

LICENSING COMMITTEE
Tuesday, 19th November 2013

PRESENT: *Councillor Humphrys (in the Chair), Councillors Brookfield, Davies, Gee, Humphrys, Oldfield, D. Pearson, Khonat, Tapp and Walsh*

RESOLUTIONS

24. Welcome and Apologies

The Chair welcomed those present and apologies from Councillors Wright, F. Hussain, I Hussain and Solkar.

25. Minutes of the meeting held on 23rd September 2013.

RESOLVED - That the Minutes of the meeting held on 23rd September 2013 be received and signed as a correct record.

26. Declarations of Interest in items on this agenda

There were no declarations of interest made.

27. Proposed Introduction of Intended Use Policy

The Committee received a report informing members and seeking views on the introduction of an intended use policies across Lancashire.

Resolved-

That the committee notes the report and supports the introduction of an intended use policy across Lancashire.

29. Exclusion of Press and Public.

It was resolved that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items by virtue of Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

30. Minutes of the Licensing Sub-Committees.

Resolved-

That the minutes of the General Licensing Sub-Committees held on 13th, 22nd and 30th July and 22nd October 2013 and Licensing Act Sub-Committee held on 13th August and 1st October be approved as a correct record..

Signed.....

Chair of the meeting at which the Minutes were signed

Date.....

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE LICENSING COMMITTEE
Tuesday, 7th January 2014.

PRESENT: *Councillor Wright,(in the Chair), Councillors Gee, Humphrys, Oldfield, Hussain I, Hussain ,F. and Tapp.*

RESOLUTIONS

24 Welcome and Apologies

The Chair welcomed those present and apologies from Councillors Brookfield, Davies, Solkar and Walsh.

26. Declarations of Interest in items on this agenda

There were no declarations of interest made.

27. Consultation on the Blackburn with Darwen Draft Alcohol Strategy.

The Committee received a report informing members of the progress of the Blackburn with Darwen's Multi Agency Draft Alcohol Strategy. The report outlined the four key aims of the strategy which were

- To ensure all sections of the alcohol trade promote sensible retailing that supports a reduction in alcohol related harm.
- To ensure a Health and Wellbeing focussed treatment and recovery support is employed to address the needs of persons and their families experience alcohol related miss use.
- To ensure that a co-ordinated whole family approach is taken for initiatives.
- To mitigate the role of alcohol in fuelling crime, anti-social behaviour, violence and domestic abuse.

RESOLVED- That the committee notes the report and supports the key aims of the Alcohol Strategy.

28. Terms and Conditions of Hackney Carriage Vehicles.

The Committee received a report seeking views in relation to the current policy in relation to terms and conditions of the Hackney Carriage Vehicles. The committee considered the issue at the request of the General Licensing Sub-Committee who had recently considered a request to license a white Peugeot E7 as a Hackney Vehicle which was against the policy. In considering the application a number of documents outlining case law relating to the issue had been submitted which the sub-committee had felt should be addressed by the committee in relation to their existing policy and the policy reconsidered.

RESOLVED- 1. That the report and information now submitted be noted.
2. That the Committee recommend to the Executive Member that no changes be made to the current terms and Conditions for Hackney Vehicles.

Signed.....
Chair of the meeting at which the Minutes were signed

Date.....