

DECISION DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT

DECISION No. DE 16/17 207

SUBJECT: TPO 1047 Ashcombe Park, Milton Road, Weston-super-Mare

DETAILS:

Tree Preservation Order 1047 was made 1 August 2016 to protect:

G1 – 5 x Horse Chestnut – southern boundary of park with Milton Road.

The period for receipt of objections has now expired.

After six months from the date a Tree Preservation Order (TPO) is made the trees protected therein lose the protection of the section 201 direction. If the council wish to confirm the TPO as it stands, or confirm it subject to modification, the decision must be made before the end of the six months.

CONSIDERATION OF OBJECTIONS AND OTHER REPRESENTATIONS:

No objections or supports were received.

DECISION:

That Tree Preservation Order 1047 is confirmed without modification.

Reasons:

- 1. The trees are visible to the general public and contribute to the green infrastructure and biodiversity of the area.
- 2. The trees appear to be in reasonable condition with reasonable life expectancy.
- 3. The Tree Preservation Order will ensure that the local planning authority has adequate control over proposals to prune the trees in the interest of public visual amenity.

Other Alternatives Considered:

None.

Signed.

..... John Flannigan

Community and Environment Services Manager, Natural Environment, Streets

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and Open Spaces – on behalf of and exercising the powers of the Director of Development and Environment.