storm damage.	· Re-inspect in 18 months to ensure structural integrity.	18 months	T3 on last report. Mature Pine tree in fair structural condition and good physiological condition. The tree suffered an upper stem tear out in winter 2024/25, with 2 wounds visible at approximately 6-7m. No fungi observed and tapping with a soft faced hammer infers no decay up to 2m on stem. The tree appears to have responded well to the tear out failure with new growth. No works currently required.	01/10/2027
4	Opposite no. 90 School Lane	Common Ash	No	10	Semi-mature	Poor	· Trunk - Major trunk decay	· Fell Tree to Ground Level	Within 30 days	Ash tree in poor structural condition and good physiological condition. The stem has failed at the base and is now resting on adjacent overhead utility cables with the highway within falling distance.	

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5	Outside The Old Goose Yard	Elm spp	No	14	Mature	Good	· Crown - Major Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length · Crown - Previous crown reduction to S aspect back from adjacent building, with around 1m regrowth.	· Remove Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length over highway and footway	Within 90 days	Tag 001739. Mature Elm in good overall condition. Large diameter deadwood present, as to be expected with age and shading of lower branches.	01/04/2029
6	Outside The Old Goose Yard barn	Elm spp	No	15	Mature	Good	· Crown - Major Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length · Crown - Previous crown reduction to S aspect back from adjacent building, with around 1m regrowth.	· Remove Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length over highway and footway x2	Within 90 days	Tag 001740. Mature Elm in good overall condition. Large diameter deadwood present, as to be expected with age and shading of lower branches.	01/04/2029



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Seq: 1



T1: Elm

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T1: Forked trunk

Seq: 1



T1: Trunk - Exudation

Seq: 1



T1: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Seq: G1



G1: 2x Elm

Seq: G1



G1: Fell 2x dead Elm to 1.5m

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Seq: 2



T2: Elm

Seq: 2



T2 : Previous inspection 24/01/2025

Seq: 3



T3: Pine

Seq: 3



T3: Trunk wound

Seq: 3



T3: Trunk wound

Seq: 3



T3: Previous inspection 24/01/2025

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Seq: 4



T4: Ash

Seq: 4



T4: Fell Tree to Ground Level

Seq: 5



T5: Elm

Seq: 5



T5: Previous crown reduction to S

Seq: 5



T5: Remove Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length

Seq: 6



T6: Elm

Seq: 6



T6: Remove Deadwood >5cm diam/1m length

Seq: 6



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