

Notice of meeting of

Licensing & Regulatory Committee

To: Councillors Firth, Gillies (Chair), Horton, Looker and Moore (Vice-Chair)

Date: Friday, 5 March 2010

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: Guildhall

AGENDA

1. Declarations of Interest

At this point, Members are asked to declare any personal or prejudicial interests they may have in the business on this agenda.

2. Minutes

(Pages 1 - 4)

To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 8 January 2010.

3. Public Participation

At this point in the meeting, members of the public who have registered their wish to speak regarding an item on the agenda or an issue within the Committee's remit can do so. The deadline for registering is **5:00 pm on Thursday 4 March 2010**.

**4. Application to Register Land known as (Pages 5 - 38)
Fulford Cross Green, York, as a Town or
Village Green.**

The purpose of this report is to consider an application under Section 13 of the Commons Registration Act 1965 to register land known as Fulford Cross Green, York, as a town or village green.

**5. Suitability Criteria for New Hackney (Pages 39 - 48)
Carriage and Private Hire Drivers.**

Various policies relating to the licensing of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire drivers have been approved over the years. Operationally, Officers have adopted various work practices to apply the policies. This report seeks to consolidate those policies and procedures and to obtain Member's approval to update and amend where necessary.

**6. Competency Assessment and Disability (Pages 49 - 56)
Equality Training for Driver's of Wheelchair
Accessible Hackney Carriages and Private
Hire Vehicles.**

This report seeks Members' approval for the introduction of an assessment for the driver's of all licensed Hackney Carriage and Private Hire wheelchair accessible vehicles.

**7. Amendments to Hackney Carriage and (Pages 57 - 60)
Private Hire Licensing Criteria.**

This report requests Members to consider amending the Council's existing policy for Hackney Carriage and Private Hire vehicle inspection requirements in relation to the carrying of a spare wheel.

**8. Any other business which the Chair decides is
urgent under the Local Government Act 1972.**

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