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10th May 2017

Richard Heard Maldon District Council Princess Road Maldon

Dear Richard,

Maldon Mud Race 7th May 2017, Promenade Park Maldon

I am writing on behalf of the Charity to thank you and your staff for the excellent support you and your staff in supporting the event over the two days of the initial setup day the event and take down.

As you are aware we are concerned with regard to the main promenade park, car parks and the hours laid down in your letter concerning the hours in which the charity would benefit from 50% of the net proceeds on the day of the race, this being two hours before the race and two hours after the race.

The race this year was scheduled for a 16.30pm start which effectively means that we would receive net monies between the hours of 14.30pm and 18.30pm. The charity as in the past provided car park stewards, at its own significant cost, to provide management of the park car parks from 09.30am until 18.00pm this year.

Clearly the car parks will start to fill well before 14.30pm of which the Council would receive full benefit of fees collected. The Charity has in the past, controlled the Car parks and charged each vehicle on entry, however we changed to using the automatic machines which give a print out of the receipts for the day.

We would therefore ask the council to reconsider the four hour limit and ask that the times when the Charity receives the benefit of the charges from 11.30am to 17.30pm this year

Yours sincerely

Brian K Farrington Chairman

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