

# FYLDE DOG FIELD LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT / TREE & HEDGEROW PROTECTION PLAN

This landscape management and tree / hedgerow protection plan (LMP) has been drafted to support the planning application for the use of land off Deerhurst road as a secure dog walking field.

The LMP has been written to guide the efficient and effective management of the site, outline the people who will be responsible for the day-to-day management of the site, and what schedule the maintenance will follow.

The scope of works to be covered as part of the LMP is outlined within this document, along with details of when works will be carried out.

It is currently intended that the work is carried out by the owner/manager of the field and any contractors needed for specific jobs, e.g. fencing repairs will be appointed as the need arises.

PLANTING AND RESEEDING			
Prescription	Details	Frequency	When
All new planting including bare areas of the land	Replace/reseed any bare areas with grass and wild flower mix	Annually	March - October

EXISTING TREES / HEDGES			
Prescription	Details	Frequency	When
Visual inspections	Trees will be checked for damage/disease	Weekly	Anytime

Pruning	Trees to be pruned when overhanging footpath causing danger to or otherwise obstructing users	As required	May – October
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GRASS			
Prescription	Details	Frequency	When
Litter	Picked daily Removed before mowing	Daily	Anytime
Mowing	Long grass areas mowed	Twice a year if needed	May – October
Strimmer	Used in areas that cannot be mowed	Twice a year if needed	May – October

WEEDS, NETTLES, BRAMBLES AND GORSE			
Prescription	Details	Frequency	When
Pruning	When needed due to obstruction of paths	As required	May – October
Strimmer	Used on large over grown areas	Twice a year if needed	May – October
Chemicals	Not to be used	Never	Never

LITTER, DOG FOULING ETC			
Prescription	Details	Frequency	When
Litter	Picked daily on field inspection	Daily	Anytime
Dog Fouling	Cleared up and put in bin for	Daily	Anytime

	collection when needed		
Glass or anything sharp	Picked up and put in the bin before any customer uses the field	As required	Anytime
Graffiti	Remove	As required	Anytime
Bin	To be collected by Suez	Weekly	Between 07.00 and 17.00 Mon to Fri or 08.00 and 13.00 Sat

#### MISCELLANEOUS

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Prescription	Details	Frequency	When
Fence	Checked daily and repaired immediately before customer use	Daily	Anytime
Shelter	Maintenance of the shelter	As required	Anytime
Issues brought to attention by customers	Resolved at earliest opportunity and field closed if needed	As required	Anytime