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**Sent:** 10/03/2022 11:53:19 AM  
**Subject:** DA2021/1636 Lot 2 DP 514296 7 Crown Rd, Queenscliff,

ATTN: Daniel

RE: DA2021/1636 Lot 2 DP 514296 – Tree Removal

Dear Daniel,

Andrew Formica contacted me regarding the removal of trees 12 and 16, shown on the landscaping plan.

I have no objection to the removal of the dead tree, 12.

The palm tree 16 has a curved trunk and has fronds that are in contact with the building but the trunk is about 30 cm from the building. The top floor of the existing building is in violation of the side building envelope and maximum wall height. When the top level is removed, the fronds will no longer be in contact with the building.

It is extremely difficult to grow trees in a salt environment. I see no justification in destroying this lovely mature palm.

The palm can be seen in the video at the bottom right: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rB3mExLWvIk>

Please let me know if you have any difficulty in seeing the video.

I'm happy to have the dead fronds and lower fronds of palm 16, to be cleaned up.

Please note that my family and I are currently down with Covid. If you want to inspect, I won't be able to show you around for a while yet.

Best regards,

Tony