

Application DM/26/1439 - 1 Portsmouth Wood, Lindfield

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Subject: Re: Application DM/26/1439 - 1 Portsmouth Wood, Lindfield

Hi Anna,

I just wanted to reach out after having seen some objections to our application on the planning portal. Specifically, I am concerned by a number of inaccuracies in [REDACTED] [REDACTED] emails and would like to specifically confirm that:

- Yew plants have been replaced when original plants have died. He may believe they should be instantly replaced but there are recommended time windows to do this, generally autumn or early spring. Planting Yew outside of these windows is not advised as new plants tend not to survive.
- As per the photos submitted in the application the fence is now almost entirely obscure by the hedge.
- As per our planning request there are similar fences on our road (Portsmouth Wood). Our fence is perfectly in keeping with these.
- I don't believe that it is a planning matter but just to confirm, there are no restrictive covenants on our deeds regarding the fence.
- Notifications of our planning application were put up in a timely fashion and certainly not in the last 2 days of the consultation period. I have also replaced the notification when the original was damaged (presumably by the weather) and adjusted it a number of times to make sure it is still visible.

Thanks again for your help,

[REDACTED]
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