



NORTHUMBERLAND PARK



CLIENT: NORTH TYNESIDE COUNCIL
LOCATION: NORTH SHIELDS, NORTH TYNESIDE
PROJECT VALUE: £3,500

Northumberland Park is a council owned recreational park located in North Tyneside approximately 200m from the mouth of the River Tyne.

Although originally the park was created at the end of the 19th century, it has now developed in to semi-natural woodland dominated by Sycamore, with other common species including Ash, English Elm and Elder. There are some areas of amenity grassland and a small ornamental pond in the centre of the park.

Total Ecology were commissioned to carry out an extended Phase I survey of the site in order to support works proposed as part of a Heritage Lottery bid. Bat risk assessments were also carried out on around 500 trees across the whole site to establish potential bat roosts before woodland management works were carried out. This resulted in a dawn survey on a small group of trees and ecological supervision of soft felling operations as they were due for immediate removal.

A Biodiversity Action Plan (BAP) was also produced specifically for the site to link in with the Newcastle/North Tyneside BAP.





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OUR CONTRIBUTION

- Tree Bat Risk Assessment
- Extended Phase I
- Ecological Clerk of Works
- Biodiversity Action Plan



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