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Dear Mr Dickins

## East Devon and Blackdown Hills Landscape Character Assessment

Thank you for your email of 6 December 2018, consulting the Devon Gardens Trust on the East Devon and Blackdown Hills Landscape Character Assessment.

The Devon Gardens Trust would like to congratulate you on this excellent report. We would suggest that perhaps mention should be made of the contribution that historic designed landscapes particularly those in the English Landscape Style associated with many of country houses and country estates in East Devon have made to the landscape character of the County.

Yours sincerely  
John Clark

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