

Minutes of the Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Committee

(to be confirmed at the next meeting)

Date: Thursday, 12 May 2016

Venue: Collingwood Room - Civic Offices

PRESENT:

Councillor Mrs P M Bryant (Chairman)

Councillor T M Cartwright, MBE (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors: Mrs S M Bayford, Miss S M Bell, Mrs T L Ellis, M J Ford, JP, Mrs C Heneghan, L Keeble, A Mandry, Mrs K Mandry, Ms S Pankhurst, R H Price, JP and Mrs K K Trott

Also Present:



1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

An apology of absence was received from Councillor F W Birkett.

2. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Committee held on 22 March 2016 be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

3. APPOINTMENT OF LICENSING PANEL

The Committee was reminded that it had decided to appoint a Licensing Panel with rotating membership to hear and determine various applications under the Licensing Act 2003, applications to drive or operate hackney carriage or private hire vehicles and applications under the Gambling Act 2005. Members were reminded that, under the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003, such a Panel may only comprise three members.

RESOLVED that:-

- (a) a Licensing Panel be appointed for 2016/17 with those terms of reference and delegated powers previously determined by the Committee on 1 February 2005, as amended on 23 January 2007 and subsequently confirmed by the Council on 15 February 2007;
- (b) Councillor Mrs P M Bryant be appointed Chairman of the Licensing Panel for 2016/17, with the exception of any applications which fall into her Ward, whereby another member will be appointed Chairman for that meeting; and
- (c) members of the Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Committee be appointed to the Licensing Panel, such that it comprises the Chairman and two other members of the Committee, appointed on a rotating basis, subject to their having completed the necessary training.

4. APPOINTMENT OF TRADING CONCESSIONS PANEL

The Committee was reminded that it had decided to appoint a Trading Concessions Panel to deal with occasional issues arising from the grant of concessions in West Street, Fareham. The Committee was invited to appoint the Panel for 2016/17.

RESOLVED that:-

- (a) Councillors Miss S M Bell, Mrs P M Bryant, T M Cartwright, L Keeble and Mrs K Mandry be appointed to the Licensing Trading Concessions Panel for 2016/17; and
- (b) Councillor Mrs P M Bryant be appointed Chairman of the Licensing Trading Concessions Panel for 2016/17.

(The meeting started at 3.25 pm and ended at 3.32 pm).