



## **WESTMORLAND AND FURNESS COUNCIL**

### **Duty to Consult on Felling Street Trees**

#### **Consultation Response**

The Capital Programme Team ran a 28-day public consultation between the 11<sup>th</sup> of December 2024 until the 8<sup>th</sup> of January 2025.

We received zero comments regarding our proposal to fell three street trees as part of our active travel cycling and walking improvement scheme to allow for the construction of the new cycleway and to provide clear visibility to the proposed traffic signal heads on the new crossings.

Our consultation was designed to notify the public of upcoming tree felling. Notices were displayed on the tree for 28 days and in local council office with the option to provide comment through email or post. Option to view the notice online has also been available on the council website.

Following the results from the consultation the decision has been made to carry out the felling of the following street trees as mentioned in the Duty to Consult notice:

- Two trees located on Abbey Road, Stafford Street Crossing.  
What3Words: ///chats.stole.gravel
- The third tree located on Abbey Road opposite the Ainslie Street junction.  
What3Words: ///reap.unity.perky

Once the construction of the new cycle way has finished, we plan to replant the three Street Trees within the vicinity.

If you require any further information about the scheme, please email:

[ActiveTravel.WAF@cumbria.gov.uk](mailto:ActiveTravel.WAF@cumbria.gov.uk)

Alternatively, you can write to:

**Capital Programme Team, Westmorland and Furness Council, South Lakeland House, Lowther Street, Kendal, Cumbria LA9 4DQ.**

