

## Tree Felling - awareness sessions

If you are considering felling trees, it is likely that you will need a felling licence. Information on whether a felling licence is likely to be required can be found at [Natural Resources Wales / Check if you need a tree felling licence](#)

The felling of trees is regulated by the Forestry Act 1967 and administered by Natural Resources Wales (NRW). The Forestry Act 1967 has been amended to give new powers to NRW to add environmental conditions to felling licences, and to amend, suspend or revoke a felling licence once granted. These new powers aim to provide better protection for wildlife and the environment during felling operations and come into force on 1 April 2024.

**You are invited to attend an awareness session hosted by NRW, to find out more information about the new powers to condition, amend, suspend and revoke felling licences under the Forestry Act and what this will mean to you.**

Discussion points will include:

- The new powers to condition licences
- Powers to amend, suspend and revoke felling licences
- Changes to the application form
- The revised web pages on the NRW website around felling licenses

The sessions will be hosted by representatives from NRW's Forestry Regulation and Permitting teams and there will be an opportunity to ask questions about the discussion points at the end of each session.

The awareness sessions will take place via Microsoft Teams on:

<b>Date for awareness session</b>	<b>Please register your interest by</b>
20 February 10:00am	5:00pm 6 February
22 February 2:00pm	5:00pm 8 February
1 March 10:00am	5:00pm 16 February

**Please note you will only need to attend one.**

To book a place, please email [deddfcoedwigaeth@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk](mailto:deddfcoedwigaeth@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk) with your name and preferred date no later than two weeks before to confirm your space.

NRW will email the link to join the session one week in advance

If you would prefer to access the session through the medium of Welsh or have any other accessibility concerns, please make NRW aware of these when booking your place.