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Dear Ms Lamb

**22/00715/FUL Planning application for the temporary siting (two years) of a marquee from April -September on an annual basis to use for a maximum of 12 licenced events within the period. Sutton Park Main Street Sutton On The Forest York. SECOND RECONSULTATION.**

Thank you for consulting The Gardens Trust (GT) in its role as Statutory Consultee with regard to any proposed development affecting a site listed by Historic England (HE) on their Register of Parks and Gardens. The Yorkshire Gardens Trust (YGT) is a member organisation of the GT and works in partnership with it in respect of the protection and conservation of registered sites, and is authorised by the GT to respond on GT's behalf in respect of such consultations.

We refer you to our previous letters dated 6<sup>th</sup> June and 15<sup>th</sup> July.

We understand that this application is to be determined on the basis of providing temporary permission for a two- year extension to allow the applicant to consider further a permanent site for a marquee. We have no objection to this principle of temporary permission provided it does not create a deemed consent for this development and after any consented period, the site is returned to its previous condition. This re-consultation also relates to the time limits to be applied to the twelve licensed events and we refer you to the advice of your Authority's Environmental Health Officer.

As we wrote in our previous letters a 27mx9m white marquee in this location will have some impact on the historic park and garden and its setting and the setting of the Hall even though screened by existing planting, and the existing concrete base in conservation terms is not so easily reversible. It is unfortunate that the marquee in such a historic setting is proposed to be a bright white and query whether it could be a more subdued colour.

Yours sincerely,

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