

I write in connection to the Trees on the Common at Clifford's Mesne.

██████████ gave me your email and I believe you have seen pictures of the trees. They are multi stemmed and very tall and block light from my cottage and also from my two neighbours.

I have a nephew who is a fully qualified and insured tree surgeon who offered to come and cut down the trees at a reasonable cost which I and my neighbours would pay. I haven't as yet mentioned anything to the landowner of the adjacent field as she suffered a bereavement recently and I don't want to cause her any worry, but I intend to do so shortly.

Ideally, I would prefer to have the row of sycamores cut right down but at least significantly reduced. If this was possible my nephew James asks if he could leave the brash in the corner of the area which is not used for wildlife cover and also if he cut the rest of the wood into manageable lengths could it be left for community members to help themselves?

I wonder if it would be helpful for us to meet on site so both our expectations can be clearly defined?

I appreciate your interest in this matter and I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards