If there is four metres or more clearance between trees and power lines, no communication with Alpine Energy is required. Trees can be trimmed by yourself or any contractor.

If trees are less than four metres of the power line, only network third party tree service providers can trim them. Please allow time for communications between the contractor and Alpine Energy.

If trees require a power outage to trim safety, additional charges may apply. Please allow for sufficient time for outage planning between the contractor and Alpine Energy.

General Enquiries: 0800 66 11 77  Email: mailbox@alpineenergy.co.nz
**Shelterbelt Trimmers**

Only third party tree trimming contractors can trim trees/hedges which are within 4m of an Alpine Energy power line. Please note there may be additional charges if the power needs to be switched off to trim your trees.

- Cleveland Agriculture Services Ltd
  Geraldine Area
  027 4377 446

- Tree Topping & Trimming Ltd
  Fairlie/MacKenzie Area
  027 271 1127

- Atnas Ltd
  Morven Area
  021 783 062

**General Enquiries:** 0800 66 11 77 Email: mailbox@alpineenergy.co.nz

**Arborists**

Alpine Energy’s internal contractor NETcon have a team of arborists to undertake tree work near power lines, to organise a free quote and assessment contact Alpine Energy on 03 687 4300.

Alternatively the below companies are also tree service providers:

- Baxter Tree Services Ltd
  027 406 1362

- Arbor culture Ltd
  022 308 1858

**Council Trees**

Timaru District Council has its own contractors to undertake tree work. For any queries regarding council trees and power lines contact Timaru District Council on 03 687 7200.

**Forestry Work**

Any forestry work which requires tree felling within 2 tree lengths of a power line must have written approval by Alpine Energy. This is a requirement of Worksafe New Zealand as detailed in the Approved Code of Practice for Safety and Health in Forest Operations 2012.

Contact Alpine Energy for further details.

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