

LICENSING, ENVIRONMENT & SAFETY COMMITTEE

Meeting: 4 September 2019

At: 6.00 pm

PRESENT

Councillor Alanna Vine (Chair) in the chair; Councillor David Sedgwick (Vice-Chair); Councillors Stuart Corris, Dickie Davies, Dean Fitzpatrick, Chris Gordon, Wendy Meikle, Adrian Nottingham, Mark Weldon and Matt Wynne.

1. MINUTES

The Minutes (copies of which had been circulated) of the meeting held on 31 July 2019 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

2. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND THE PUBLIC INTEREST TEST

RESOLVED – That the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of Agenda Items 6-11 to prevent the disclosure of information relating to an individual as defined in paragraph 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), the disclosure of which would not be in the public interest, would not be fair to the applicants and would breach their data protection principles.

3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillors and Officers were invited to declare any interests they had in any of the items on the agenda for the meeting.

No such interests were declared.

4. URGENT DECISIONS

A representative of the Corporate Director for Place Management and Regeneration reported that the Corporate Director, in consultation with the Chair, had taken urgent action to suspend 30 hire car drivers' licences. There had been no driver licence revocations.

5. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

No public questions were submitted.

6. CASE NUMBER P1723

A representative of the Corporate Director for Place Management and Regeneration submitted a report (copies of which had been circulated) requesting the Committee to consider whether the applicant was a fit and proper person to hold a hire car driver's licence in view of the applicant's previous conviction.

The Committee interviewed the driver in relation to these matters.

RESOLVED – That the application be granted.

7. CASE NUMBER P1725

A representative of the Corporate Director for Place Management and Regeneration submitted a report (copies of which had been circulated) requesting the Committee to consider whether the existing driver continued to be a fit and proper person to continue to hold a hire car driver's licence in view of the driver's recent conduct.

The Committee interviewed the driver in relation to these matters.

RESOLVED – That no further action be taken.

8. CASE NUMBER P1727

With the consent of the Committee, this item was withdrawn.

9. CASE NUMBER P1728

A representative of the Corporate Director for Place Management and Regeneration submitted a report (copies of which had been circulated) requesting the Committee to consider whether the applicant was a fit and proper person to hold a hire car driver's licence in view of the applicant's previous convictions.

The Committee interviewed the driver in relation to these matters.

RESOLVED – That the application be refused.

10. CASE NUMBER P1729

A representative of the Corporate Director for Place Management and Regeneration submitted a report (copies of which had been circulated) requesting the Committee to consider whether the existing driver continued to be a fit and proper person to hold a hire car driver's licence in view of the driver's recent conduct.

The Committee interviewed the driver in relation to these matters.

RESOLVED – That no further action be taken.

11. CASE NUMBER P1730

A representative of the Corporate Director for Place Management and Regeneration submitted a report (copies of which had been circulated) requesting the Committee to consider whether the existing driver continued to be a fit and proper person to hold a hire car driver's licence in view of the driver's recent conduct.

The Committee interviewed the driver in relation to these matters.

RESOLVED – That no further action be taken.

The meeting closed at 7.20 pm