

# WIVENHOE TOWNSCAPE FORUM: LOCAL LIST RECORDING SHEET AREA C

**ADDRESS** Horse and Groom, 55 The Cross, Wivenhoe

**POST CODE** CO7 9QL

**WARD**

Cross

**Quay**

**CONSERVATION AREA**

YES

**NO**

**MAP REFERENCE** TM 040228

**PHOTOGRAPH**

YES

NO

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**DATE OF ASSET** 18<sup>th</sup> Century, extended 19<sup>th</sup> century

**TYPE OF ASSET** **Building** Group Landscape Vista Item Other (please specify)

## DESCRIPTION

Public House. Red brick, mostly rendered. Tiled roof.

## HISTORY AND CONNECTIONS

The Horse and Groom, formerly known as the King's Arms, first appeared in the licensing records of 1772. It seems to have traded successfully until c1870 when it disappears from the Directories, until reappearing circa 1885.

## RESEARCH SOURCES

Kay, P. *Wivenhoe Pubs* (2003), p19

'Deed of the 'King's Arms' or The Horse and Groom'  
Wivenhoe 1785, ERO D/DB T1306



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## CRITERIA: HIGHLIGHT IN BOLD AS APPROPRIATE

**ARCHITECTURAL VALUE** A++ (very high) A+ (good)

T-F (timber-framed i.e. C18th or earlier)

?T-F (timber-framed – needs investigation)

**HISTORIC VALUE** H++ **H+**

**CONDITION** C++ (complete with no inappropriate alterations/extensions)

C+ (largely complete)

**C (good or restorable)**

**OTHER VALUES** I = iconic value **H = contribution to the historic area in which it stands**

P = prominence Q = quirkiness R = local rarity S = sustainability

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