

APPLICATION FOR TREE PROTECTION

LOCAL LAW PERMIT

under Tree Protection Local Law 2016

Office Use Only	APPLICATION NUMBER:	DATE RECEIVED:
	APPOINTMENT:	

1. ADDRESS WHERE THE TREE(S) ARE LOCATED

Address:	
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2. THE APPLICANT

Name:		
Postal Address:		Postcode:
Home Ph:	Work Ph:	Mobile:
Email Address:		
<i>Note: Email is the preferred method of contact. If you provide an email address, you will receive all correspondence by email</i>		
Are you the owner of the land? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - Go to step 4 <input type="checkbox"/> No - Go to step 3		

3. THE OWNER - Owner of tree(s)

Name:	
<i>If Owner is a Company or Owners Corporation please state Contact Person and attach documentation evidencing their consent to the application being made</i>	
Contact Person:	
Postal Address:	Postcode:
Declaration: I consent to the works for which this application seeks permission.	
Owner's Signature: _____	

4. SITE INSPECTION

<input type="checkbox"/>	I do not request to be present at the time of inspection and authorise Council Officers to enter my property for the purpose of assessing trees described on the attached pages
OR	
<input type="checkbox"/>	I do request to be present at the time of inspection and require an appointment during business hours.
Contact Person: _____ Contact No.: _____	
ACCESS RESTRICTIONS: (Please include details of animals, locked gates etc that may limit inspection)	

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	PLANNING HISTORY:		
	TREE HISTORY:		

5. TREE DETAILS

TREE 1

<input type="checkbox"/> Removal <input type="checkbox"/> Pruning <input type="checkbox"/> Works within 2m of a tree <input type="checkbox"/> Works within the Tree Protection Zone of a significant tree	Common Name/Species:
	Trunk Circumference @ 1.5m above ground: <i>(Add up circumferences of each stem if the tree has multiple stems)</i>
	Trunk Circumference at ground level:

TREE 2

<input type="checkbox"/> Removal <input type="checkbox"/> Pruning <input type="checkbox"/> Works within 2m of a tree <input type="checkbox"/> Works within the Tree Protection Zone of a significant tree	Common Name/Species:
	Trunk Circumference @ 1.5m above ground: <i>(Add up circumferences of each stem if the tree has multiple stems)</i>
	Trunk Circumference at ground level:

TREE 3

<input type="checkbox"/> Removal <input type="checkbox"/> Pruning <input type="checkbox"/> Works within 2m of a tree <input type="checkbox"/> Works within the Tree Protection Zone of a significant tree	Common Name/Species:
	Trunk Circumference @ 1.5m above ground: <i>(Add up circumferences of each stem if the tree has multiple stems)</i>
	Trunk Circumference at ground level:

TREE 4

<input type="checkbox"/> Removal <input type="checkbox"/> Pruning <input type="checkbox"/> Works within 2m of a tree <input type="checkbox"/> Works within the Tree Protection Zone of a significant tree	Common Name/Species:
	Trunk Circumference @ 1.5m above ground: <i>(Add up circumferences of each stem if the tree has multiple stems)</i>
	Trunk Circumference at ground level:

TREE 5

<input type="checkbox"/> Removal <input type="checkbox"/> Pruning <input type="checkbox"/> Works within 2m of a tree <input type="checkbox"/> Works within the Tree Protection Zone of a significant tree	Common Name/Species:
	Trunk Circumference @ 1.5m above ground: <i>(Add up circumferences of each stem if the tree has multiple stems)</i>
	Trunk Circumference at ground level:

(Add additional sheets if there are further trees)

Reasons for the application (select as relevant).	Detail supporting information. Supporting information should be included with your information. You may add additional pages.
<input type="checkbox"/> Tree health/condition	
<input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate location	
<input type="checkbox"/> Safety concerns	
<input type="checkbox"/> Damage to property/drains	
<input type="checkbox"/> Unreasonable nuisance	
<input type="checkbox"/> Building works: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> New dwelling/extension <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-unit development <input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming pool/tennis courts/garage 	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other reasons (<i>please specify</i>)	

6. APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

If your application is made on the basis of the following, please provide this information to enable proper consideration to be given to your application. If you do not provide the information or provide sufficient detail, Council will request you provide the information before the application is considered. This will delay processing of your application.

Damage to property/drains	Evidence of damage, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closed circuit television footage of damage to underground pipes, collected by a suitably qualified person such as a licenced plumber. • A report from a suitably qualified and experienced structural engineer, detailing the extent of damage, the likely cause of the damage and detailing the range of options available in repairing the damage. Details of steps already taken to rectify the damage, if applicable.
Unreasonable nuisance	An explanation of the nuisance being caused by the tree(s), detailing why the nuisance is unreasonable. You should explain why the nuisance cannot be dealt with through maintenance and detail what steps have been taken to abate the nuisance.
Construction of a new dwelling or extension to a dwelling	A full set of fully-dimensioned plans of the proposed works, drawn in relation to title boundaries and showing the location of the tree(s) and the extent of the tree protection zone having regard to the relevant Australian Standard.
Works within 2 metres of canopy tree or within the tree protection zone of a significant tree	Plans detailing the proposed works requiring a permit, including details of excavation, fill, construction techniques and building materials.


Please note that regardless of the above, Council reserves the right to request further information under Clause 11(3) if the circumstances of your application so require.

7. PLAN OF PROPERTY

Sketch layout of the site indicating the following:

- a) location of trees proposed for removal/pruning
- b) location of trees and proximity of proposed works
- c) location of replacement trees
- d) key features including road, house, garage, driveway etc.

Legend

 Tree(s) for removal/pruning/works

You may attach a separate plan if this is easier.

8. APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Have you?

- Completed all sections of this form.
- Attached the plan of the property indicating the location of trees to be remove, trees to be pruned and trees to be affected by proposed works.
- Provided copies of supporting information, including expert evidence.
- Included payment details.
- Provided evidence of the owner's consent, if you are not the owner and the owner has not signed the application form

9. PAYMENT

<input type="checkbox"/> Removal:	\$79.00 per tree
<input type="checkbox"/> Pruning:	\$39.50 per tree
<input type="checkbox"/> Works:	\$79.00 per tree
Payment total: \$ _____	
Payment method:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cash	<input type="checkbox"/> Cheque
<input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card (in person)	<input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card Authorisation Form

10. DECLARATION

I declare that all of the information contained in this application is true.	
Signature: _____	Date: _____
Name (<i>print</i>): _____	

Please note it is against the law to give false or misleading information. You may receive a heavy fine and your permit may be cancelled if you provide false or misleading information

11. SUBMISSION - send completed form and all supporting documents to:

Boroondara@boroondara.vic.gov.au (preferred)

OR

**STATUTORY PLANNING DEPARTMENT
CITY OF BOROONDARA
Private Bag 1
Camberwell Vic 3124**

PRIVACY STATEMENT

The personal information requested on this form is being collected by Council to assist in the registration and processing of your application.

The personal information will be used solely by Council for that primary purpose or directly related purposes. Council must make this information available to comply with the Freedom of Information Act 1982.

If this information is not collected, Council will be unable to process your application.

The applicant understands that the personal information provided is for the registration, processing and assessment of the application and that he or she may apply to Council for access to and/or amendment of the information. Requests for access and or correction should be made to Council's Privacy Officer.