

This document is a tool to help ensure appropriate due diligence has been taken prior to site clearance/works. Evidence is required to demonstrate all tree clearance has been suitably reviewed and can be justified.

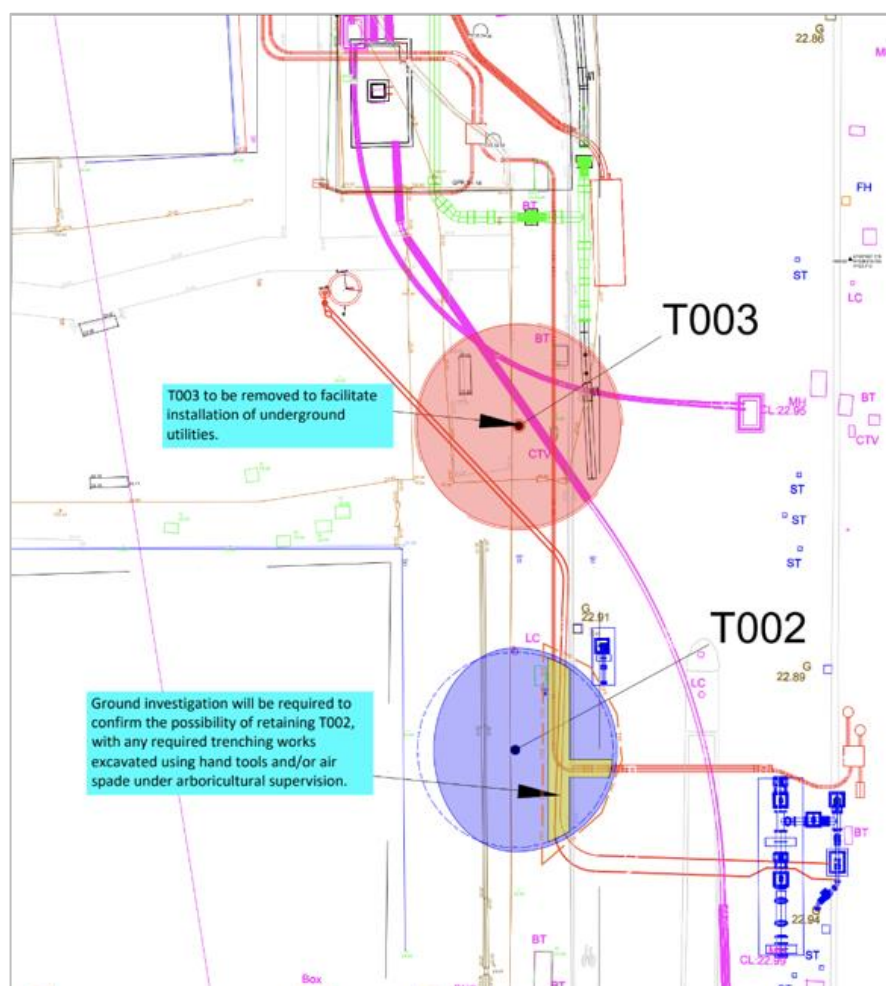
Note: this document should be read in conjunction with the HS2 Tree Panel Terms of Reference

	Name	Signature		Date
Application made by:	SCSjv			12/04/2024
Location (Sector/Site Name):	Euston Approaches – Hampstead Road Utilities works			
LAA/LAP/Site Reference	Grid Reference TQ 29206 82758			
Work Package number:	wp26.12			
Date of Tree Panel:	18/04/2024			
Site Description:	Hampstead Road – Euston Approaches Site boundary			
Reason for clearance:	Essential utilities works within the root protection areas of two trees (one within the SCS site boundary and one directly adjacent to the SCS boundary) are required as part of the permanent transfer of the existing utilities from Hampstead Road into Granby Terrace Bridge. We will therefore need to remove of Too3 and will work within the RPA of Too2 with arboricultural supervision as recommended.			
Drawing Reference No.:	Hampsted Road, Arboricultural Stage 1-2 survey			
	Yes	No	N/A	Comments
Has the Stage 1 Survey been completed and logged on the Register	X			
	Yes	No	N/A	Comments
Has the Stage 2 Survey been completed with retention and protection measures logged on the Register	X			
Have all practicable means to negate need for works to tree been investigated? Please provide details	Yes, no feasibility for any easement of the utilities corridor (any movement would entail additional excavations within the root protection area which would cause more damage to the roots than the original excavation). Arboriculturist stated that 'it is not possible to retain this tree, as it will suffer extensive negative impacts to its root system leading inevitably to a decline in health and increased vulnerability to wind throw'.			

Tree Data:

Tree ID	Species – Common Name (scientific name)	Height (m)	Diameter at Breast Height (DBH) (cm) @1.5m	Age	RPA Radius (m)
T002	Norway maple - <i>Acer platanoides</i>	8	40	No	4.8
T003	Norway maple - <i>Acer platanoides</i>	10	42	No	5.0

Site Sketch/ Diagram / Photos:



Tree Panel Outcomes

	Proposal Endorsed/Not Endorsed:	Endorsed with Conditions
Conditions	Approved conditional to there being no way to safely re-route the utilities needed.	