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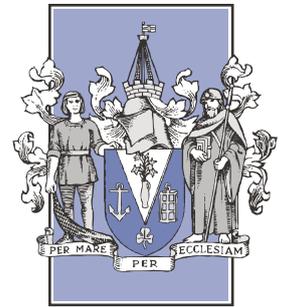
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SOUTHEND-ON-SEA BOROUGH COUNCIL

COMMONS ACT 2006 – SECTION 15(1)

NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR THE REGISTRATION OF LAND AS A TOWN OR VILLAGE GREEN

To every reputed owner, lessee, tenant or occupier of any part of the land described below and to all others whom it may concern.

An application has been made to Southend-on-Sea Borough Council (“the Registration Authority”), by Mr Peter Lovett on behalf of the ‘Friends of Shoebury Common’ under section 15(1) of the Commons Act 2006 and in accordance with the Commons (Registration of Town or Village Greens) (Interim Arrangements) (England) Regulations 2007. The application seeks the inclusion in the register of town and village greens of the land described in the Schedule below which is claimed to have qualified for registration as a town or village green by virtue of Section 15(2) of the Commons Act 2006 that a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, have indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years and they continue to do so at the time of the application.

The application, which includes a plan of the land proposed for registration, may be inspected at the Customer Services Centre Southend-on-Sea Borough Council, Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, Essex SS2 6ER, during normal opening hours. The plan may be viewed on the Council’s website at www.southend.gov.uk/villagegreenregister.

If the Registration Authority is satisfied that the land described in the Schedule qualifies for registration as a town or village green, it will so register the land.

Any person wishing to object to the registration of the land as a town or village green should send a statement of the facts on which the objection is based to the Legal & Democratic Services, Southend-on-Sea Borough Council, Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, Essex SS2 6ER or by e-mail to committeesection@southend.gov.uk (Ref: TR VGA 01/2013) so as to arrive not later than Tuesday 14th October 2014. Any representations that are to be taken in to account by the Authority in reaching a decision on the application cannot be treated as confidential and will be copied to the applicant for comment and may be disclosed to other interested parties.

Date: 1st September 2014

John Williams, Head of Legal & Democratic Services

Legal & Democratic Services, Southend-on-Sea Borough Council
Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, Essex SS2 6ER

SCHEDULE

Description of the land claimed to have qualified as a Town or Village Green

Land described in the application as Shoebury Common, Shoebury Common Road, Shoeburyness, Essex.