

Guidance for making a tree inquiry for works on Council owned trees

Traffic Light Trees Summary of categories		
Traffic Light Colour	Target date for tree works	Type of work likely to fall within category
Red	12 weeks	<p>Essential works such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making safe standing dead trees. • Removing fallen trees. • Removing significant deadwood. • Work for health and safety reasons.
Amber	6 months	<p>May include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Removing less significant deadwood. • Tipping back branches in contact with property.
Green	N/A	<p>The Council will not fell or prune trees solely for the following reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disruption of light structures such as footpaths and fences. • Reduced light levels. • Interference with television and/or satellite reception. • To alleviate problems caused by seasonal and/or natural phenomena.