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York
YO62 4AN.



Don Davies
Tree + Countryside Officer
Ryedale District Council
Ryedale House
Old Maltrigate
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YO17 7HH

10th September 2018

Dear Mr Davies

Tree Preservation Order No 348/2018

Further to your correspondence we are writing to object to the above. We do appreciate the Council are under pressure to preserve the streetscene. But we hear so much about Councils taking down trees planted in similar positions to limit their future liabilities we are concerned.

Therefore we would like assurance from your department / Solicitor that when considering this TPO a health and safety risk assessment to us, property and services considering the future size and lifespan of this tree has been taken into consideration.

Please note that this tree was planted less than 19 years ago by a previous neighbour. An application to felling has recently been supported by our local Parish Council.

Should you decide in favour of a T.P.O. we would appreciate written confirmation that the Council is covering any future liability regarding this tree.

Yours sincerely,

(Mrs S. Thackray + Mr A.D. Thackray)