

Public Minutes of the Meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee held on 20 July 2023 at 7.00 pm

Present: Councillors Gary Collins (Chair), Ben Maney and Graham Snell

Apologies: Councillors Sue Sammons

In attendance: Applicant Minute 6
Applicant Minute 7
Paul Adams, Licensing Manager
Elizabeth Cox, Licensing Officer
Lois Bland, Legal Representative
Kenna-Victoria Healey, Senior Democratic Services Officer

4. Items of Urgent Business

There were no items of urgent business.

5. Declarations of Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

6. Determination Of A Request For A Hackney Carriage Vehicle To Be Licensed Beyond The Age Limit

The Chair of the Sub-Committee advised all present of the process of the hearing. He then invited the Licensing Officer to introduce the report as outlined within the agenda.

Members and the applicant were provided the chance to ask questions of the Licensing Officer.

The applicant was then given the opportunity to present his case. . Following this Members and the Licensing Officer were given the opportunity to ask questions of the applicant.

The Licensing Officer then provided a short summary to the Sub-Committee.

The applicant was asked to present a summary of his case to Members.

The Chair sought everyone had said all they wished too; it was agreed they had. The Sub-Committee then adjourned at 7.31pm for deliberation and were accompanied by the Legal Advisor and the Democratic Services Officer.

The meeting reconvened at 7.40pm

RESOLVED that the Licensing Sub-Committee refuse the application.

7. Renewal Of A Private Hire Driver Licence

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The meeting reconvened at 8.49pm

RESOLVED that the Licensing Sub-Committee refuse the application.

The meeting finished at 8.52 pm

Approved as a true and correct record

CHAIR

DATE

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