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By Email to: Trevor Robson, Institute of Cemetery and Crematorium Management

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Dear Trevor

Acknowledgement of additional donation

I'm writing to you on behalf of Nottinghamshire Wildlife Trust to thank you for, and to acknowledge receipt of, the further donation as part of the ICCM's Metals Recycling Scheme.

The donation will allow us to continue working with our partners Nottingham City Council in order to provide a number of enhancements to benefit wildlife at cemeteries in the city, especially at Wilford Hill.

So far, with the first donation we submitted an order for plants and other materials. The species chosen include native plug plants and bulbs for a shady bank at the edge of Wilford Hill Wood. We have also purchased ornamental species, including lavenders, roses and other shrubs to replant some of the beds with plants that will be beneficial to pollinating insects. We also working with the cemetery attendants and are currently investigating the feasibility on a project to bring nesting swifts into the chapel tower. This work will help deliver some of the objectives of the cemetery's Green Flag management plan.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any further information on these projects.

Yours sincerely

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Nottinghamshire Wildlife Trust is the leading wildlife conservation charity working to protect and enhance the wildlife and habitats of Nottinghamshire by managing nature reserves, engaging, advising, inspiring and educating people to create a richer natural world for present and future generations. We currently have 67 nature reserves and 11,000 members, whose support we rely on to carry out our activities. For further information go to <u>http://www.nottinghamshirewildlife.org</u>.

President Sir Andrew Buchanan Bt.

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