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**Subject:** Maple Cross

Hi Martin / Simon,

Just following up on our call from Monday. I've done a calculation based on the area of the Maple Cross site that is currently grass cover and what an additional s106 contribution could be looking at this then being applied for compensation for the Forester moth.

The site is 3.4ha of which around 2ha is grass cover. If we apply the stewardship costings that were used for the previous contribution figure of £17,725 (for 2.26ha) then the additional s106 contribution would be £16,685 (£34,410 in total).

I think this follows a methodology that is appropriate for the contribution for the creation and managing over a 25 year period a species rich grassland that would provide the suitable habitat conditions for the Forester moth.

Can you let me have your thoughts please. Thanks.

Regards



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