

Keep Eskdale an Avenue



The facts are on the back 

They want to cut down all fifteen. Even their own survey doesn't back it.

Buckinghamshire Council want to cut down fifteen trees on our road. Their own report found a way to fix the footway and keep more of our trees. But it's not the one we're being asked about.

These trees give the whole street shade, cleaner air and character, not to mention homes for our wildlife. They're part of what makes this somewhere people want to live.

And once they're gone, they're gone.

Tell the council what you think. It takes five minutes.

Have your say by 24 August

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Anyone can respond. You don't have to live on Eskdale Avenue or in Chesham.

A fairer option exists. We're not being offered it.

Everything below comes from Buckinghamshire Council's own consultation documents and active policies.

- ✂ The council want to remove all fifteen street trees on our road.
- ✂ Only two were flagged because of their condition. The other thirteen established trees are being sacrificed for a clearer pavement.
- ✂ Four options were assessed. One would fix the footway and keep ten trees. We're only being asked about the one that removes them all, with no promise to replant our road.
- ✂ No costs were worked out for any of the four options.
- ✂ Five days before this consultation opened, a new council policy came into effect saying it "does not generally remove healthy trees", because they help wildlife and the climate.
- ✂ Drainage was left out, and no checks were done on how removing the trees could affect the ground or nearby houses on this steep hill.

We all agree our pavements need fixing but this is not the fix.

CONSULTATION CLOSES

Don't leaf it too late!

11:59pm on Monday 24 August 2026



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Or go to Your Voice Bucks and search
"Eskdale Avenue" or "tree consultation".

Put together by a group of residents of Eskdale Avenue in Chesham. Please write responses in your own words – it counts far more than everyone sending the same thing.