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Subject: Tree preservation order no. 196 (2018) land at old Butt Lane, kidsgrove

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We (Nigel and Marion Delves) have lived next door to this little piece of woodland since 1986. As it has never been maintained for so many years it is full of wildlife (foxes, bats, wild pigeons, woodpeckers to name but a few. It also has an orchard and a pear tree which must be over 100 years.

There is a brook running through the area (the water drains off the surrounding land including the fields across from us) and feeds a "well" before continuing down towards the other woodland at the opposite side of our house.

The footpaths are constantly in use with families out walking and enjoying the wildlife, as we do.

Thank you for your quick attention to this matter and hope our remarks will be noted. Sent from my iPad