

A G E N D A

LICENSING COMMITTEE

Tuesday 31 January 2017 at 6.00 pm
Committee Room A, Royal Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN1 1RS

Members: Councillor Backhouse (Chairman), Councillors Mrs Cobbold, Dawlings, Heasman, Hill, Hills, Huggett, Jamil, Lidstone, Noakes, Nuttall, Podbury, Sloan (Vice-Chairman), Williams and Woodward

Quorum: 4 Members

1 Apologies for Absence

2 Declarations of Interest:

To receive any declarations of interest by members in items on the agenda. For any advice on declarations of interest, please contact the Monitoring Officer.

3 Notification of Visiting Members wishing to speak (in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 18):

Members should indicate which item(s) they wish to speak on and the nature of their concern/question/request for clarification.

4 Reports of Head of Environment and Street Scene

- (A) * Revised Statement of Principles for Gambling Act 2005 Policy (Pages 1 - 56)
- (B) Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing: Licence Fees and Charges Fees 2017/2018 (to follow)

5 Urgent Business:

To consider any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent, for the reasons to be stated, in accordance with Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act 1972.

6 Date of Next Meeting

The next Licensing Committee to be held on Thursday 6 April 2017, at 6pm.

Cheryl Clark
Democratic Services Officer
cheryl.clark@tunbridgewells.gov.uk

Town Hall
ROYAL TUNBRIDGE WELLS
Kent TN1 1RS
Tel: 01892 554413 (Direct Line)



mod.gov app – go paperless

Easily download, annotate and keep all committee paperwork on your mobile device using the **mod.gov** app – all for free!.

Visit www.tunbridgewells.gov.uk/modgovapp for details.



All visitors wishing to attend a public meeting at the Town Hall between the hours of **9.00am and 5.00pm** should report to reception via the side entrance in Monson Way. **After 5pm**, access will be via the front door on the corner of Crescent Road and Mount Pleasant Road, except for disabled access which will continue by use of an 'out of hours' button at the entrance in Monson Way

Notes on Procedure

- (1) A list of background papers appears at the end of each report, where appropriate, pursuant to the Local Government Act 1972, section 100D(i).
- (2) Items marked * will be the subject of recommendations by the Licensing Committee to Full Council; in the case of other items, Licensing Committee may make the decision.
- (3) Members seeking factual information about agenda items are requested to contact the appropriate Service Manager prior to the meeting.
- (4) Members of the public and other stakeholders are required to register with the Democratic Services Officer if they wish to speak on an agenda item at a meeting. Places are limited to a maximum of four speakers per item. The deadline for registering to speak is 4.00 pm the last working day before the meeting. Each speaker will be given a maximum of 3 minutes to address the Committee.
- (5) Please note that this meeting may be recorded or filmed by the Council for administrative purposes. Any other third party may also record or film meetings, unless exempt or confidential information is being considered, but are requested as a courtesy to others to give notice of this to the Democratic Services Officer before the meeting. The Council is not liable for any third party recordings.

Further details are available on the website (www.tunbridgewells.gov.uk) or from Democratic Services.

◇ **If you require this information in another format, please contact us on 01892 526121**

◇ **Accessibility into and within the Town Hall - In response to the requirements of the Disability Discrimination Act 1995, the Council has provided the following features to overcome physical barriers to access.**

There is a wheelchair accessible lift by the main staircase, giving access to the first floor where the committee rooms are situated. There are a few steps leading to the Council Chamber itself but there is a platform chairlift in the foyer.

◇ **Hearing Loop System - The Council Chamber and all the Committee Rooms have been equipped with hearing induction loop systems. The Council Chamber also has a fully equipped audio-visual system.**