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Subject: 2025.01.28 Re: DM/25/0104 - 4 Fieldway Lindfield Haywards Heath West Sussex RH16 2DD

Dear Katherine,

Thank you for consulting the Flood Risk and Drainage Team on the above application. Having reviewed the information provided, a 'main river' (The Scrase Stream) transects the site. We advise that the EA should be consulted on this application.

The Environment Agency is responsible for watercourses which are designated as 'main rivers' and the sea. The Environment Agency should be consulted for applications;

- On or within 8 metres of a main river;
- Involving quarrying or excavation within 16 metres of any main river, flood defence (including a remote defence) or culvert;

We will await their response as the 'higher authority' before commenting further on Flood Risk and Surface Water Drainage grounds.

Best Wishes

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