A pitch which is not occupied by a caravan, or a mooring which is not occupied by a boat, is exempt from Council Tax while it remains empty.

### Proof you need to send with this application form

We need a letter to confirm:

- that the pitch or mooring is unoccupied
- the date the pitch or mooring became unoccupied

Warning: You must pay Council Tax while you wait for us to decide if you're eligible for a discount. If you do not pay, we'll start the Council Tax recovery process.

|  | 1. | About your | eligibility f | for this | discount o | r exemptior |
|--|----|------------|---------------|----------|------------|-------------|
|--|----|------------|---------------|----------|------------|-------------|

☐ I confirm that the pitch or mooring is unoccupied

### 2. About the Council Tax payer

| Council Tax account number  This is 8-digits. You can find it at the top of your  Council Tax bill. | Date the discount or exemption should start              |  |
|---|--|--|
|   | DD/MM/YYYY   |  |
| Full name of the Council Tax payer  | Full address of the pitch or mooring you're applying for |  |
|   |  |  |



# 3. About the pitch or mooring

| Date the pitch or   | DD/MM/YYYY           |               |  |  |  |
|---|----------------------|---------------|--|--|--|
| Tell us about who owns the land where the pitch or mooring is |                      |               |  |  |  |
| Full name of land   | Address of landowner |               |  |  |  |
|   |                      |               |  |  |  |
|   |                      |               |  |  |  |
|   |                      |               |  |  |  |
| Daytime phone number  |                      | Email address |  |  |  |

#### 4. About the household

Tell us who's moved because the pitch or mooring is now unoccupied.

| Number of people who lived at the pitch or mooring address |               |               |                |               |    |
|--|---------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----|
| Full name  | Date of birth | Date moved in | Date moved out | Current addre | ss |
| 1)   | DD/MM/YYYY    | DD/MM/YYYY    | DD/MM/YYYY     |               |    |
| 2)   | DD/MM/YYYY    | DD/MM/YYYY    | DD/MM/YYYY     |               |    |
| 3)   | DD/MM/YYYY    | DD/MM/YYYY    | DD/MM/YYYY     |               |    |

## 5. Proof required

| I have included a letter confirming the pitch or mooring is unoccupied and the | Yes |
|--|-----|
| date it became unoccupied  |     |

We may also need to visit the property. If we do, one of our team will contact you to arrange a convenient time.



#### 6. Declaration

You must read and agree to the terms and conditions of this discount or exemption.

By applying, you confirm that:

- the information you've given on this form is correct and complete
- you agree to tell us straight away about any change in your circumstances that may affect your entitlement
- you acknowledge that providing false information or failing to tell us about a change in your circumstances for the purpose of claiming or retaining a Council Tax reduction or discount is an offence that could result in the Royal Borough of Greenwich issuing court proceedings against you
- you understand that we have a duty to protect the public funds we administer.
   We may use the information you've provided on this form within this authority for the prevention and detection of fraud. We may also share this information with other bodies administering public funds which may include other councils and government departments

☐ I confirm I have read, understood and agree to comply with the declaration above.

| Full name (use capital letters) | Signature     |            |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|
|                                 |               |            |
| Daytime phone number            | Email address | Date       |
|                                 |               | DD/MM/YYYY |

Send every page of this form, with your proof, to us by email or post to:

Email: <a href="mailto:counciltax@royalgreenwich.gov.uk">counciltax@royalgreenwich.gov.uk</a>

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### What happens next

It can take up to 21 days for us to process your application and decide if you're eligible.

We may ask you for more proof. If you're eligible, we'll send you an updated bill.

You must tell us within 21 days about any change in your circumstances that may affect your entitlement to a discount or exemption. If you do not tell us, you could get a £70 fixed penalty.

### Appeal a decision

If you're not happy with our decision you can appeal to us in writing within 28 days. Find out how to appeal, at: <a href="mailto:royalgreenwich.gov.uk/appeal-council-tax">royalgreenwich.gov.uk/appeal-council-tax</a>

