

Duty to Consult On Felling Street Trees

This is a notification that this tree is proposed to be felled. From the date of this notice, there is a 28-day period in which you can provide comments on the proposed tree removal. This notice meets the requirements set out in section 115 of the Environment Act 2021 and section 96A of the Highways Act 1980 on the duty to consult.

Notice Date: 24 July 2025

Reference: COL024177

Parish/Ward: Stanway, Colchester

Location: Verge on Dyers Road Junction

What3words reference: ///plots.arts.sands

Species: Ash

Reason for removal: To facilitate the relocation of underground utility services and associated surface infrastructure for the construction of a new roundabout.

Solutions considered: Other service routes and tree root working methods have been considered however, due to the large number of underground services requiring relocation, the level of root disturbance would be considered too significant to safely retain the tree.

Replacement: Developer has agreed to replace the tree on a 3-1 basis. The new trees will be located within adjacent open ground and planted once the development is completed.

To provide comments on this consultation, use the QR code below or visit:
www.essexhighways.org/street-tree-consultations

For further information about Council tree management please visit our website at
www.essex.gov.uk and search for 'Tree Management'

Any comments should be made by Thursday, 21 August 2025

