

**Petition – for payment as Impounder by wages**

To  
His Worship The Mayor and the Councillors of the City of Sandhurst

The Humble Petition of Thomas Northam Simpson of Charleston Road in the City of Sandhurst

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That your Petitioner had during the last Twelve months acted as Impounder of Cattle and Goats and Dog Inspector for the City Council

That during such time your Petitioner has been paid for his services by proceeds from the fines and fees for poundage

That your Petitioner has to employ an Assistant to help him and also to appear as a Witness in the Court of Petty Sessions when your Petitioner is compelled to take a Case there

That your Petitioner has to pay such Assistant out of his own funds

That your Petitioner is desirous instead of being paid by proceeds out of fines and poundage fees that he should be paid by Salary

That your Petitioner is of opinion that if such were the case the Revenue of the Council would be materially increased for this reason that your Petitioner knowing that he was an Officer under the City Council and having a salary would use every effort to shew that he faithfully discharged his duty

Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays that you may take his case into your consieration and be pleased to give him such salary as may seem meet

And your Petitioner will ever pray

Thomas Northam Simpson

[11 October 1872]

**Petitioner**

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**Surname**

Simpson

**First name**

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