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Subject: RE: FP/84/19/DOC : Draft Decision sign off for DOC

Dear Michael,

The green spaces that we adopt from the development sites are managed under a variety of programmes, depending on what sort of site they are.

The sites at Blake's Mead, Felpham are managed as follows:

- ◆ Grass cutting is performance, not frequency, based – cut height is between 40 and 70 mm. Although not frequency based, this does equate of a cut roughly once every 3 weeks during the cutting season, which is roughly March to September, depending on weather conditions.
- ◆ Litter management is performance based and includes the emptying of **litter** bins. After litter clearance, the site is to be “Predominantly free of litter and refuse, apart from small items such as cigarette ends and ring-pulls.” Broken glass is **always** treated as a priority, once notified.
- ◆ Hedge and shrub maintenance. Shrub beds and boarders are visited twice a year for pruning and weed removal. New and existing hedges are to maintained at their current height, in accordance with best practice techniques.
- ◆ Play area equipment is inspected weekly by suitably trained staff; one in four of these inspections is carried out by a member of the Arun District Council engineering department. There are also annual inspections by our insurance company (Allianz) and by The Play Inspection Company.

I hope that this information is suitable for your needs; please advise me if you require any further information.

Kind regards,

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