



EAST CAMBRIDGESHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

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MEETING: **LICENSING COMMITTEE**
TIME: 9.30am
DATE: Wednesday 19 October 2011
VENUE: Council Chamber, The Grange, Nutholt Lane, Ely
ENQUIRIES REGARDING THIS AGENDA: Melanie Sage
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Membership:

Conservative Members

Cllr Allen Alderson
Cllr Michael Allan (V-Chair)
Cllr Lavinia Edwards
Cllr Tony Goodge (Chair)
Cllr Bill Hunt
Cllr Tom Kerby
Cllr Charles Roberts
Cllr Sue Willows

Liberal Democrat Members

Cllr Ian Allen
Cllr Sue Austen (Spokes)
Cllr Lindsey Harris

Independent Members

Cllr John Palmer
Cllr Andy Wright

Lead Officer:

Liz Knox, Head of Environmental Services

Quorum: 5 Members

AGENDA

1. Apologies [ORAL]
2. Declarations of Interest [ORAL]
To receive declarations of interest from Members for any items on the Agenda in accordance with the Members Code of Conduct
3. Minutes
To receive and confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the Licensing Committee Meeting held on 14 September 2011
4. Chairman's Announcements [ORAL]

ITEMS FOR DECISION

5. Adoption of National Inspection Standards for Vehicle Testing of Private Hire and Hackney Carriages
6. Adoption of Stretched Limousine Licence Conditions

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

7. Forward Agenda Plan
8. Taxi Licensing Sub-Committee – to receive the records of the following meetings held on 14 September 2011 in respect of:
 - a. Mr “Alpha”
 - b. Mr “Charlie”

9. **EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

That the press and public be excluded during the consideration of the remaining Item No. 10 because it is likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that if members of the public were present during the item there would be disclosure to them of exempt information of Categories 1, 2 and 7 Part 1 Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as Amended)

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION - EXEMPT

10. Taxi Licensing Sub-Committee - to receive the exempt records of the following meetings held on 14 September 2011 in respect of:
 - a. Mr “Alpha”
 - b. Mr “Charlie”

NOTES:

1. Members of the public are welcome to attend this meeting. There are a number of schemes aimed at encouraging public participation in the Council's activities and meetings. These include public question times and a process to enable petitions to be submitted. Details of these can be obtained by calling any of the telephone numbers below or by logging onto the Council's website.

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- The Committee Officer will sweep the area to ensure that everyone is out of this area.

3. Reports are attached for each agenda item unless marked "oral".

4. If required all items on the agenda can be provided in different formats (e.g. large type, Braille or audio tape, or translated into other languages), on request, by calling Main Reception on (01353) 665555 or e-mail:
translate@eastcamb.gov.uk

5. If the Committee wishes to exclude the public and press from the meeting a resolution in the following terms will need to be passed:

"That the press and public be excluded during the consideration of the remaining items no. 10 because it is likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that if members of the public were present during the item there would be disclosure to them of exempt information of Categories 1, 2 and 7 Part I Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as Amended)."