

Notice of proposed tree removal and replacement



Site name: Broadmead

Number of trees: 3

Type of tree: Silver Maple

Date of notice: 03/11/2025

Consultation period: 03/11/2025 until 01/12/2025

Reason for removal

Bristol City Council are proposing to remove 3 silver maple trees on Union Street's junction with The Haymarket, Lewins Mead and Rupert Street, as part of the Broadmead project to improve bus and active travel routes and public spaces.

The trees are medium sized and classified as category B which is defined as moderate quality. The trees are being replaced to create space for the cycleway, enable the relocation of the pedestrian crossing and enable the new right-hand turn for buses out of Union Street. Due to the size of the trees to be felled, it is not possible for them to be replanted elsewhere and survive.

As part of the wider Broadmead project, tree planting has been identified within the public realm design of the scheme, bringing the total number of trees proposed for the Broadmead project to over 30, which we aim to deliver, subject to detail design and below-ground conditions.

At this stage the species of the proposed trees have not been determined. However, the choices will align with Bristol City Council's existing policies and strategies on the matter.

For more information and to provide comments on the proposed tree removals please visit:

www.bristol.gov.uk/tree-management-hub

Alternatively write to;
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