

## Corner Green Residents Society – EGM

Wednesday 2 May 2018 7:30 pm at 7 Corner Green

### Present at the meeting

Jenny McMillan (Number 6 – Director)

David Howes (number 7 – Treasurer)

Mac Cochrane (number 10 - Director)

Claude Perera (number 18 – Gardening Committee)

### Holding proxies for

No 8, No 9, No 21

No 15

### 1. Silver Birch Outside Nos 6/7

The small silver birch outside Nos 6/7 had died. Members considered a proposal from the gardening committee to remove it and replace it with either a Sorbus Embley (a variety of Japanese Rowan) or a Crataegus Lavalley (a variety of Thorn). The gardening committee proposed that the replacement tree should be planted in the middle of the border by the upper car park, in the vicinity of the existing bench.

David Howes advised members of a quote of £120 + VAT (£144) which Nadine White had received from Seasons for removal of the dead tree.

**Members agreed the removal of the dead silver birch by Seasons and its replacement with a Sorbus Embley in the middle of the border by the upper car park, in the vicinity of the existing bench.**

Mac Cochrane noted that the adjoining large silver birch outside nos 7/8 was nearing the end of its normal life expectancy. The tree may still have a good few years left, however, since life spans vary considerably. Mac and David were concerned that if a long period without a substantial tree in that vicinity were to be avoided a replacement would need to be planted nearby fairly soon. Members noted that a separate general meeting would be needed to consider any planting proposal in due course.