



Cambridge City Council

Licensing Committee

To: Councillors Benstead, Blencowe, Boyce, Dixon (Chair), Hart, Little, McGovern, Rosenstiel, Smith, Stuart (Vice Chair), Upstone, Wright
Alts: Shah (LD)

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Date: Monday 6 July 2009
Time: 10.00am
Place: Committee Room 1, The Guildhall
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Agenda

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2 Apologies

3 Declarations Of Interest

Members are asked to declare at this stage any interests, which they may have in any of the following items on the agenda. If any member is unsure whether or not they should declare an interest on a particular matter, they are requested to seek advice from the Head of Legal Services before the meeting.

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7 Delegation of Authority to Determine Street Trading Pitches to Licensing Subcommittees

Members will be aware that the Constitution currently requires applications for both new and existing street trading pitches to be determined at a meeting of the full Licensing Committee. As meetings of the Licensing Committee are not scheduled in the Council's meetings calendar it can be difficult to combine sufficient business to justify a meeting.

Members are invited to consider delegating the task of determining applications to the Licensing Sub-Committees. This would enable a faster turn around in decisions and allow the officers to provide a more responsive service.

No additional training or expertise is required for this role. The relevant ward members are consulted before the applications are heard and their comments are included in the officers' reports.

Recommendation

The Licensing Committee delegate authority to Licensing Subcommittees to determine the allocation of new and existing Street Trading pitches.

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