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Our Ref: P/30/26/OUT
Your Ref:
Date: 13th March 2026

Dear Mr Smith,

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 application with some matters reserved, except access, for up to 120 No residential dwellings including means of access into the site (not internal roads). This application is a Departure from the Development and affects a Public Right of Way.
Location:	Land North Of Summer Lane Pagham

Thank you for your recent application which I received on 12th March 2026. 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 as a pdf. Further details and links to the metric tool can be found in the Validation Requirements List.

Please provide a post habitat plan.

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 **27th March 2026** 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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