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Client

Cathrine Welsh

Site Address

16 heatherdene avenue Crowthorne

Date of Quotation

August 26th 2025

Arboricultural Report: T2 Oak (TPO Ref TPO-1060-2004)

Location: T2 Oak is situated on land adjacent to 18 Heatherdene Avenue, Crowthorne.

Tree Dimensions:

- **Height:** Approximately 10 meters.
- **Crown Spread:** 4 meters.
- **Trunk Girth:** 550 mm at 1.5 meters from ground level.

Condition Assessment:

The T2 Oak exhibits significant signs of decline and structural compromise. At ground level, there is visible damage to the base of the trunk, extending approximately 350 mm horizontally and 1.2 meters vertically. Within this damaged area, the bark has delaminated, indicating a complete failure of the protective outer layer, and the underlying cambium layer—essential for the tree's growth and nutrient transport—has died.

Further inspection reveals clear evidence of decay, suggesting advanced wood decomposition within the trunk. The presence of boring insects further exacerbates the tree's condition, as their activity contributes to structural weakness and accelerates the decay process.

The tree's canopy appears sparse, indicating a general lack of vigor and potentially compromised physiological function. Furthermore, a significant amount of deadwood is present within the canopy, posing a risk of falling branches.

Recommendations:

Given the advanced state of decline, the evidence of internal decay, and the activity of boring insects, coupled with the tree's proximity to a larger, healthy oak tree and its potential to impact both the public road and private property, it is strongly recommended that T2 be removed down to ground level.

Justification for Removal:

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The removal of T2 is a necessary measure to mitigate several significant risks:

- **Safety Hazard:** The tree's compromised structural integrity presents a substantial risk of sudden failure, potentially causing harm to persons or damage to property on the adjacent road or private land.
- **Disease Spread:** The decaying and insect-infested nature of T2 could potentially act as a host for pathogens or pests that might spread to the neighboring healthy oak tree, compromising its long-term health and stability.
- **Promotion of Adjacent Oak:** The removal of T2 will eliminate competition for resources such as light, water, and nutrients, thereby promoting the vigorous growth and development of the adjacent, larger oak tree. This action will contribute to the overall health and aesthetic value of the immediate environment.

This proposed action is critical to ensure public safety and to foster a healthier arboreal ecosystem in the vicinity.

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