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Ref	Area	Species	Ht (M)	Stem Dia (mm)	Other Comments	Preliminary Management Recommendations	Risk of falling or losing branches	Risk to people, vehicle or property	Photo
					<b>AREA 1</b>				
1	1	Ash	12	600	Situated close to top of cliff at the beginning of Area 1. Directly above area where potential people could park. Root system giving way, still attached but risk of falling.	Fell if practical and leave collapsed at base of cliff.	H	M	1
2	1	Ash	15	350	Root system given way and collapsed into adjacent trees falling short of road. Other trees recently collapsed on ground safe and useful for wild life. Ground generally sticky and wet making it unstable hence collapsing of trees.	No urgent action required.	L	L	2
702	1	Oak	18	110	Leans east at 20 degrees. Still healthy but basal decay extending well into centre. Main roots appear in tact. Located in line with white post of speed bump 2 <sup>nd</sup> from entrance. Deadwood and broken branches present.	No urgent action required. MONITOR Marked with white spot.	M	L	3 4 5

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703	1	Oak	17	750	Hollow ground level to 2.5m. Split apart previously to north east and north west. Leaning east at 20 degrees. Base 80% decayed and falling towards road. Tree 2/3 <sup>rd</sup> of distance from road to top of bank. Will fall into bank. Located near 2 <sup>nd</sup> speed bump.	Marked with yellow paint. No urgent action required.	H	L	6 7 8
704	1	Ash	32	550	Large tree 14m from road (in falling distance of road) 2 main stems from near ground level Acute junction. Large branch lost to south at 3m leaving large tear in southern stem. Still appears to be secure.	No urgent action required. MONITOR Marked with white spot.	M	H	9 10 11
705	1	Oak	24	1500	Hollow at base, extensive decay. Large tree in striking distance of road (20m to road). Main roots are intact but there appears to be only 1 support root to west of tree. Leans east towards road at 20 degrees.	Marked with yellow paint. Reduce crown to ~15m so that when it falls it will be a safe distance from the road.	H	H	12 13 14
706	1	Oak	24	1500	Located next to path at entrance from top road. Lost some large sections of branches on to well used footpath beneath.	Marked with white spot. Clean crown of deadwood over footpath up to 12m.	H	H	15 16 17

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707	1	Oak	18	1000	Leans south at 20 degrees. Hollow ground level to 3m. High risk of falling but will fall into bank.	No urgent action required.	H	L	18 19 20
					<b>AREA 2</b>				
708	2	Sycamore	20 +	800	Located close to top footpath. Major fork at 2.5m divides into 2 main upright stems with very acute junction. There is weeping on south east side. High risk of falling apart onto path. Not high wild life value.	Fell to ground level. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	21 22
709	2	Ash	20	300	Decaying secondary stem, 20m long, to east. Decay from 300mm-900mm and 2m-3m. 10m from eastern boundary fence. Tight fork with high risk of splitting.	Remove secondary stem to east. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	23 24
710	2	Ash	35	1700	Located 20m from road and next to footpath Very large tree. Hollow at base. Brackets of 'Beef steak fungus', which causes decay, on the ground. Full of deadwood and broken branches. Divides at 2.5m into 2 large stems previously 3. Decay running down main stem. Ivy to 15m hiding other potential problems.	Marked with yellow paint. Reduce to 10-12m.	H	H	25 26 27 28

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					<b>AREA 3</b>				
711	3	Ash	35	950	Minor decay at base but main roots appear intact. Hollow to centre from SE. Crown full of large deadwood but not over path, Still appears reasonably healthy. Well away from road but near top path. Slightly protected by adjacent oak.	Marked with white spot. No urgent action required at present. MONITOR.	M	M	29 30 31
712	3	Holly	14	500	90% dead. Next to path. Risk of falling onto path.	Reduce to ~3m. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	32
713	3	Field Maple	8	320	Dead. Tall and spindly. Close to path.	Fell to ground level. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	33
714	3	Ash	28	950	Deadwood up to 12m over path.	714,715,716 close together next to path. Remove deadwood from over path only. Marked with white spot.	H	H	34
715	3	Oak	13	900	Dead branch at 6m. Leave large deadwood which is NOT over path	714,715,716 close together next to path. Remove deadwood from over path only. Marked with white spot.	H	H	35

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716	3	Oak	28	1800	Some basal decay to north but not significant at present. Deadwood over path up to 10m.  Branch at 9m south with woodpecker hole.	714,715,716 close together next to path. Remove deadwood from over path only.  Shorted branch by 3m to leave woodpecker hole. Marked with white spot.	H	H	36  37
717	3	Oak	24	1050	Some basal decay but generally sound and healthy and main roots in tack. Deadwood over junction of paths.	Remove deadwood over path up to 12m. Marked with white spot.	H	H	38 39
718	3	Oak	20	850	Deadwood over path at 7-8m.	Remove deadwood over path.	H	H	40
719	3	Oak	19	1000	On top footpath at junction with downward path. Large, dead central branch from 7m agl (10m long x 450mm diameter) Over footpath. Other smaller deadwood present.	Remove central dead branch and other deadwood over path. Marked with white spot.	H	H	41 42
720	3	Ash	24	800	3 stems formed from 2m agl. Junction to NW is showing signs of weeping likely due to decay present. Tend to split away when there is obvious decay across whole junction.	MONITOR As next to top path. Marked with white spot.	M	M	43 44

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721	3	Oak	20	800	LARGE TREE ON VERGE OF COLLAPSE. TOO DANGEROUS TO CLIMB. Extensive decay 1-3m agl to south and in main branch junction at ~7-8m agl to south. Stem decay 60% across from 1m-3m agl which is likely breaking point. CAN FALL TOWARD FOOTPATH.	FELL at ground level. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	45 46 47
722	3	Oak	23	950	Sound at base with no obvious decay. Deadwood through crown. Woodpecker hole in main stem to SE at ~10m agl which suggests some decay. Tree doesn't look at risk of collapse but could shed deadwood into woodland at base. Located 8m from top path but no deadwood over path.	MONITOR Marked with white spot.	M	M	48
723	3	Oak	23	900	Deadwood over top path to 8-10m.	Remove deadwood from over path. Marked with white spot.	H	H	49
724	3	Oak	21	110	90% dead. Adjacent to top path. Death of crown suggests poor root system.	Reduce tree to ~9m. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	50

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725	3	Oak	20	750	Dead. Stem hollow and covered in ivy. 30m from road so leave to fall and decay.	No urgent action required. Marked with white spot.	H	L	53
726	3	Oak	25	110	A large tree adjacent to other fallen trees. Main weight of crown down embankment. Evidence of root lift SE. No signs of recent movement of root plate. Basal opening to west but may be on top of rock rather than into soil. Evidence of large broken branches. Not in falling distance of road.	MONITOR Marked with white spot.	M	L	51 52
727	3	Oak	20	750	Dead. Leave to fall.	No urgent action required. Marked with white spot.	H	L	53
728	3	Oak	20	700	90% dead. Leave to fall.	No urgent action required. Marked with white spot.	H	L	54
729	3	Oak	30	700	Heartwood decay. Roots appear intact. Sound wood around cavity.	Monitor. Marked with white spot.	M	L	55 56 57 58 59
730	3	Elm	20	400	Extensive decay gl-4m. In falling distance of road. (15m to road)	Fell to ground level. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	60 61

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731	3	Ash	25	1150	Huge tree already lost part of top. Extensive basal decay. Leans south at 20 degrees towards road. In range of road if falls	If possible reduce to 6-8m or fell to near ground level. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	62 63 64
732	3	Oak	18	600	Unbalanced because of adjacent Ash, weight to SW. Significant deadwood which suggests a poor root system. Dying back.	Probably not practical to deal with Ash 731 without damage to this oak. Marked with white spot.	M	M	62
733	4	Oak	16	500	Deadwood over path. Broken branch trapped.	Remove deadwood. Marked with white spot.	M	M	63
734	4	Ash	24	800	Split in main fork from 2.5m to gl. Open through stem. High risk of splitting and falling with section to NE likely to fall over path.	Fell to gl. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	64 65
735	4	Ash	25	850	Large tear in trunk 600mm – 3m N side where large part of stem has torn away. Significant decay.	Fell to 4-5m to leave wild life resource. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	66 67

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736	4	Oak			Ancient tree. Hollow centre from gl-2m but still very healthy with small amounts of deadwood. Ivy to ~15m. Next to path but not over path. Tree of high interest value.	Monitor Marked with white spot.	M	M	73 74
737	4	Ash			Located immediately behind Golf Club House. 6m to building. 90% dead.	Fell into wood. Marked with yellow paint.	H	H	75
		'MANOR ASH'			Magnificent Ancient tree. Heartwood and branch decay and likely branches will fall, particularly the branch to the north arising from the centre at 6m agl. There is significant root decay to north and also decay in centre of the trunk.	Path goes beneath the crown. Risk of possible injury to public so thought could be given to redirecting the path to the perimeter of the crown. Fencing would be required to make sure access is limited.	H	M	70 71 72

Those highlighted 'red' are considered to have a high chance of happening and are located in a high risk area. Action to remove the danger is therefore considered necessary.