

Consultation on Heritable and Moveable Asset Registers for former Burgh of Eyemouth

Appendix 1: Submissions to Consultation and Officers' Responses

	Consultation Comment	SBC Response	Recommended action
1	Old cemetery	The cemetery was purchased in 1855 under the Burial grounds (Scotland) Act 1855. As it was acquired for statutory purposes, it is not Common Good.	No action
2	High street Old Cemetery, Watch house and Remembrance Garden	This property is not owned by SBC and it has not been possible so far to ascertain ownership. SBC grounds maintenance do upkeep this asset.	List this asset in the CG register as 'under investigation'
3	Land at old High School pitches	The old High School was not owned by the Burgh, but rather by the County Council Education Authority. Accordingly, it does not form part of the Common Good.	No action
4	Rose garden, Manse Road	This is the flower bed outside Library. The land was part of the roadway originally owned by the Church of Scotland and purchased by the County Council in 1966. As this area was not owned by the Burgh, it is not part of the Common Good.	No action
5	Memorial wood at Gunsgreen	The land owned by SBC at Gunsgreen was acquired by statutory conveyance in 1993 by Borders Regional Council. Since it was never owned by	No action

		the Burgh, it does not form part of the Common Good.	
6	The Bantry	The seafront was acquired from the Crown in 1975, acting under the Crown Estate Act 1961, for the purposes of obtaining title to carry out Coastal protection Works. It is not therefore a common good asset.	No action
7	The Loaning	The respondent has been asked for further information about where this asset is located. In the event that relevant information is provided, this query can be considered.	No current action
8	Community centre on Albert Road	This property was never owned by the Burgh Council and therefore cannot be Common Good. It was acquired by the school board in 1875 and 1879.	No action
9	Playing pitches Killedraughts Bay	This area forms part of land acquired by the Burgh for housing in 1975. It is not therefore a common good asset.	No action
10	Playparks at : Northburn Rd (SBC call this Coldingham Road park) Johns Road (SBC call this Gunsreen park)	The land for this park was purchased by the Burgh in 1975 for the purpose of housing. It is not therefore a common good asset. This land was purchased in terms of the Physical Training and Recreation Act 1937, and further to Compulsory Purchase Order 1968 and is not therefore a common good asset.	No action

	The Bantry (SBC call this the Seafront park)	The land for this park was acquired from the Crown at the time of acquisition of the Bantry are for sea defences. As the land was acquired for statutory purposes, it is not a common good asset.	
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