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Hi Rebecca,

Thanks for the reminder since OHH is proving a major distraction!

On the surface finishes plan for this site, I have reviewed this drawing and generally it appears in line with palette of materials indicated on previous drawings.

My only comment relates to the hoggin gravel paths. Since the majority of these are curved, forming these edges with the specified treated timber edgeboards will be somewhat challenging. In addition, even if the edgeboards are treated they will only last 7-10 years.

I suggest that a pinned steel strip edger be considered as an alternative since it is much easier to form smooth curves using these, plus the steel edging is a permanent solution.

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Apart for this, I am content with the proposals.

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