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**Town Clerk | Swaffham Town Council**

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**From:** Town Clerk | Swaffham Town Council  
**Sent:** 11 February 2019 13:12  
**To:** 'Robin Horn'  
**Subject:** RE: Day's Field

Dear Robin,

I can confirm that the documents are ready for collection at the Town Hall Reception.

Best regards,

Richard Bishop  
Town Clerk

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-----Original Message-----

From: Robin Horn <[robinhorn149@btinternet.com](mailto:robinhorn149@btinternet.com)>  
Sent: 10 February 2019 20:54  
To: Town Clerk | Swaffham Town Council <[townclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:townclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk)>  
Subject: Re: Day's Field

Hello Richard,

Thank you for your reply. In the first instance I will be happy to see the three documents at £1.60 and then consider the matter further. At this stage I would not want to request a meeting.

Perhaps you can spare a moment to let me know when the copies have been deposited in the office and I will then make arrangements to call in.

Thank you for your help.

Best wishes.

Robin

- > On 7 Feb 2019, at 11:16, Town Clerk | Swaffham Town Council <[townclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:townclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk)> wrote:
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- > Dear Robin,
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- > Thank you for your e-mail, which is in fact a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I have had an on-going similar request which I have just been able to meet, as I have been awaiting the receipt of documents from our Solicitor. So I don't have to take the required 20 days under the FOI Act.
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- > There are three documents which may be of interest to you which will cost in total £1.60, there are 8 A3 copies at 20p each. However, I will repeat what I have said to another resident in this regard, which is that I will need to take

legal opinion on whether there are further documents that have superseded the three documents that I can release to you. For an example when Days Field was declared surplus to requirements in 2005, the Town Council had to obtain a Section 8 permission to dispose of the land from the then Secretary of State Hazel Blairs. This was granted, releasing the council from the allotment requirement, the beneficiaries of any sale will be the inhabitants of the Town, of which the Town Council are their elected representatives.

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> I will therefore offer to meet with you, should you wish to discuss the matter in greater detail and to better understand the reasoning for the request. If that is of interest to you, please let me have some dates and times when you may be available and hopefully we can find a mutually agreeable time to meet.

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> I would be grateful if you could confirm that the £1.60 cost is agreeable to you, and on receipt of your reply I will left the copies at the Reception Desk for you. If you could also indicate whether a meeting is of any interest to you - many thanks.

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> Best regards,

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> Richard Bishop

> Town Clerk

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Robin Horn <[robinhorn149@btinternet.com](mailto:robinhorn149@btinternet.com)>

> Sent: 27 January 2019 20:49

> To: Town Clerk | Swaffham Town Council

> <[townclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:townclerk@swaffhamtowncouncil.gov.uk)>

> Subject: Day's Field

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> Dear Richard,

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> At the public meeting to present the then present position regarding Day's Field proposals, which was held in the Council Meeting Room, I asked if the paper/s relating to the transfer of the field from the Day family to the Council were available to see. At that a time, if my memory serves me correctly, you were uncertain as to whether the paper/s were with the council or the museum. I have made enquiries with the museum and it is my understanding that they are not there nor at the Norfolk Record Office.

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> I would be grateful if you can advise me, please, whether the paper/s are with the Town Council and if so, whether I might be allowed to have sight of them.

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> I look forward to your reply in due course.

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> Best wishes.

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> Robin Horn