## Responses

I do not wish to see this central tree removed. This was tried before by previous owners. Their statement about overhanging the pavement should not be an issue if they were to trim back the overhanging branches. I believe that they are not addressing this to make the tree more of a nuisance, it is their responsibility to trim back the overhanging branches.

Unless a Council officer confirms that the tree is dead or dying I vote most strongly to keep the tree in place. It is central and integral to the village. They bought the property with the tree in place.

I concur completely with Cllr Xxx. I did last time and my thoughts have not changed. I want to see proof that this tree is unhealthy and a danger to the public before I will agree to it being removed.

Agree with comments from Cllr Xxx and Cllr Xxx.

Me too:)

It occurs to me that they must have consulted a tree surgeon, to give their application some merit. If they are so sure off their ground perhaps we could be shown the details, and if necessary ask one of the tree companies in the village to take a look & see if they concur.

Much as I like the tree i wouldn't want it to fall on anyone.

## **Independent Tree Surgeon**

Questioned if the application would be accepted as a TPO had previously been served on the tree as it was classed as a community asset.