



Promoting City, Coast & Countryside

Committee: LICENSING COMMITTEE

Date: THURSDAY, 6 JANUARY 2022

Venue: MORECAMBE TOWN HALL

*Time:* 1.00 P.M.

# AGENDA

### 1. **Apologies for Absence**

## 2. Minutes

Minutes of meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2021 (previously circulated).

## 3. Items of Urgent Business authorised by the Chair

### 4. **Declarations of Interest**

To receive declarations by Councillors of interests in respect of items on this Agenda.

Councillors are reminded that, in accordance with the Localism Act 2011, they are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests which have not already been declared in the Council's Register of Interests. (It is a criminal offence not to declare a disclosable pecuniary interest either in the Register or at the meeting).

Whilst not a legal requirement, in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 9 and in the interests of clarity and transparency, Councillors should declare any disclosable pecuniary interests which they have already declared in the Register, at this point in the meeting.

In accordance with Part B Section 2 of the Code Of Conduct, Councillors are required to declare the existence and nature of any other interests as defined in paragraphs 8(1) or 9(2) of the Code of Conduct.

Exclusion of the Press and Public

### 5. Exempt Item

The Committee is recommended to pass the following recommendation in relation to the following items:

"That, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business, on the ground that they could involve the possible disclosure of exempt information, as defined in paragraph 1 of Schedule 12A of that Act."

Councillors are reminded that, whilst the following items have been marked as exempt, it is for the Committee to decide whether or not to consider them in private or in public. In making the decision, Councillors should consider the relevant paragraph of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, and also whether the public interest in maintaining the

exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information. In considering their discretion, Councillors should also be mindful of the advice of Council officers.

## 6. **Existing dual hackney carriage and private hire drivers licence** (Pages 4 - 9)

Report of the Licensing Manager

## 7. **Existing Dual Drivers Licence Holder** (Pages 10 - 25)

Report of the Licensing Manager

**Note:** Item deferred from meeting of the 18<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

## 8. Urgent Business Report - Decision taken in respect of a review of a Dual Drivers Licence (Pages 26 - 40)

Report of the Licensing Manager

The press and public will be readmitted to the meeting at this point.

## 9. Taxi Licensing Policy - Final Draft (Pages 41 - 226)

Report of the Licensing Manager

## 10. Hackney Carriage Fare Review (Pages 227 - 233)

Report of the Licensing Manager

This report was marked 'to follow' and was published on 5<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

### ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

### (i) Membership

Councillors Colin Hartley (Chair), Mel Guilding (Vice-Chair), Paul Anderton, Mandy Bannon, Gerry Blaikie, Roger Dennison, Merv Evans, Joan Jackson, Abi Mills and Jean Parr

### (ii) Queries regarding this Agenda

Please contact Sarah Moorghen, Democratic Services - email smoorghen@lancaster.gov.uk.

### (iii) Changes to Membership, or apologies

Please contact Democratic Support, telephone 582170, or alternatively email <u>democracy@lancaster.gov.uk</u>.

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