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Dear Sirs,

Copdock & Washbrook Parish Council strongly supports the proposal and application being made by Bentley. The ancient woodlands of Brockley Wood and Old Hall Wood posess flora and fauna of great historic interest and contemporary beauty and the footpaths that criss-cross Bentley Old Hall and Old Hall Lane are much enjoyed by our residents all year round.

In terms of the key considerations highlighted by Historic England, there is no doubt in our mind that the area has sufficient architectural or historic interest for the area to be considered 'special', that this is experienced through its character and appearance and that it is desirable for that character or appearance to be preserved and enhanced by the Management Plan set out in Bentley's proposal.

Please acknowledge receipt.

Adrian Ward

Chair, Copdock & Washbrook Parish Council