

C CJC Commissions and Justices of the Peace 1836-1972
and Deputy Recorder for
Kingston upon Hull, records

Historical Background: Hull was first granted the right to appoint its own magistrates, also known as Justices of the Peace (JPs) in 1440. The Magistrates courts are the lowest level of courts in England, and are where almost all criminal proceedings start. JPs are also known as Commissions for the Peace, and are appointed by Letters Patent. Court Recorders, another historic position, were appointed by the mayor and aldermen to 'record' the proceedings of the court and the customs of the borough.

Custodial history: Passed to the City Archives by the Clerk of the Peace in the 1970s

Description: Letters of the Deputy Recorder and the Clerk of the Peace, a Letters Patent of appointments and a supplemental list of Justices of the Peace

Extent: 17 items

Access conditions: Access will be granted to any accredited reader

C CJC/1	Letters of the Deputy Recorder and Clerk of the Peace for Hull 15 items	13 Jan 1836- 21 Mar 1836
C CJC/1/1	Letter from Deputy Recorder of Hull, William Hildyard of Temple, London to the Secretary of State, Lord John Russell Regarding the proportion of money allocated to the County of Hull for the county rates 1 item	13 Jan 1836
C CJC/1/2	Letter from Deputy Recorder of Hull, William Hildyard of Temple, London to Mr E. Gisbon, Esq. Regarding the proportion of money allocated to the County of Hull for the county rates 1 item	16 Jan 1836
C CJC/1/3	Letter from the Secretary of State's office, Whitehall to the Deputy Recorder of Hull, William Hildyard of Temple, London Regarding the proportion of money allocated to the County of Hull for the county rates 1 item	16 Jan 1836
C CJC/1/4	Letter from Edward Gibson of Drypool to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace declining to serve as a magistrate for the Borough of Hull 1 item	23 Feb 1836

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C CJC/1/5	Letter from James Bowden of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace requesting Codd seek a writ from the Crown Office, to enable Bowden to qualify as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	23 Feb 1836
C CJC/1/6	Letter from James Bowden of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace requesting Codd seek a writ from the Crown Office, to enable Bowden to qualify as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	25 Feb 1836
C CJC/1/7	Letter from M. Chalmers of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace requesting Codd seek a writ from the Crown Office, to enable Chalmers to qualify as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	25 Feb 1836
C CJC/1/8	Letter from T. H. Watson [?] of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace regarding qualification as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	26 Feb 1836
C CJC/1/9	Letter from Jos. Sykes of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace informing him that it is his intention to qualify as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	26 Feb 1836
C CJC/1/10	Letter from Richard Tottie of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace requesting Codd seek a writ from the Crown Office, to enable Tottie to qualify as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	27 Feb 1836
C CJC/1/11	Letter from George Cookman of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace requesting Codd put the preliminary steps in place for him to qualify as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	27 Feb 1836
C CJC/1/12	Letter from Henry Broadley of Pall Mall, London to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace informing him that it is not his intention to qualifying as a Justice of the Peace in Hull 1 item	30 Mar 1836
C CJC/1/13	Letter from John Todd of Newcastle upon Tyne to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace informing him that qualifying as a Justice of the Peace in Hull is unnecessary 1 item	21 Mar 1836

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C CJC/1/14	Letter from W.B. Carrick of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace informing him that he intends to qualify as a Justice of the Peace 1 item	c.1836
C CJC/1/15	Letter from B.M. Jalland of Hull to George Codd, Clerk of the Peace thanking him for his recent work 1 item	c.1836
C CJC/2	Records of appointment to the Commission of the Peace for Kingston upon Hull 3 items	1878-1972
C CJC/2/1	Letters Patent for the appointment of the Commission of the Peace, for the Borough, Town, City and County of Kingston upon Hull A schedule listing all those appointed as Justices of the Peace, including dates of appointment with some notes on the circumstances in which individuals retired from the bench. Sealed and dated as the 1st March, Vict. 41st year. 1 item	1 Mar 1878- 14 Jun 1972
C CJC/2/2	Supplemental list of those appointed Justices of the Peace for Kingston upon Hull Lists the justices, with additional notes regarding when some members died and when others were transferred off the list 1 item	c.1964
C CJC/2/3	Notes regarding the processes for Justices of the Peace in Hull who have died or are seeking transfer from active to supplemental lists 1 item	16 Dec 1959