

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: COS  
**Date:** 07 July 2025 13:54:00  
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All sent.

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]  
Assistant Area Highway Manager – Eastern Area  
Economy, Infrastructure & Environment – Highways, Transport and Planning  
West Sussex County Council

**Location:** Eastern Office, Jobs Depot, Pookbourne Lane, Hickstead, West Sussex, BN6 9HD

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 06 July 2025 10:48  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: COS

Hi,

Yes, happy with that.

Thanks

[REDACTED]  
Highway Operations Manager – Eastern  
Place Services  
Highways, Planning and Transport  
West Sussex County Council

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**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** 04 July 2025 17:32

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Subject:** RE: COS

Hi [REDACTED]

Proposed email below—please let me know if ok to send.

Good afternoon [REDACTED],

I hope this message finds you well.

Further to our previous correspondence, I am writing to advise that, unless we receive a response within the next 14 days, West Sussex County Council will proceed with the removal of the remaining posts/stumps on Saint Hill Road opposite the entrance to the Church of Scientology on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of July 2025.

Should this course of action be necessary, please be aware that it may affect our willingness to enter into any new planting agreement that may have previously been discussed. This is due to the fact that any such agreement would be subject to conditions regarding ongoing maintenance and upkeep, and we would need to be confident that those conditions will be met.

I look forward to hearing from you on this matter.

Kind regards,

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**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** 30 June 2025 14:24

**To:** [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Subject:** RE: COS

Hi [REDACTED]

I would advise one more message indicating that if we don't hear further, we will remove the remaining posts/stumps on XXXXXXXX date and provide the date. Give them 14 days to respond and we'll organise for a crew to go in and do the works if we don't hear. I would also put in that message that if that course of action is required by WSCC, it may impact our willingness to enter into any new planting agreement that may have already been discussed. This is due to the fact that any agreement would come with conditions around ongoing upkeep, and we would need to be assured that those conditions will be honoured.

Happy to review before sending.

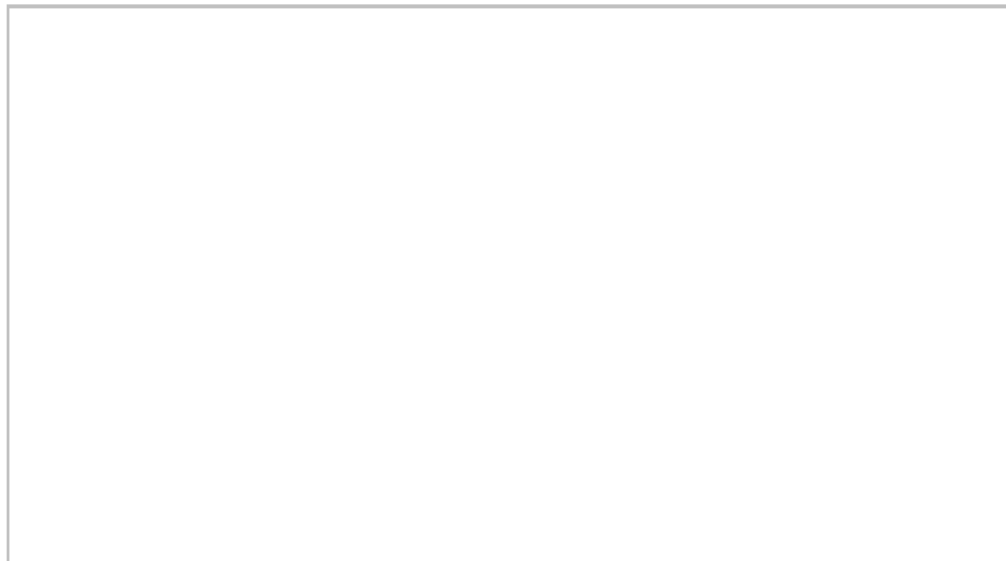
Thanks

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**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** 30 June 2025 14:13

**To:** [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Subject:** COS

Hi [REDACTED]

Following up on the COS, we have yet to receive any updates regarding the removal of the remaining tree stumps, wooden fence, and plinths. Could you please confirm whether we should now proceed with raising a job to have these removed? Or would you prefer to make one final attempt to contact the Church before we take action?

If we do go ahead with the removal ourselves, should we be looking to recover the associated costs from the Church?

Lastly, how would this affect our position in approving a Tree Planting Licence?

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

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