

Landscape Masterplan

Walderslade Wood, Walderslade, Boxley, Chatham, Kent

Kent County Council

Notes:

Due to the sensitivity of the site, all planting shall be of native species and of UK provenance.

Plant Species Ratios:

Maidstone Landscape Character Assessment Supplement 2012 'Dry Valleys & Downs Typology: Character Area 1 - Bredhurst & Stockbury Downs.

Landscape Area 1			
Trees	%	Hedgerow	%
Beech	20	Field Maple	10
Pedunculate Oak	10	Hazel	15
Hornbeam	50	Hawthorn	70
Cherry	5	Holly	2.5
Hazel	10	Spindle	2.5
Field Maple	5		

Please note: the Maidstone LCA Supplement 2012 included Ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*) in its recommended plant list. This will not be included in the planting plan for this project due to the recent spread of the disease *Chalara fraxinea*. Field Maple has been substituted.

All tree positions subject to confirmation with regard to foundation design and soil type by project engineer.

Schwegler 1FR Bat Tubes (total: 4no.)

Swift Nest Bricks:

As specified in the Swift Conservation's online .pdf "Swift Nest Bricks - Installation & Supplies". (total: 4no.)

Log Piles:

2m long x 1m wide x 0.5m high log piles, to be dug 0.25m below adjacent ground levels.

Hedgehog Thruways:

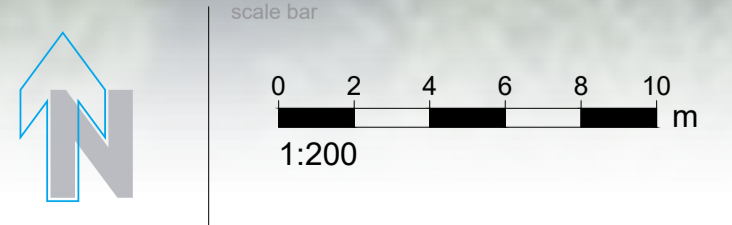
13cm x 13cm gaps under boundary fences to allow hedgehog movement. Each hole to include a "Hedgehog Highway" plaque.

Species mix for grass / wild flora areas outside residential curtilages to be customised, based on botanical survey, and sourced from a specialist supplier



Legend

- Grass
- Wildflower area
- Proposed attenuation feature
- Proposed shrubs
- Proposed hedgerow
- Proposed trees
- Existing trees
- Asphalt surface
- Block paved surface
- Asphalt pavement
- Private curtilage
- Proposed dwellings



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