



THETFORD TOWN COUNCIL

Thetford Town Council is looking for a grazier who can supply animals to graze Barnham Cross Common and Ford Meadow. The area is being grazed for conservation purposes to restore the habitat that is important to the rare plants and insects that are native to Barnham Cross Common. This is a common which is an open access site that is well used by the residents of Thetford. The Town Council are looking for someone who has the following:-

- A proven track record of managing a variety of grazing animals.
- Provide evidence of appropriate insurance.
- Provide evidence of understanding and compliance with the health and safety and animal husbandry legislative framework.
- A willingness to work with the Town Council to inform the public and deal with the challenges of the site.
- A local connection to the town/land if possible.
- Provide a year's commitment to grazing.

The Town Council are asking potential graziers to submit an expression of interest by completing the attached application form. Please return the completed expression of interest form to the address below by Monday the 6th of March 2017, marked for the attention of Roz Barnett. Interviews will be held with interested parties in March to discuss how the grazing would work in practice with the view to getting animals on site as soon as possible. The Town Council would initially seek to provide an annual licence to the successful applicant. For more information contact Roz Barnett, by phone 01842 770253 or Email: rosalindbarnett@thetfordtowncouncil.gov.uk.

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Section 1 – Confidential Contact details.					
Name of Applicant :					
Contact Telephone Numbers:					
Address:					
Postcode:					
Email address:					
Referee who can provide details of your experience on managing animals or conservation grazing.					
Name of Referee					
Contact Number:					
Address:					
Postcode:					
Email address:					
Please tick the types of animals that you could provide for grazing					
Sheep	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cattle	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ponies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: Please specify					
Please Tick the statements that apply to your expression of interest.					
I currently have or would be willing to get public liability insurance <input type="checkbox"/>					
I will indemnify the council against any losses to my livestock whilst grazing on Town Council land. <input type="checkbox"/>					
I would be happy to provide evidence of understanding and compliance with the health/safety and animal husbandry legislative framework. <input type="checkbox"/>					
I currently have local knowledge of the area. <input type="checkbox"/>					
I would be happy to commit to grazing the land for a one year period. <input type="checkbox"/>					
I would be happy to work with the council to address some of the issues of grazing this public site. <input type="checkbox"/>					
Signed			Date		
Please return to the address below by Monday the 6 th of March 2017					

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