

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Committee

(to be confirmed at the next meeting)

Date: Tuesday, 18 September 2018

Venue: Collingwood Room - Civic Offices

PRESENT:

Councillor Mrs P M Bryant (Chairman)

Councillor T M Cartwright, MBE (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors: I Bastable, Mrs S M Bayford, Miss S M Bell, F Birkett, T Davies,
M J Ford, JP, J S Forrest, Mrs C Heneghan, L Keeble,
Mrs K Mandry and S Cunningham (deputising for R H Price, JP)

**Also
Present:**



1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor R H Price, JP and Councillor Ms S Pankhurst.

2. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting of the Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Committee held on 19 June 2018 be confirmed and signed as a correct record.

3. CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chairman announced a change to the date of the Committee meeting scheduled to take place on 29 January 2019. The meeting will now be held on 06 February 2019.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest made at this meeting.

5. DEPUTATIONS

The Committee received a deputation from Mr J Miah, representing the Fareham Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Association, in respect of item 6 of the agenda – Review of Hackney Carriage Fares.

6. REVIEW OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE FARES

The Committee considered a report by the Head of Environmental Health which provided Members with information regarding hackney carriage fares.

The Committee received a deputation on this item from Mr J Miah, representing the Fareham Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Association.

Having considered the report and the responses received from individuals and the Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Association in respect of changes to the tariff, it was RESOLVED that the Committee recommends that the Executive approves the following changes to the current tariffs:

(a) a minimum pull off charge of £2.60 for the first 180 metres (or part thereof) with a charge of 20p for each succeeding 180 metres (or part thereafter);

(b) a charge of 20p for each period of 55 seconds waiting time (or part thereof); and

(c) that Easter Sunday from 0600 hours until 23.30 hours be charged at Rate 2.

7. LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME

The Committee considered a report by the Head of Environmental Health on the Committee's Work Programme for 2018/19.

As discussed at Item 3 of the agenda, the Committee noted that the date of the meeting scheduled to take place on 29 January 2019 has been changed to 06 February 2019.

RESOLVED that the Licensing and Regulatory Affairs Committee:

- (a) notes the progress on actions arising from the meeting of the Committee held on 19 June 2018, as shown in Appendix A to the report; and
- (b) subject to the revision of the date of the meeting scheduled to take place in January, approves the updated Work Programme for 2018/19 as attached as Appendix B to the report.

(The meeting started at 6.00 pm
and ended at 6.25 pm).