

Summary of public comments:



Draft tree planting plan for Ashton Court Estate

November 2023

A draft tree planting plan was circulated to residents and displayed in locations in the Estate. In addition, it was added to the consultation page on the Bristol City Council website.

Thank you to everyone for your comments.

We have responded to the comments as received below with more detail as a point of record.

What happens next?

Tree planting will take place between December 2023 – March 2024.

Comments received: We have given these comments consideration and provide responses below:

Should a new wood be allowed to encroach onto other features of conservation?	Bristol City Council have proposed a hedgerow in this location. The new trees will be managed as a hedgerow and therefore any encroachment will be minimised.
This is a designated SNCI.	Tree planting has been considered and deemed appropriate for this site.
The location is inappropriate due to important grassland species close by.	The proposed new hedgerow follows an existing, older hedge line, the boundary of which is currently fenced with shrub and tree species present. Natural England have approved the planting plans as has the Bristol City Council Conservation Officer.

Visit the Bristol City Council Webpage for more information on One Tree Per Child community planting and woodland maintenance events.

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