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Our Ref: F/19/25/OUT
Your Ref:
Date: 27th June 2025

Dear Ramsay,

Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)
Town & Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 - Article 5

Application for Outline Planning Permission

Development: Outline planning application with some matters reserved (except access) for up to 400 No dwellings, an 8-10 form entry secondary school with associated sports pitches and facilities, a community hub of up to 600 sqm, new pedestrian, cycle and vehicular access point onto from Ford Lane with additional secondary pedestrian/cycle access points will be provided throughout the site, allotments/community growing space, an orchard, country park, a sustainable urban drainage system and other formal public open space, landscaping and associated infrastructure. This application also lies within the parish of Yapton, affects the setting of listed buildings, affects a Public Right of Way and is a Departure from the Development Plan.

Location: Land To The South Of Ford Lane Arundel Arundel BN18 0DF

Thank you for your recent application which I received on 26th June 2025. It is being validated by Mrs D Johnson who will be able to assist you should you have any questions.

I regret that I am unable to accept your documents as a valid application until the following item(s) have been received or resolved :-

Biodiversity Net Gain Metric Tool

A fully completed statutory biodiversity metric calculation tool must be provided in excel and pdf format. Further details and links to the metric tool can be found in the Validation Requirements List.

Topographical Survey

Where the land level changes up or down by more than 150mm, a grid of levels with points not less than 20m apart need to be provided for pre and post construction levels.

For further detailed information on validation requirements please go to our website and refer to the requirements list for this type of application: <https://www.arun.gov.uk/making-a-planning-application>

If you are unable to access the website, please contact this office so a copy can be sent to you.

Where the information requested above relates to a local validation requirement, you may request that the requirement is waived. The information requested should be reasonable having regard to the nature and scale of the proposed development and about a matter which it is reasonable to think would be a material consideration in determining the application. If you do not feel this is the case, you can serve a notice on the Council, specifying which particulars or evidence you do not consider meet this test of reasonableness. You must state which items you disagree with and set out the reasons why you hold the view, please quote the application reference in your letter or email. The Council will then consider your case and respond. It should be noted that there is no right to challenge the national requirements as these requirements are contained in planning legislation.

If providing additional documents or information, please email it to: planning.responses@arun.gov.uk with a covering email clearly explaining what is being provided. Do not resubmit it via the planning portal as we receive all the original information plus any amended information and it is not clear what has changed. Please provide the above by **11th July 2025** or your application will be closed as incomplete and where a fee has been paid, I will retain £40.00 (or the entire fee, if less than £40.00) to cover the cost of administering the return. If you have difficulty meeting this deadline please contact the above officer to agree an extension to this time scale. Once the application has been closed, you will need to submit a fresh application if you still want to proceed.

Yours sincerely



Neil Crowther
Group Head of Planning

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If you have provided an email address, all correspondence including the decision notice will be sent by email. It is therefore important that you keep us informed if this changes during the course of this application.

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