

## Plantings on the Energetics & Above The Service Block

Much of the mound will have to be sown with a motor-way verge grass mix as the fill stabilizes. Open areas will be included, fenced & linked to allow the grazing sheep to be the mowing control factor. The plantings will be allowed to grow to the fencing and in time this will obscure the fencing. The sheep will of course also graze the shrubs as they protrude through the fencing. The area above the Service Area will probably be one such open area, though we could mass plant Lupins over it (see image) ? Mass plant groups



will achieve the best impact and make maintenance much easier. Sways of Common Gorse / Whin (*Ulex europaeus*), Common Broom (*Cytisus scoparius*) mixed with some of its cultivars, Buddlejas (we can even have a planting of red white & blue for national patriotism). Buddlejas flower from mid summer to mid

autumn and are fantastic for butterflies & a few moth species. What dates are the 2012 olympics ? New Zealand Daisy Bush (*Olearia macrodonta*) see below, has one of the purist of whites of any flowering shrub.

A few small groves of Eucalyptus with their exotic bark markings and evergreen leathery leaves are good for shade and attract bees. Another grove of Cordyline to tie the "Secondary Palm Theme" in. Lone specimen trees:- Atlantic Blue Cedar (*Cedrus atlantica var glauca*) is a striking creature with glaucous blue / grey foliage.



