

Witness Statement in Support of the Application to register

the land at Humpty Hill as a Town Green.

I, David Turner of 24 Beech Close Faringdon, have lived at this address with my wife Patsy since 1981 and during all that time we have regularly ie at least weekly, used all of the land in question as an open recreation area for many activities particularly walking and running but also bird-watching, sledging in the snow, berry picking, kite flying and other general activities to keep in shape and in good health. Not always on our own but often with friends and with family who have come to visit us.

Many times we have also witnessed young people of the town meeting to sit and talk in the field in the open air with picnics. This area of land is the only green space to the west side of town that can be used for these forms of healthy recreation.

We both feel strongly that this is a key area of Faringdon that must be kept open and available to all and continue to be used in this way for the health and fitness of the community by being registered as a Town Green.

The view from the vantage point on the Highworth Road across this area of land is the best view of Faringdon that includes the whole of the town with The Folly Tower. This view should not be spoilt or changed.



David Turner

Date

13/2/15

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.

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Approximate route of
unaffected rights of way

John P. Pinner



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