

HASSOCKS PARISH COUNCIL

To: Grounds & Environment Committee

Date: 5th March 2026

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Subject: Agenda Item 8 – Pine Tree Orchard Lane.

During recent high winds/rain a branch from a tree along the boundary of Aadastra Park/Orchard Lane became detached and had to be removed. The image here shows the tree now:



Our tree surgeon has quoted for two options:

Monolith pine - £500 - Removing the 2 limbs off would kill the tree as pines don't regenerate from bear wood. But will make a good monolith for habitat

Fell Pine tree - £650

Members are asked to consider the two options, alternatively the tree can be left in its current state.