

We're fundraising for a Village Green

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PLEASE HELP TO PROTECT OUR GREEN BELT FROM DEVELOPMENT - FOREVER!

We're raising funds to award Village Green status on part of our local Green Belt (Stokes Field Nature Reserve & One Tree Hill)

Please help us:

- **Keep it green** – Prevent development and keep our green space – forever
- **Keep it natural** – Protect the natural environment and keep our air clean
- **Keep it open** – Preserve its openness for exercise, mental health and recreation – for us all now, and for future generations

Questions?
See FAQs
overleaf



How can you help? – Here are 3 easy ways to donate:

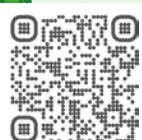
SINGLE DONATION

BANK TRANSFER:

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CHEQUE:

'Save HWLD Green Belt'
Post to: 7 Chalcott Gdns,
Long Ditton, KT6 5HJ



COLLECTION POT:
<https://bit.ly/hwldvillagegreen>

MONTHLY STANDING ORDER

! UPDATED DETAILS:

ACCOUNT NAME:
SAVE HWLD GREEN BELT

ACCOUNT NUMBER:
83301962

SORT CODE:
30-98-97

DONATE ANONYMOUSLY

Please contact
Paul Bartlett, Treasurer,
Long Ditton Residents'
Association

paul.bartlett@longditton.org

*(You can also make an
anonymous donation via
Collection Pot, see left)*

Every little helps! To date we have received...

- Single, one-off donations ranging from £5 up to £500
- Monthly standing orders of up to £20 per month
- Anonymous donations of £250 up to £2,000

THANK YOU!
TO EVERYONE WHO
HAS HELPED SO FAR!

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FAQs

1. Who is raising the money?

We're a small group of local residents, living in Long Ditton and Hinchley Wood.

2. Why do you need to raise money?

We've applied to get Village Green (VG) status on our local Green Belt. This is going to a Public Inquiry in April 2023. We need to pay for expert reports, legal fees and a specialist VG Barrister.

3. If the land is already in the Green Belt, why does it need VG status?

Local Green Belt, including the area known as One Tree Hill and Stokes Field, has previously been at risk – some of the land was highlighted for development. There's a real risk this could happen again and VG status is the only way to ensure a public space is protected and preserved forever.

4. How much money do you need to raise?

We estimate we need £50,000 for the legal process. We know this is a lot, but with your help, we are confident it can be done.

5. How do I know this is a legitimate cause?

You can find out more about us and the VG application, as well as see a map of the area, on our website – savehwldgreenbelt.co.uk Also, we are supported by the Long Ditton Residents' Association (LDRA)



How can you help?
See details overleaf

6. What if there are excess funds? Where will my money go?

Everyone in the team is a volunteer. If we raise more money than we need to cover costs, the excess will be put back into the community, via local Residents' Associations.

7. How do I donate and how much?

See overleaf for details of how to donate. So far, local residents have made single donations, or set up monthly standing orders... as little as £5 to up to £2,000. Every little helps.

For more FAQs or to find out about future fundraising events, go to our website – savehwldgreenbelt.co.uk or follow us on Facebook (search 'HWLD Greenbelt')

3 key reasons we need to secure Village Green status:

1
To protect it from development.

To keep it as open and accessible as it is today for residents and future generations to come

2
To maintain a natural environment. This is vital to tackle the climate emergency and protect the air quality, where we all live

3
For our health and well-being. Covid-19 lockdowns proved how important the space was for our physical and mental health