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Jackie Gilbert, Tree Officer Maldon District Council; Princes Road, Maldon

23st September, 2012

Dear Ms Gilbert

Re Site at land associated with Heath House, Braxted Road Little Braxted. Witham CM8 3JY

Many thanks for visiting the plot again on the 20th September to discuss concerns that I had.

I am anxious that an ash tree about six metres from the front corner of the proposed new dwelling has evidence of decay at the base and that the tree might become unstable in time. The tree already inclines towards the new house and if it were to topple would pose serious threat to our safety and the building...

You are in accordance with this assessment and agreed that the tree in question can be removed. You have seen that we have other straight ash trees close by which should benefit from this action.

A marked plan is enclosed with this letter for the purpose of identification and record.

Yours faithfully,

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Graham Harvey

