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Dear Cllr Hubbard,

Thank you for your and Nicky Deering's letter on behalf of the Parish Council, dated 18 June and emailed to me on 20 June. As we have committed throughout, Forestry England will continue to monitor the effects of implementing car parking charges in the New Forest. Part of this will include ongoing consideration of equality impacts and updating of the EQIA as necessary. We will continue to work closely with a range of stakeholders on this and will support any additional enquiries from Defra officials.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Mr Seddon

Thank you for your letter of 12 June 2026. I attach Beaulieu Parish Council's response. We look forward to receiving an update from DEFRA officials once the review now required by the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Nature has been undertaken.

Yours sincerely

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