Angus Council, Legal Department, Orchardbank Business Park, FORFAR, DD8 1AN

13 January 2020

Dear Sirs,

Chris Ettershank Land at 21 Cairniehill Gardens, Arbroath

I am writing to express my objection to the proposed Tree Preservation Order being registered against the above site.

I had entered into negotiations to purchase the land in question with the view to develop the land and build two residential dwelling houses.

I have my own concerns regarding the timing of the Order but ultimately, I can only see the planned development as an improvement for the site. The remaining trees are a burden for the current owner, and I am aware there have been several incidents of near misses regarding fallen branches etc. which have to be a serious consideration for the Council. I have also had a professional tree surgeon out to asses the trees and in his opinion the trees have reached the end of their life span and are now in a dangerous state of repair.

I would hope some serious consideration be applied before any final decision is made on the matter.

Yours faithfully,

Chris Ettershank, Chris Ettershank Joiners Limited, 34 Bloomfield Road, Arbroath, DD11 3LQ

