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Dear Mr Mallett

WHIMPLE - RICHARD WHITEWAY MEMORIAL GROUND

I refer to your enquiry regarding the planning status of the Richard Whiteway Memorial Ground. It is indicated upon the Whimple Village Inset as "Land of local Landscape Importance". The intention of this designation is that the land should not be built upon.

The Whimple Inset is one of a series of Village Insets originally produced as part of this Council's Draft Rural Areas Local Plan. The Insets will now become part of the new East Devon Local Plan to be produced early in the New Year. Meanwhile, the Environment and Planning Committee have resolved that the insets be used for development control purposes.

The designation means that the land can only be used for activities which retain its open nature. Any applications to develop the land would be resisted. The owners of the land have not been informed of its status.

In response to your request I enclose a copy of the Inset Map for Whimple, together with the Key Sheet. There are no Tree Preservation Orders operating on this land.

Yours sincerely



for Chief Engineer and Planning Officer