



# Open Spaces Society

**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE  
IN SUPPORT OF CLAIM FOR  
REGISTRATION AS A NEW GREEN**

**COMMONS ACT 2006**

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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	RACHEL GARDLEN		
ADDRESS	104 WALKLEY CRESCENT ROAD		
POSTCODE	S6 5BB	TELEPHONE NO	0114 2336080

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	125 WALKLEY CRES. ROAD.	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ... <u>RED</u> ..... (state the colour)	YES.	
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X. <u>JUST OFF MAP.</u>		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	'ELLIOTVILLE'	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO.	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <u>1987</u> to <u>2008</u> .	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From <u>1987</u> to <u>1990</u> .....  Then from <u>1999</u> to <u>2008</u>	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?  
 YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?  
 YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CENTRE                            | <input type="checkbox"/> NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                             | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |
|  | LIBRARY,<br>PUB  |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?  
 YES

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?  
 IT IS / WAS OPEN LAND  
 EASY ACCESS TO PATH.

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
 LOCAL WALK - USING PATH.

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
 ONCE A WEEK

16. What activities do/did you take part in?  
 SOLITARY WALK.

17. Does your immediate family use the land?  
 NO

18. If so, what for?	N/A.
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?	NO.
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.	N/A.
20. Do you participate in any of them?	NO
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.	DONT KNOW
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?	DONT KNOW
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.	

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS                    | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING                     | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DRAWING AND PAINTING        | <input type="checkbox"/> PICNICKING                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOG WALKING      | <input type="checkbox"/> KITE FLYING               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS      | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES                       | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)        |  |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?	NO.
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?	YES - LOCAL PEOPLE - COMMON LAND
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?	N/A.

27. What did he or she say?	NIA.
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO.
28a. If so, from whom and when.	NIA.
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NIA.
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	NIA.
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO.
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	NIA.
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	YES - THERE'S A FENCE NOW.
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	A FENCE WITH ACCESS APPEARED APPROX. 2004.
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No NIA.
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No

35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for ... <u>11</u> ... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin. <i>(SEE QN. 8 - GAP)</i>	
37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i>	
38. <i>I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.</i>	

Signed Reeader Date 14. 9. 08.

## *NOTES FOR THE INTERVIEWER*

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- (3) This subsection applies where –
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  - (b) they ceased to do so before the time of the application but after the commencement of this section; and
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My partner's mother, Jean Hoing, was born in 1931 and lived on nearby Woodview Road moving to Lister Road in 1959. Her mother, Amy Franks, was born in 1878 and grew up on Walkley Bank Road. During all this time the 'green' was common land and the dirt path which ran across it was a right of way used by everyone. Jean's father-in-law by her first marriage, Ernest Lockwood, lived on Walkley Bank and Jean remembers that at one time kept chickens in a pen on the green as it was common land. Likewise others tried to grow fruit and vegetables but the land was not rich enough so they gave up.



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NAME	MIKE STANNETT		
ADDRESS	13 IBBOTSON ROAD, WALKLEY, SHEFFIELD		
POSTCODE	S6 SAD	TELEPHONE NO	(0114) 231 5890

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes <del>NO</del>
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ...RED..... (state the colour)	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	✓
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	STONY WALK FIELD (but I don't think it had a proper name)
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	LOWER WALKLEY GREEN
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From ..1988... to ..2008.....
8. Between which years did you use it?	From ..1988... to ..2008.....  Then from ..... to .....

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?  
 YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?  
 YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)<br>PUBS, LIBRARY |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?  
 YES.

13. How do you gain access to the land?  
 I JUST WALK ONTO IT (IT'S EASILY ACCESSIBLE MOSTLY), AND ALWAYS HAVE DONE.

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
 RECREATION

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
 OCCASIONALLY (A FEW TIMES A YEAR)

16. What activities do/did you take part in?  
 WALKING

17. Does your immediate family use the land?  
 N/A

18. If so, what for? N/A
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land? YES
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place. Bonfires, but not recently.
20. Do you participate in any of them? No.
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify. No
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land? Bonfires
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL                   |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)        |   |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land? No.
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land? I DON'T THINK THERE IS ONE!
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land? N/A

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	No
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	No
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	No
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	YES.
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	Partial fencing went up c. Dec 2003, but not all the way round. This was reinforced c. March 2008, but there was still access.
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
[ Not sure - am searching my archives and will forward them if I find any.. ]	
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
<del>N/A</del> YES (if any).	
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No
N/A.	

<p>35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.</p>	<p>Yes/<del>No</del>          [Evidence forms already submitted by them]</p>
<p>36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for ..20... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.</p>	
<p>37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i></p>	
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Signed Mike Stannell Date 19 / July / 08

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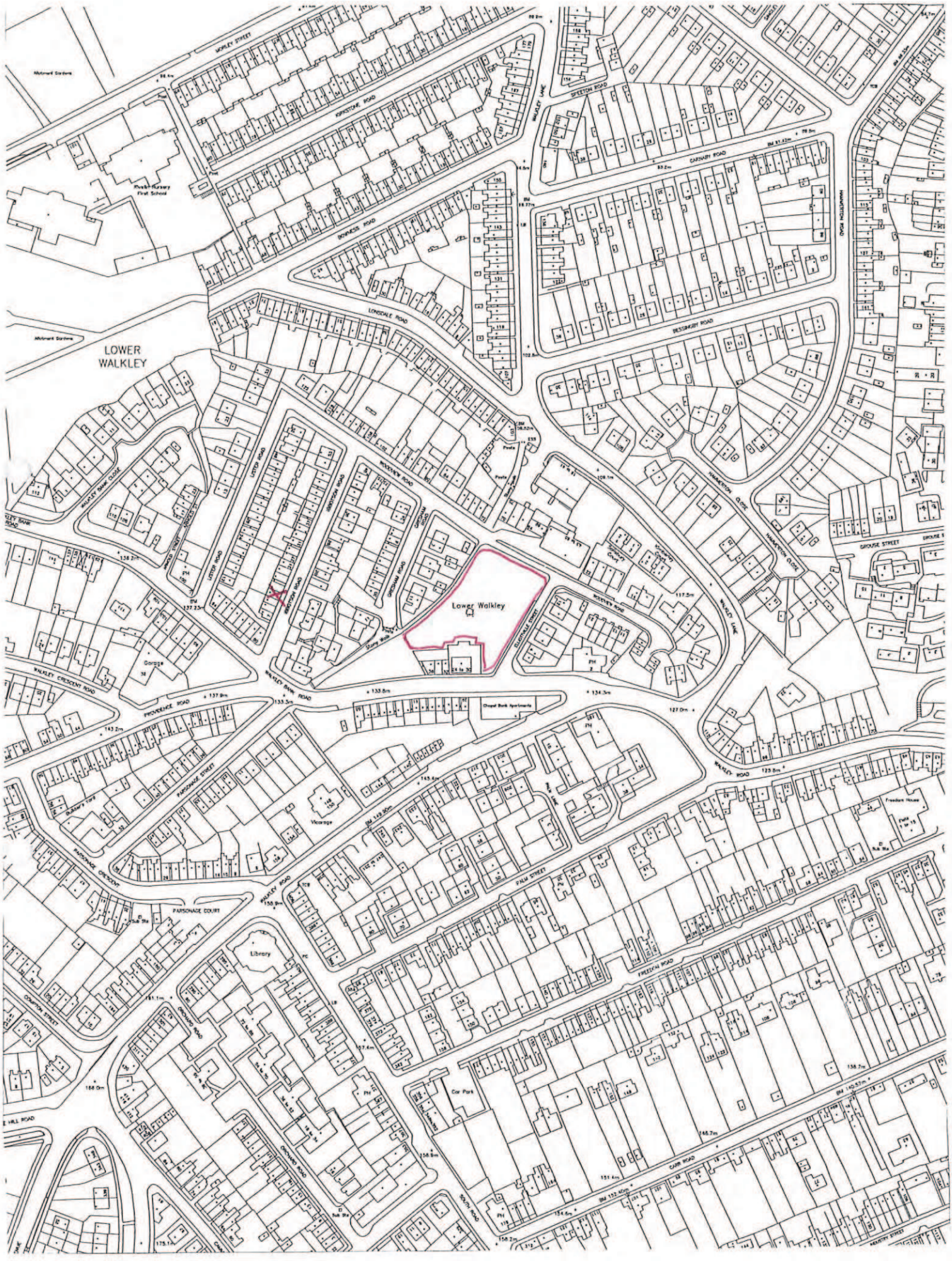
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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
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NAME	TREVOR BEATSON		
ADDRESS	10, WOODVIEW ROAD		
POSTCODE	S6 5AB	TELEPHONE NO	0114 2321994

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	128, KING JAMES STREET WALKLEY	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	128, KING JAMES STREET WALKLEY	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No	YES
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ..... Red ..... (state the colour)	Yes/No	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	FIELD	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 1959 to 2008	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 1959 to 2008  Then from / to /	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?  
YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?  
YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? *Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.*

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY     |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                             | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) |
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12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?  
YES

13. How do/~~did~~ you gain access to the land?  
WALK BY PATHS

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
RECREATION

15. How often do/~~did~~ you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
WEEKLY

16. What activities do/~~did~~ you take part in?  
SLEDGING WITH KIDS

17. Does your immediate family use the land?  
NO

18. If so, what for?  
N/A

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?  
YES

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.  
BONFIRES

20. Do you participate in any of them?  
NO

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.  
NO

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?  
BONFIRES

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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NO

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31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	YES
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	WINTER '03 SOMEONE FENCED PART OF LAND & AGAIN IN '08 SAME PEOPLE REINFORCED IT
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	<del>Yes</del> /No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/ <del>No</del> N/A
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	<del>Yes</del> /No

35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.	Yes/No
36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for <u>4.9</u> years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.	
37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i>	
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Signed Troun Bentzen Date 18/7/2008

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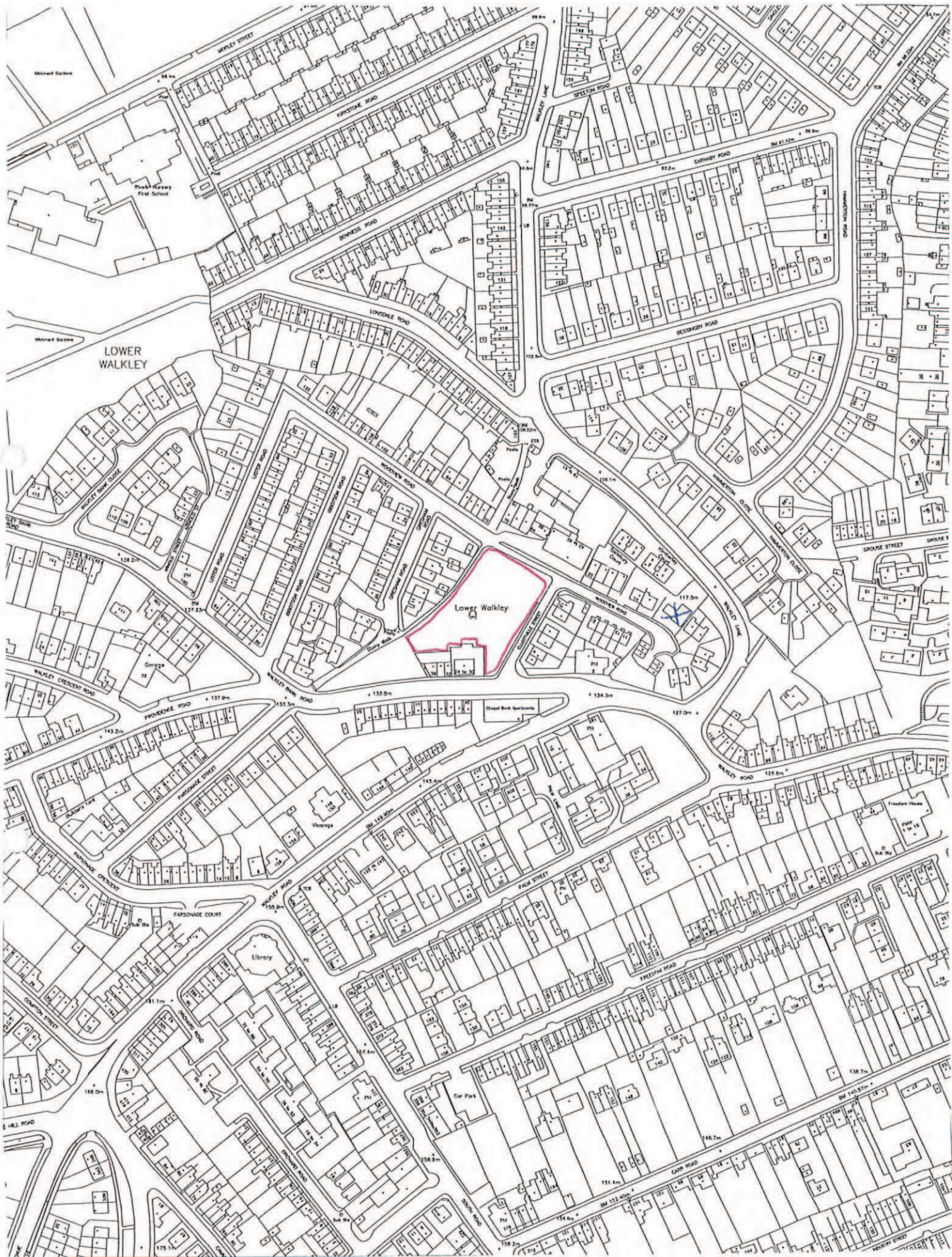
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NAME	JEAN SANDERSON		
ADDRESS	30, WALKLEY BANK RD		
POSTCODE	565AJ	TELEPHONE NO	0114 2334070

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
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4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	THE FIELD	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	<del>THE FIELD</del>	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <u>1986</u> to <u>2008</u> .....	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From <u>1986</u> to <u>2008</u> .....  Then from ..... to .....	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?  
YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?  
YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA            | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN                           |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                             | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                                |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)<br>PUBS- |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?  
YES

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?  
THROUGH THE PATHS

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
PLAYING WITH CHILDREN RECOVER BALL WHEN

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
RARELY

16. What activities do/did you take part in?  
NONE

17. Does your immediate family use the land?  
NO

18. If so, what for?	N/A
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?	NO.
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.	N/A
20. Do you participate in any of them?	NO
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.	NO
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?	NOT THAT I'M AWARE OF KIDS USED TO SLEDGE DOWN IT
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.	

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS                    | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING                     | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING             |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOG WALKING      | <input type="checkbox"/> KITE FLYING               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> PICKING BLACKBERRIES        | <input type="checkbox"/> BONFIRE PARTIES           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS      | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES                       | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)        |  |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?	NO
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?	NO
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?	N/A

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	YES
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	2004 SOMEONE FENCED MOST OF LAND EXCEPT NGAR FLATS, 2008 SAME REINFORCED THE FENCE
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No N/A
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No

<p>35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.</p>	<p><del>Yes</del>/No</p>
<p>36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for <u>.22.</u> years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.</p>	
<p>37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i></p>	
<p>38. <i>I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.</i></p>	

Signed J. Jandrasek Date 18/7/08

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- (3) This subsection applies where –
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  - (b) they ceased to do so before the time of the application but after the commencement of this section; and
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  - (b) they ceased to do so before the commencement of this section; and
  - (c) the application is made within the period of five years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).

Date 1.4.2007







# Open Spaces Society

**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE  
IN SUPPORT OF CLAIM FOR  
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**COMMONS ACT 2006**

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Oxfordshire RG9 2BA  
Email: [hq@oss.org.uk](mailto:hq@oss.org.uk) Website: [www.oss.org.uk](http://www.oss.org.uk)  
Registered charity: 214753

Date 1.4.2007

**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	D HUDSON		
ADDRESS	19 LONDODALE ROAD		
POSTCODE	SG 2PS	TELEPHONE NO	2819169.

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ... <u>RED</u> ... (state the colour)	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	SLEDGE RUN
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <u>1991</u> to <u>2008</u>
8. Between which years did you use it?	AS ABOVE From ..... to .....  Then from ..... to .....

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land? YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same? YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? *Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.*

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CENTRE                            | <input type="checkbox"/> NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                             | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)            |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land? YES

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?  
BY PATHS

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
KIDS PLAYING

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
EVERY OTHER DAY

16. What activities do/did you take part in?  
SLEDGING / SWING -

17. Does your immediate family use the land?  
YES

18. If so, what for?  
 KIDS PLAYING —

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?  
 NO

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.  
 N/A

20. Do you participate in any of them?  
 NO

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.  
 NO YES

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?  
 NO

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS                    | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING                     | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING             |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOG WALKING      | <input type="checkbox"/> KITE FLYING               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES                       | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)        |  |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?  
 NO

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?  
 NO

26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?  
 N/A

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	YES
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	WAS PARTIALLY CLOSED off.
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No N/A
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.	Yes/No <input checked="" type="radio"/>
36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for <u>17</u> years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.	
37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i>	
38. <i>I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.</i>	

Signed *[Signature]* Date 13/7/8-

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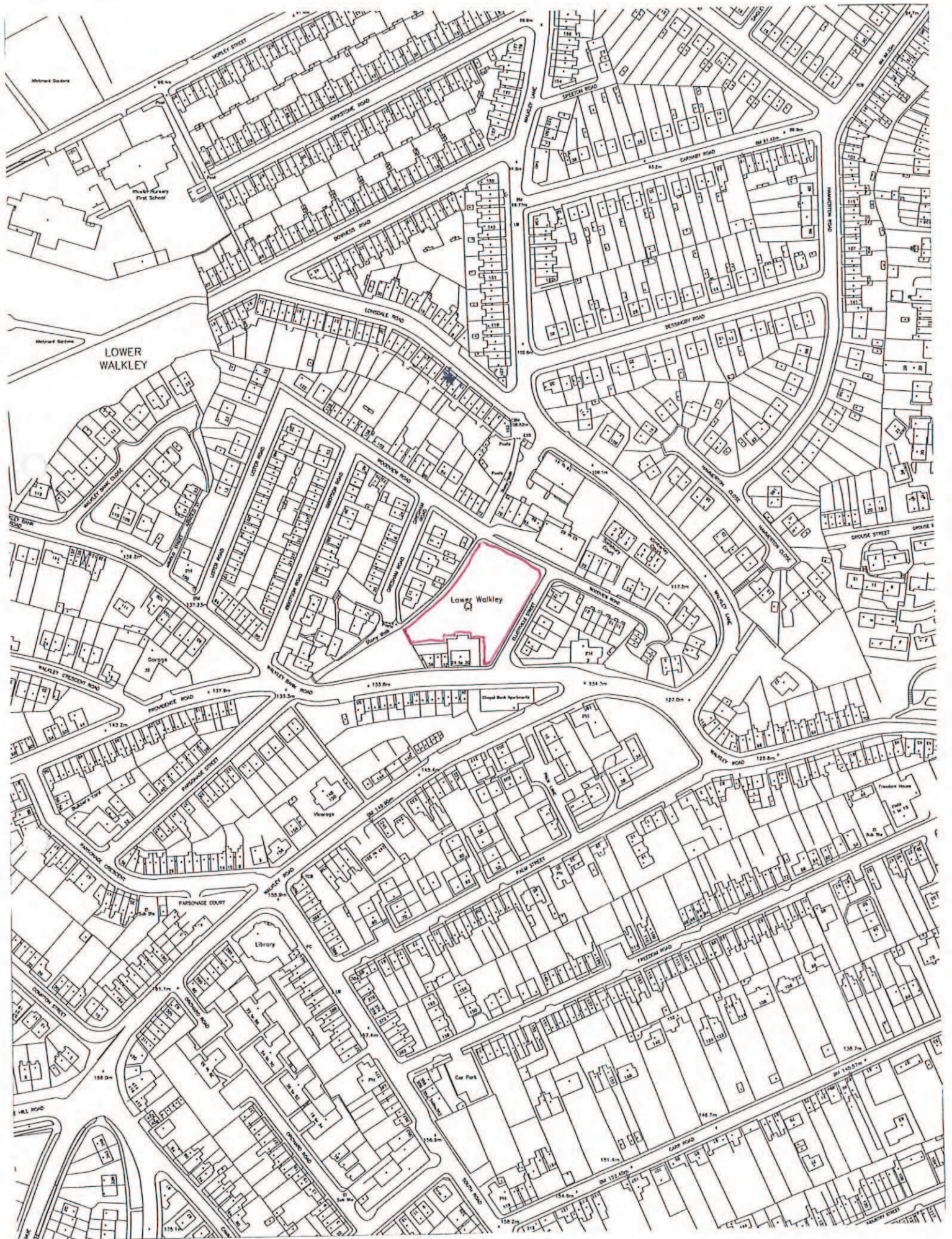
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Registered charity: 214753

Date 1.4.2007

**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	STANLEY HIDES		
ADDRESS	6. GRESHAM Rd. WALKLEY SHEFFIELD.		
POSTCODE	014565AE.	TELEPHONE NO	2316479.

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes	<del>No</del>
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ..... RED ..... (state the colour)	YES	
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	FIELD.	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO.	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 1998 to 2008.	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 1998 to 2008.  Then from ..... to .....	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?  
 YES.

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?  
 YES.

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? *Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.*

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN   |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                             | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state) PUBS.  |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?  
 YES.

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?  
 PATHS.

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
 BECAUSE ITS THREE + DOGS

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
 DAILY.

16. What activities do/did you take part in?  
 NONE

17. Does your immediate family use the land?  
 No.

18. If so, what for?  
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19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?  
YES.

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.  
BONFIRES. UNTIL RECENTLY.

20. Do you participate in any of them?  
SOMETIMES.

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.  
NO.

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?  
AS 19A.

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS                    | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET                    |
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26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?  
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27.	What did he or she say?	
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28a.	If so, from whom and when.	
29.	Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	<u>No.</u>
29a.	If yes, when and the reason.	<u>NO</u>
30.	Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	<u>NO.</u>
30a.	If yes, when and the reason.	
31.	Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	<u>YES.</u>
31a.	If yes, give examples and dates.	<u>IT WAS BLOCKED OFF IN 2004. AND AGAIN IN 2008. NOT BY THE FLAT.</u>
32.	Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33.	Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No
34.	If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No

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Signed ..... S. Hides. ..... Date 15-07-08 .....

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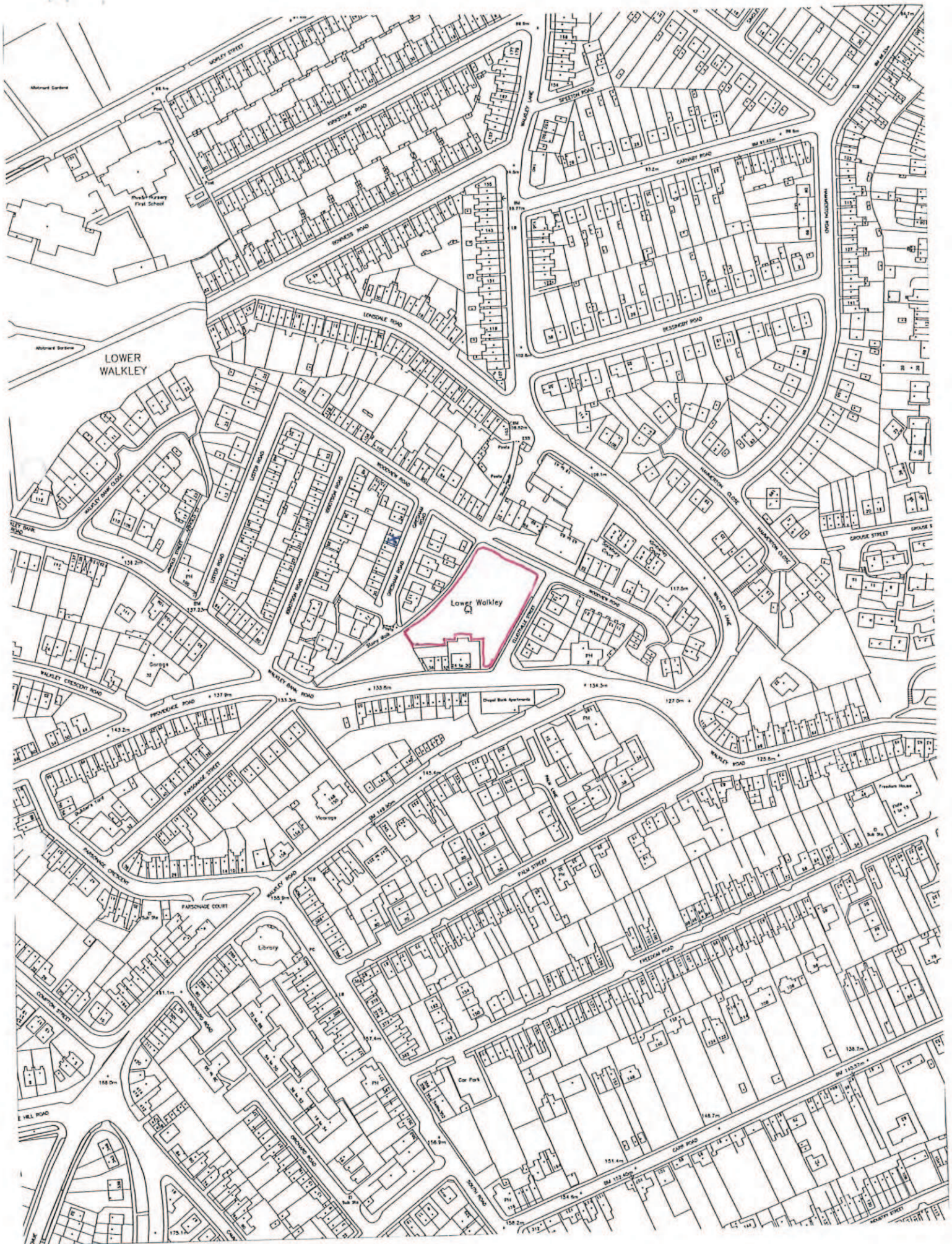
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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	E A J S DODD	
ADDRESS	15 IBBOTSON RD SHEFFIELD S6 5AD	
POSTCODE	S6 5AD	TELEPHONE NO 0114 2335340

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	Same	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes/No	Yes
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ...RED..... (state the colour)	Yes/No	YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	THE FIELD	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 1979... to 2008...  29 years	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From ...79... to ...08...  Then from.....to.....	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land? YES

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10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same? YES

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11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? *Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.*

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA            | <input type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN                          |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                             | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                               |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)<br>pubs |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land? YES

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13. How do/~~did~~ you gain access to the land?  
Always open

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14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
dog walking

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15. How often do/~~did~~ you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
every DAY

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16. What activities do/~~did~~ you take part in?  
Skedging with the kids

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17. Does your immediate family use the land? No

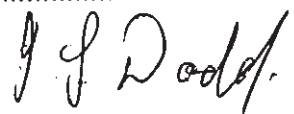
18. If so, what for?	n/A
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?	YES
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.	BONFIRE
20. Do you participate in any of them?	YES
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.	NO
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?	BONFIRE
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.	

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING     | <input type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS                        | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET                    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FISHING              | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DRAWING AND PAINTING            | <input type="checkbox"/> PICNICKING                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOG WALKING          | <input type="checkbox"/> KITE FLYING                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> TEAM GAMES                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PEOPLE WALKING  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PICKING BLACKBERRIES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BONFIRE PARTIES |
| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS          | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES                           | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)            |   |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?	NO
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?	NO
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?	n/A

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	YES
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	DEVELOPER FENCE IT OFF, BUT LEFT AN OPENING NEXT TO THE FLATS.
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No N/A
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No

<p>35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.</p>	<p><del>Yes</del>/No</p>
<p>36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for <u>29</u> years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.</p>	
<p>37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i></p>	
<p>38. <i>I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.</i></p>	

Signed E.A. Dodd Date 12-7-08  


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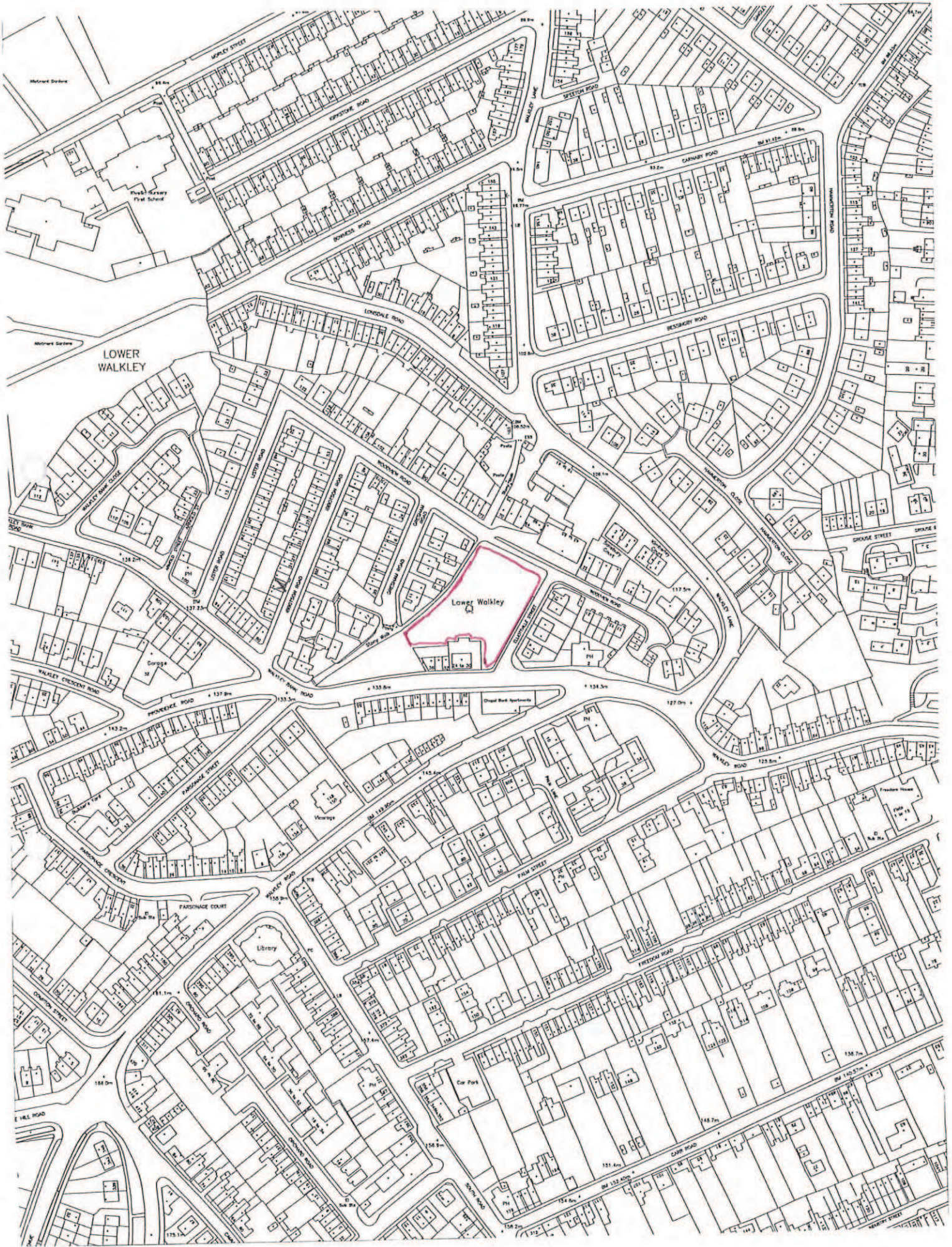
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  - (b) they ceased to do so before the commencement of this section; and
  - (c) the application is made within the period of five years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).

Date 1.4.2007







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IN SUPPORT OF CLAIM FOR  
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**COMMONS ACT 2006**

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Registered charity: 214753

Date 1.4.2007

**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	MR + MRS JOAN + HENRY EASTWOOD		
ADDRESS	9 STONEY WALK, WALKLEY SHEFFIELD S		
POSTCODE	86 SAT	TELEPHONE NO	0114 2334273

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	as above	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	as above	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)		Yes/No <b>YES</b>
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ... <b>Red</b> ..... (state the colour)		<b>YES</b>
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.	✓	
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	Green Area	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	No	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From <b>1958</b> to <b>2008</b>	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From <b>1984</b> to <b>2008</b>  Then from ..... to .....	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land? YES

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10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same? YES

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11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL           | <input type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL CHURCH OR PLACE OF WORSHIP  | <input type="checkbox"/> A CENTRAL FEATURE              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                   | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS            | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)           |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land? YES

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13. How do/did you gain access to the land? open access

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14. Why do you go on to this piece of land? walking and to use foot path

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15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)? Daily and later weekly

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16. What activities do/did you take part in? None

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17. Does your immediate family use the land? Yes

18. If so, what for?	walking and use of paths
19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?	No
19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.	
20. Do you participate in any of them?	No
21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.	No
22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?	children sledging during winter
23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.	

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING | <input type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS                    | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FISHING                     | <input type="checkbox"/> BIRD WATCHING             |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOG WALKING      | <input type="checkbox"/> KITE FLYING               |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS      | <input type="checkbox"/> BICYCLE RIDING            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FETES                       | <input type="checkbox"/> CAROL SINGING             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)        |  |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?	No
Always thought it was council property	
25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?	No
26. Has the owner or occupier seen you on the land?	N/A

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	Yes, on occasion During the last <del>2</del> 4 years a fence has been erected. This has been removed in places so access is now available again.
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	as above
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	As above - local developer tried to fence land off but residents have removed fence
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	Fence erected early 2004 removed almost immediately
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

<p>35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.</p>	<p>Yes/No</p>
<p>36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for <u>20</u> years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.</p>	
<p>37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i></p>	
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Signed J Eastwood Date 4/08/08  
J Eastwood

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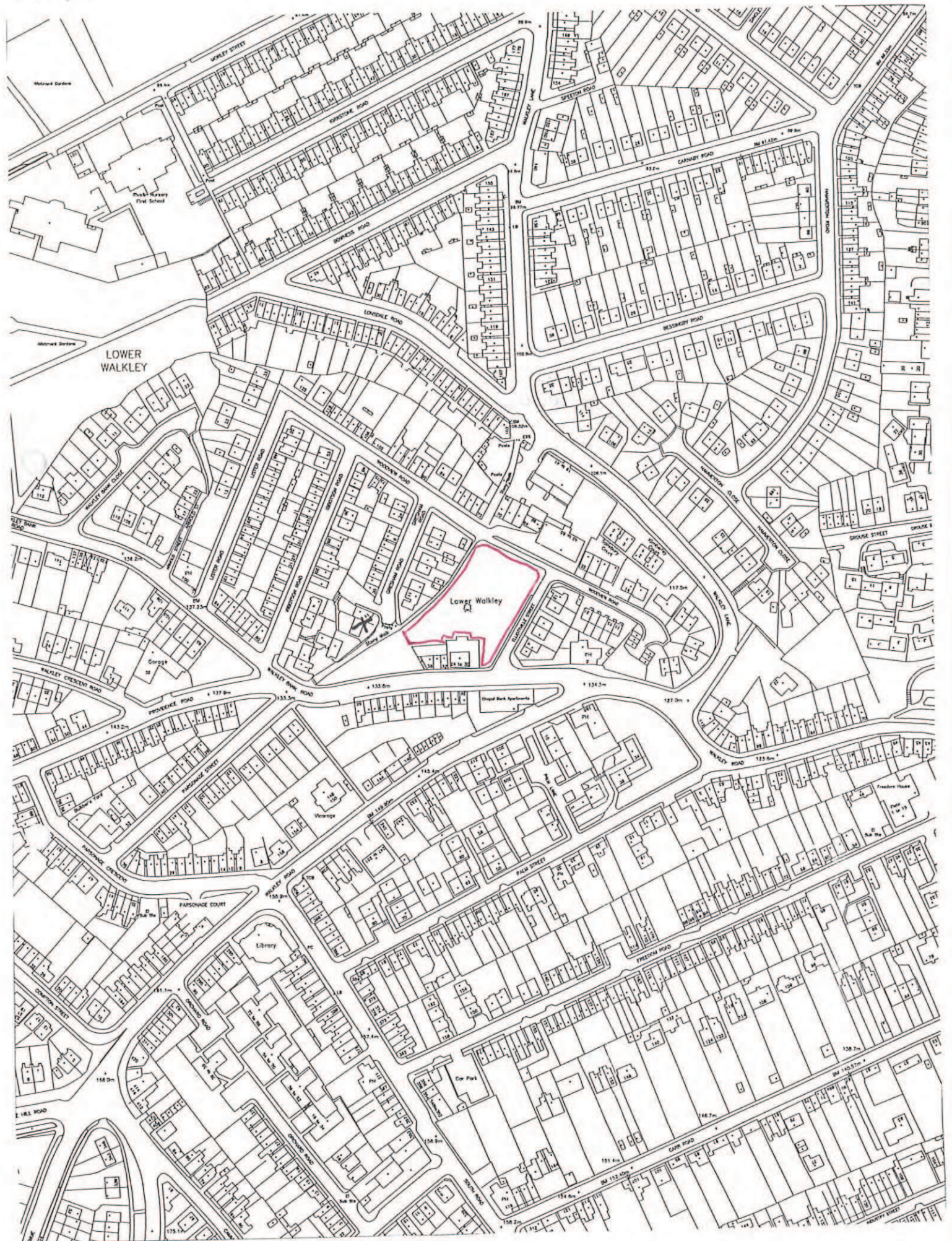
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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	KATE JEEVES		
ADDRESS	102 WOODVIEW ROAD, SHEFFIELD		
POSTCODE	S6 5AB	TELEPHONE NO	0114 2323338

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)		Yes/No  YES
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ..... RED ..... (state the colour)		YES
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	LOWER WANKLEY GREEN	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	"SPARE LAND"	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 2007 to 2008	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 2007 to 2008  Then from ..... to .....	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?

YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?

YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA  
 LOCAL SCHOOL

RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

COMMUNITY CENTRE

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LOCAL SHOPS

AREA POLICEMAN

DOCTOR'S SURGERY

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

A CENTRAL FEATURE

SCOUT HUT

OTHER (Please state)

PUBS

LIBRARY

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?

YES - 2

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?

VIA PATHS

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land? DOG WALKING, PEACE & QUIET, TO LOOK AT THE VIEW.

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?

EVERY DAY

16. What activities do/did you take part in?

ROPE SWING, WALKING, LITTER PICKING

17. Does your immediate family use the land?

YES

18. If so, what for? DOG WALKING, ROPE SWINGING,  
WOOD COLLECTING, PICNICING

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?  
YES

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.  
BONFIRES (NOV. 5th) - KNOW IT TOOK PLACE FROM  
1940'S TO LATE 1990'S.

20. Do you participate in any of them?  
NO

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.  
NO

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?  
AS 19a

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHILDREN PLAYING     | <input type="checkbox"/> FOOTBALL                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROUNDERS                        | <input type="checkbox"/> CRICKET                   |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)            |  |

24. Do you know who is the owner of the land?  
NO

25. Do you know who is the occupier of the land?  
NO

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N/A

27. What did he or she say?	N/A
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28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
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30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	YES
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	<del>Answer</del> FENCED IN WITH REINFORCEMENTS MARCH 2008. BUT ALWAYS ACCESS AT SOUTHERN PERIMETER - FENCE BREACHED TO ALLOW ACCESS TO PATHS IMMEDIATELY.
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No N/A
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

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Signed Kate Jeeves Date 12-7-08

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Date 1.4.2007





To support this application I would like to add that although I have only lived in this area for just over a year, I have seen the immense worth that this piece of green land has for our community.

Firstly, for the wildlife. Birds nest, bats whizz about at night; there is an owl. There is also strong evidence of foxes, certainly crossing the land if not living there.

Secondly, for the local children. Talking to local people, lots of whom have lived here all their lives, they have amazing memories of playing, sledging, go-karting, "hanging out" etc. Their children played here and now their grandchildren do. It is a wonderful safe spot for children to play without adult supervision - a rare jewel these days.

Lastly, for all the rest of us. It is a lovely green space to sit, to walk or to think with a fabulous view of distant hills. Even for the very old who find it too steep to walk on it provides a pleasant and attractive view from their windows. Please help us to preserve it.



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**EVIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE IN SUPPORT OF REGISTRATION AS  
A NEW GREEN**

NAME	DEAN HORSFIELD		
ADDRESS	47 LANSDALE RD WALKLEY		
POSTCODE	SG 2PS	TELEPHONE NO	2819365

1. Address when you used the land. (The land in this form means 'the claimed land'.)	AS ABOVE	
2. Address when you knew the land was used by the local inhabitants.	AS ABOVE	
3a. Did you sign the reverse side of 'Map A' confirming it relates to this evidence provided by you? (Map A is the map showing the claimed land, and the claimed locality which uses the land, which should accompany the form and which will subsequently accompany the application: see Form 44 part 5 & 6 (and note 5 & 6).)	Yes	<del>No</del>
3b. Please confirm that you agree with the boundaries of the locality (or neighbourhood within a locality) on 'Map A' edged in ..... RED ..... (state the colour)	YES	
4. Please mark the location of your house on 'Map A' with an X.		
5. By what, if any, name is the land shown on 'Map A' known?	THE FIELD	
6. Has it ever to your knowledge been known by any other name? If so, what name?	NO	
7. For how many years have you known the land?	From 1988 to 2008	
8. Between which years did you use it?	From 1990 to 2008  Then from ..... to .....	

9. Do you consider yourself to be a local inhabitant in respect of the land?  
 YES

10. During the time you have used the land, has the general pattern of use remained basically the same?  
 YES

11. What recognisable facilities are available to the local inhabitants of your locality? Please tick all boxes that apply and add any OTHER additional matters not covered.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREA            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AREA POLICEMAN               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SCHOOL                                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DOCTOR'S SURGERY             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION                      | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES                    |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPORTS FACILITY                             | <input type="checkbox"/> SCOUT HUT                               |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOCAL SHOPS                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Please state)<br>PUBS |

12. To your knowledge are there any public paths crossing the land?  
 YES

13. How do/did you gain access to the land?  
 WALK ONTO

14. Why do you go on to this piece of land?  
 WALK DOG

15. How often do/did you use the land (apart from the public paths)?  
 MOST DAYS

16. What activities do/did you take part in?  
 WALKING DOG

17. Does your immediate family use the land?  
 NO

18. If so, what for?  
N/A

19. Do you know of any community activities that take place or have taken place on the land?  
NO

19a. Please list them and state when and for how long they have taken place.  
N/A

20. Do you participate in any of them?  
N/A

21. Do any organisations use the land for sports or pastimes? If so please specify.  
DONT KNOW

22. Do any seasonal activities take place on the land?  
DONT KNOW

23. Please tick all the activities that you have seen taking place on the land.

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28. Was permission ever sought by you for activities on the land?	NO
28a. If so, from whom and when.	N/A
29. Did anyone ever give you permission to go onto the land?	NO
29a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
30. Have you ever been prevented from using the land?	NO
30a. If yes, when and the reason.	N/A
31. Has any attempt ever been made by notice or fencing or by any other means to prevent or discourage the use being made of the land by the local inhabitants?	WINTER 2003/4 PARTLY FENCED OFF
31a. If yes, give examples and dates.	AS ABOVE
32. Do you have any photographs or any other evidence of use of the land by local inhabitants?	Yes/No
33. Are you willing to lend them to us?	Yes/No N/A
34. If you have additional information please attach a separate statement.	Yes/No

35. If you have knowledge of others who may be in a position to complete an evidence form, would you please write their names and addresses upon the reverse of this form.	Yes/No
36. I have carried on the activities referred to in this questionnaire for ..1.5... years without anybody trying to stop me and I believe the activity should be treated by the law as having a lawful origin.	
37. <i>I understand that the evidence form I have completed in relation to this application may become public knowledge and I authorise the applicant to disclose this form to anyone reasonably requiring access to this application.</i>	
38. <i>I also understand that this evidence may be presented at a non-statutory inquiry and I authorise the applicant to use this form for that purpose.</i>	

Signed ① J. J. J. Date 4/08/08



## *NOTES FOR THE INTERVIEWER*

### **THE GROUNDS FOR REGISTRATION OF A TOWN OR VILLAGE GREEN**

#### **Commons Act 2006 section 15, Registration of greens**

- (1) Any person may apply to the commons registration authority to register land to which the Part ie part 1 of the Commons Act 2006, registration applies as a town or village green in a case where subsection (2), (3) or (4) applies.
- (2) This subsection applies where –
  - (a) 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
  - (b) they continue to do so at the time of application.
- (3) This subsection applies where –
  - (a) a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years;
  - (b) they ceased to do so before the time of the application but after the commencement of this section; and
  - (c) the application is made within the period of two years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).
- (4) This subsection applies (subject to subsection (5), where –
  - (a) a significant number of the inhabitants of any locality, or of any neighbourhood within a locality, indulged as of right in lawful sports and pastimes on the land for a period of at least 20 years;
  - (b) they ceased to do so before the commencement of this section; and
  - (c) the application is made within the period of five years beginning with the cessation referred to in paragraph (b).

Date 1.4.2007

