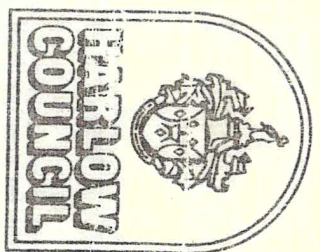


The Common Seal of the Urban District Council was hereunto fixed this 18th day of June, 1973.



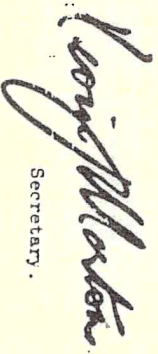
A.S. Graham  
Chairman of the Council

D.F. Bull  
Clerk of the Council

# LATTON COMMON BYLAWS

Pursuant to Section 238 of the Local Government Act 1972 I certify

- a) that the foregoing byelaws were made by the Harlow Urban District Council;
- b) that this is a true copy
- c) that the byelaws were confirmed on the 9th May 1974 by the Secretary of State for Home Affairs;
- d) that the Secretary of State fixed the date for the coming into operation of the byelaws as the 1st July, 1974.

  
Secretary.

JULY  
1974

URBAN DISTRICT OF HARLOW

Byelaws made by the Urban District Council of Harlow in pursuance of a scheme made by them and approved on the 29th July, 1971 by the Secretary of State for the Environment under Section 1(1) of the Commons Act, 1899 with respect to Luton Common in the Urban District of Harlow in the County of Essex

1. Throughout these byelaws the expression "the Council" means the Harlow Urban District Council and the expression "the Common" means the piece of land with the paths and roads thereon commonly known as Luton Common situate in the Urban District of Harlow in the County of Essex and referred to as "the Common" in the Scheme under the Commons Act 1899, made by the Council on the 23rd June, 1971, and approved by order of the Secretary of State for the Environment on the 29th July, 1971, and the expression "the Scheme" means the aforesaid Scheme.
2. An act necessary to the proper execution of his duty on the common by an officer of the Council or by any person or servant of any person employed by the Council shall not be deemed an offence against these byelaws.
3. A person shall not without lawful authority:
  - (a) post or print bills, placards, advertisements or notices on trees or fences or erections on the common;
  - (b) draw, drive or place upon the common or any part thereof any carriage, cart, caravan, truck, car, motor cycle or other vehicle or any aircraft (except in the case of accident or other sufficient cause) provided that this byelaw shall not be deemed to apply to a wheelchair, perambulator or chassis, drawn or propelled by hand and used solely for the conveyance of a child or children or an invalid; or to any vehicle in or proceeding to or from any space set apart by the Council as a parking space;
  - (c) fire or discharge firearms or throw missiles on the common;
  - (d) break in any horse on the common;
    - (i) drive, ride or exercise any horse on the common to the danger of any other person, or on any place where organised games are played;
  - (e) turn out or permit to graze on the common any cattle, sheep or other animal;
  - (f) take or attempt to take fish from any pond or stream on the common, except by hook to line angling methods;
  - (g) wilfully destroy, chase or take or set traps or nets or lay snares for any wild animals on the common;
  - (h) erect or place on the common any building, tent, booth, stall, fence post, railing or other similar structure for any purpose
4. Where any part of the Common has, by notice conspicuously exhibited on the Common, been set apart by the Council for the flying of power driven model aircraft and gliders a person shall not fly or permit any such model aircraft or glider to fly:
  - (i) in any other part of the Common;
  - (ii) unless the noise of the engine (if any) is reduced as far as is reasonably practical by a silencer or similar contrivance;
  - (iii) except on the days and during the hours specified in the following table:-

Wednesdays and Fridays	12 noon to 7 p.m.
Saturdays	10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sundays	10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
  - (iv) in this byelaw the expression "power-driven model aircraft" means any model aircraft driven by the combustion of petrol vapour or other combustible substances, or jet or rocket propulsion, and the expression "glider" means any model aircraft not being a power-driven model aircraft.
5. A person who in the exercise of any right of common or other right over the common shall dig or take turfs, sods, gravel, sand clay or other substance or shall cut, fell or take trees or underwood shall not do so on any part of the common which is enclosed temporarily for the revival of the turf, trees, shrubs or plants or set aside for games or the parking of motor or other vehicles if similar substances as aforesaid can conveniently be dug or taken or cut, felled or taken from some other part of the common.
6. A person shall not wilfully carelessly or negligently remove or displace any seat, shelter, pavilion, drinking fountain, fence, rubbish receptacle or any work erected by or maintained by the Council on the common.
7.
  - (i) A person shall not without lawful authority place on the common any snow, exhibition, swings, roundabouts or other like things;
    - (ii) where the Council set apart any space on the common for the holding of a lawfully held fair, a person shall not place any show, exhibition, swing, roundabout or other like things on any other part of the common.
8. Where the Council temporarily enclose or set apart any space on the common for the purposes of games or as a parking place for vehicles a person shall not interfere with the proper use of the space for the purpose for which it is intended.
9. A person shall not on the common wilfully obstruct, disturb, interrupt or annoy any other person in the proper use of the common or hinder or obstruct any officer of the Council in the exercise of his powers or duties under the Scheme or under any of the foregoing byelaws.
10. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing byelaws shall be liable on summary convictions to a fine not exceeding £20.
11. It shall be lawful for any officer of the Council after due warning to remove from the common any vehicle or animal drawn, driven or placed thereon in contravention of the Scheme or any of the foregoing byelaws or to remove from the common any person who in his view infringes any such byelaws or any provision of the Vagrancy Acts.