

TREE PRESERVATION ORDERS COMMITTEE

Monday 11th April, 2011, at 2.00 p.m. in
Committee Room 2, The Council House, Dudley

PRESENT: -

Councillor James (Chairman)
Councillors Mrs Aston, Mrs Blood, Cotterill, K Finch, Ms Nicholls, Mrs
Rogers, Sparks and J. D. Davies

Officers

Mr J Dunn and Mrs H Martin (Directorate of the Urban Environment), Ms S
Ahmed and Miss H Shepherd (Directorate of Corporate Resources)

51 **APOLOGY FOR ABSENCE**

An apology for absence from the meeting was received on behalf of
Councillor Southall.

52 **APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBER**

It was reported that Councillor J. D. Davies had been appointed as a
substitute member for Councillor Southall for this meeting of the Committee
only.

53 **MINUTES**

RESOLVED

That the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 8th
March, 2011 be approved as a correct record and signed.

54 **PLANNING APPLICATION**

A report of the Director of the Urban Environment was submitted on the
following planning application.

Plan No. P11/0253 – 8 Gower Road, Sedgley, Dudley – Fell 1
Holly Tree

During consideration of this application, concerns were raised as to why an Order had been placed on to a holly bush and to the reasons of the applicant for the felling of the tree.

Decision: Approved, subject to conditions 1 and 2, as set out in the report of the Director of the Urban Environment.

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COMMENTS OF THE CHAIRMAN

This being the last meeting of the Committee before the Local Elections, the Chairman thanked Members and Officers for their continued hard work and support at meetings. He paid particular thanks to Mr Dunn for his excellent work throughout the year.

The meeting ended at 2.13 pm

CHAIRMAN