

Application to register as a town green,
Land at Humpty Hill, Faringdon, Oxfordshire
Witness statement in support of the Application

1. I, David Charles Tutt, of 22, Orchard Hill, state that I have lived in Faringdon since 3rd July 1981, continuously at this address.

Facing our property on the other side of the hedge facing, lies the field referred to above, which has been substantially in use for recreational purposes by local residents throughout this period.

While designated as agricultural land, the field was used seasonally, for brief periods during one or two years in the early to mid 1980's, to graze cattle. Since then, the land has laid fallow, with an annual hay crop being taken off, normally late in the season, between August and September, while recreation has continued.

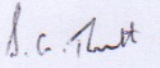
2. My family and I have utilized the area during this period for dog walking on a continuous basis, except between 1990-91, and 2003-2005 (No dog!) We have also used the field for the following activities:

- a. Blackberry picking
- b. Sloe picking
- c. Sledging in the snow
- d. Wild flower collection

3. I have observed other residents and families using the field for the following activities:

- e. Dog training, to retrieve, to voice and whistle command.
- f. Testing model aircraft on proving flights.
- g. Skiing practice during snow
- h. Children playing free games after school and during school holidays.
- i. Families and childrens' groups picknicking.
- j. Cross country running across different sections.
- k. Kite flying

4. I believe the facts stated in this witness statement are true.


Signature:

Date: 14.2.2015.

Commons Act 2006
Sec 15 (1)

Application to Register
a Village Green in
Great Faringdon

NLREG34: Great Faringdon
Humpty Hill

Town or Village Green
Application Land



Area: 5.5 hectares approx.

Approximate route of
unaffected rights of way



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