

## **LONDON BOROUGH OF HARROW**

### **ENVIRONMENT AND ECONOMY SCRUTINY SUB-COMMITTEE**

**30 NOVEMBER 2004**

#### **Reference from the Meeting of the Tenants' and Leaseholders' Consultative Forum held on 13 October 2004: Matters Raised by Cottesmore Tenants' and Residents' Association.**

1. At its meeting on 13 October 2004, the Tenants' and Leaseholders' Consultative Forum received the report of the Interim Tenant Services Manager regarding the issues raised by the Cottesmore Tenants' and Residents' Association. A copy of the report is attached for information as Appendix A.
2. The Cottesmore Tenants' and Residents' Association had raised concern regarding the large trees on the estate which were causing damage to the walls, blocking the residents' views and posing a safety risk to residents. It was noted that there were difficulties in carrying out work on the trees as they were placed under Tree Preservation Orders.
3. The Forum discussed policies on trees in Harrow, including the issuing of Tree Preservation Orders, and how this could be dealt with, as tree management was a recurrent problem on many estates.
4. The Forum **RESOLVED** that
  - (1) **the Environment and Economy Scrutiny Sub-Committee be asked to consider the strategies and management of trees on estates in Harrow; and**
  - (2) the report be noted.

#### **FOR CONSIDERATION**

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Background Papers: Report to, and minutes of, the Tenants' and Leaseholders' Consultative Forum meeting on 13 October 2004