DC/22/4411/TPO

Tpo no. 72, 1966

Report to the parish council

Rivers Hall Fishpond Road Waldringfield Woodbridge Suffolk IP12 4QX

The TPO no. 72 was certified on 7th Feb 1967. It is a blanket TPO covering the whole garden

I visited the site on 25th November and met with the owners.

1no. Group of Holly (G2 on plan) - Remove dead tops and reduce the remaining group of live Holly to same height

This is a substantial group of holly with some dead material. The reduction of it to the same height removal of dead branches is good practice.

Sweet chestnut (T3 on plan) - Lateral crown reduction over Yew hedge by

Up to 2.5 metres

The formal yew hedge and neighbouring smaller trees would benefit from more light

1no. Beech (T4 on plan) - Lateral crown reduction by up to 3 metres and crown lift to 4.5 metres above ground

1no. Sweet chestnut (T6 on plan) - Crown lift to 4.5 metres above ground

1no. Beech (T7 on plan) - Crown lift to 6.5 metres above ground

1no. Sweet chestnut (T8 on plan) - Remove epicormic growth to a height of 6 metres above ground

The beech trees T4 and T7 and sweet chestnuts T3, T6 and T8 are tall mature trees growing in lawn areas. They do not appear to have had any work done in recent times. The crown reduction will reduce shading of neighbouring trees including the very old mulberry tree. Raising the crown and removing epicormic growth enables mowing to take place under the trees.

No trees are to be removed under this proposal.
The tree surgeons engaged for this work are approved by the Arboricultural Association.
Therefore I advise the parish council to support the application for work to the trees.
Christine Fisher Kay 5.12.2022