

Sailors Creek CIC

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[REDACTED]

09 August 2022

Dear Mr Cox,

Following the Regulation 28 Report issued 15 June 2022, and received 29 June 2022 please find our response below:

Actions taken:

05 July 2022 - Letters hand delivered and attached to the boats of [REDACTED]

05 July 2022 - Laminated safety notices posted around Sailors Creek and digitally on Sailors Creek CIC website. Emailed to all tenants and members.

31 July 2022 - Majority of mooring ropes removed from trees to the new mooring chain established along the shoreline.

01 August 2022 - Site meeting on the beach at Sailors Creek attended by all concerned parties:

- [REDACTED] (Trefusis Estate)
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- [REDACTED] (Cornwall Council Planning)
- [REDACTED] (Cornwall Council Forestry)
- [REDACTED] (Mylor Parish Council)
- [REDACTED] (TreeWise Cornwall)
- [REDACTED] (Sailors Creek CIC)
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This meeting was extremely positive: productive and consensus driven.

02 August 2022 - Sailors Creek CIC risk assessment and safety brief adapted for staff and volunteers.

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Following site meeting Sailors Creek CIC actions from [REDACTED] (Forestry Officer) circulated notes:

1. Following confirmation of the TPO area, an exception notice is only required for the felling of the Ash tree T807. SCCIC to progress this without further delay. **Submitted by Sailors Creek CIC 08/08/22 and granted 09/08/22. The dead elms outside TPO to be safely removed, all before the end of September 2022.**
2. TreeWise to submit final specification in line with the requirements of their client (Sailors Creek CIC) and, where acceptable, in line with the advice and guidance provided by CC Forestry Officer. Treewise to confirm the time frame for this. **Updated 08/08/22, SCCIC seeking advice from erosion engineers [REDACTED]: T800, arborists recommend pollarding of undercut Oak tree unless engineers recommend removal. All tree works will be conducted this winter.**
3. Mylor Parish Council have scheduled an extraordinary meeting to specifically provide their consultation on this application in a timely fashion. [REDACTED] **to confirm the date.**
4. Upon receipt of final specification, Cornwall Council to expedite internal consultation process without delay, with consent to be issued upon completion of this process. [REDACTED] to confirm the timeframe for this. [REDACTED] **writes: "as soon as I've received receipt of the final specifications and [REDACTED] is in agreement with the proposed tree works, I shall proceed with the determination of the application asap in a positive manner"**

Further actions:

5. It was agreed that Sailors Creek CIC should find a method of positioning moored boats further into the creek away from the area overhung by trees. **A temporary system using the mussel frames has been implemented as of 08/08/22. A long term mooring access solution is being developed for implementation in 2023.**
6. Proposed redirection of footpath and subsequent new planting welcomed by all. Species recommended included Sessile Oak, with an understory of Hawthorn, Blackthorn and Hazel. **Sailors Creek CIC contacted [REDACTED] Public Rights of Way (Cormac) 09/08/22 re: ongoing concerns that footpath remains open.**
7. It was agreed that replanting and planning for a second line of trees further inland is an excellent next step with regard to managed retreat/ increased biodiversity/ stabilisation of the bank. **Planting to begin Winter 2022/23.**
8. It was agreed that Sailors Creek would develop a tree management plan including professional tree surveys and periodic inspection by Sailors Creek CIC. **This tree management plan will be available online at sailorscreekcic.org by the end of September 2022.**

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9. It was agreed the mooring chain system provides a welcome alternative to tying to the shoreline trees. Sailors Creek CIC to complete the mooring chain along the length of the beach. **Remaining mooring ropes to be removed from trees to the mooring chain along the shoreline once it is complete by the end of 2022.**

Yours sincerely,

