

Request

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act/ Environmental Information Regulations
Please could we have copies of the following:-

- 1 All documents relating to SPC's ownership of the plot of land comprising MPF village green VG65. We do not know when this was acquired but it is shown as "Common Land" on maps going back to the 1700s.
- 2 Any documents relating to the basis on which the Council says the public and/or local residents have enjoyed access to this plot of land, if claimed to be by right rather than as of right, from the time of acquisition until the registration of VG65.
- 3 All minutes, notes and other documents relating to the Council complying with its duty to register its village greens and common land under the Commons Registration Act 1965, with particular reference to all entries in its minutes prior to 30th December 1969.

Response 7 November 2014

Just to confirm that all documentation that has been requested and that is held by Steyning Parish Council has been hand delivered, this week, to [redacted] at [redacted]

Updated 24 November following forensic enquiry. I have had looked through the Parish Council files and found another document that relates to Abbey Road. The file had been labelled inaccurately, which might explain why it was overlooked previously. Please accept my apologies for not providing the information in the first instance. We are currently in the process of reorganising the files held by SPC and hope that this would not happen again.

17th November 2014



Dear 

Re: Freedom of Information Request 24th October 2014

Following your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please find enclosed:

1. Copies of all documents relating to the Parish council ownership of the plot of land comprising MPF Village Green VG65 and also plots of land comprising VG93.
2. All Minutes, notes etc. relating to the Parish Council complying with it's duty to register Village Greens and Common Land under the Commons Registration Act 1965, prior to 30th December 1969.

I confirm that the Parish Council hold no documents relating to the basis on which the Parish Council says the public or residents have enjoyed any of the land relating to VG93 or VG65.

Steyning Parish Council charge 6p per page for photocopying and would be pleased to receive £4.56 for 76 copies of A4 paper.

Kind regards

Rebecca Luckin
Clerk to Steyning Parish Council