

LICENSING, ENVIRONMENT & SAFETY COMMITTEE

Meeting: 27 September 2023
At: 6.00 pm

PRESENT

Councillor Shan Alexander (Chair) in the chair; Councillor Dickie Davies (Vice-Chair); Councillors Grace Baynham, Liz Crix, Dean Fitzpatrick, Helen Foster-Grime, Will Sharp, Kerry Waters and Pete West.

1. MINUTES

The minutes (copies of which had been circulated) of the meeting held on 5 July 2023 were approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillors and officers were invited to declare any interest that they had in any of the items on the agenda for the meeting.

No declarations of interest were made.

3. URGENT DECISIONS

No urgent decisions were reported.

4. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

No public questions were submitted.

5. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND THE PUBLIC INTEREST TEST

RESOLVED – That in order to prevent the disclosure of information which was not for publication, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of agenda items 6 & 7, relating to paragraph 1 (Information relating to any individual) and paragraph 2 (Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual) of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

6. CASE NUMBER P1770

A representative of the Director of Place Management 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 private 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 granted.

7. CASE NUMBER P1771

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A representative of the Director of Place Management submitted a report (copies of which had been circulated) requesting the committee to consider whether the existing private hire care driver remained a 'fit and proper' person to hold a private hire car driver's licence in view of the applicant's recent convictions. The Committee interviewed the driver in relation to these matters.

RESOLVED – That the driver's licence be suspended for a period of 4 weeks.

The meeting closed at 7.28 pm