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To: "Steven King" <Steven.King@midsussex.gov.uk>
Subject: DM/25/3202 Land West of Lodge Cottage, South Avenue, Hurstpierpoint

Dear Steve,

I have reviewed the Landscaping Plans for this proposal and was disappointed to see a limited number of native species.

I note the hedge proposal to include *Prunus laurocerasus*, which is fast growing but not native. Would the applicant consider using more of the native species, rather than this selection?

Further, the trees selected are mostly nonnative and the only native tree selected is short lived. Please could you request that the applicant consider changing some of these trees for natives?

Kind regards

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