

C TMCE **Records of condolence on the death of** **Sep 2022**
HRH Queen Elizabeth II

Accession number: 22/23 and 22/25

Biographical Background: HRH Queen Elizabeth II ascended to the throne of the United Kingdom in 1951 on the death of her father, King George IV. She became the country's longest reigning monarch, with a Silver Jubilee (1977), Golden Jubilee (2002), Diamond Jubilee (2012) and Platinum Jubilee (2022), the latter celebrated just a few months before her death in September 2022. She was succeeded by her son, King Charles III.

Custodial history: The Books of Condolence were placed in the Ferens Art Gallery and Hull Central Library, then collected by Hull Culture & Leisure and passed to the Civic Office in Hull, who transferred them to the Hull History Centre in October 2022.

Description: Letter of Condolence from Hull's sister city, Raleigh, South Carolina; Ring binders acting as the Book of Condolence; Tributes and bouquet cards of condolence

Extent: Half a box

Access conditions: Access will be granted to any accredited reader

C TMCE/1	Letter of Condolence from Hull's sister city, Raleigh, South Carolina on the death of HRH Queen Elizabeth II Addressed to the Lord Mayor of Hull, Christine Randall and signed by Katey Ahmann, Hull Ambassador; Mary Clare Freeman, Gibraltar Ambassador; Mary-Ann Baldwin, City of Raleigh Mayor and Cody Charland, Raleigh Sister Cities President. 1 item	12 Sep 2022
C TMCE/2	Books of condolence compiled on the death of HRH Queen Elizabeth II Books opened at the 11 branch libraries, Hull Central Library and Ferens Art Gallery, Hull, between 9-20 September, 2022 1 folder	9-22 Sep 2022
C TMCE/3	Tributes and bouquet cards of condolence on the death of HRH Queen Elizabeth II Cards collected from the floral tributes left at Queen Victoria Square in Hull by individuals, families and organisations. Includes cards made by children in Year 1 at St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Primary School, Hull. 1 bundle	Sep 2022