

OFFICER DECISION

Decision: Relicensing the Artful Dodger for the solemnization of Marriages and Registration of Civil Partnership.			
Decision Date: 10/05/2024			
Type of Decision: Director		Key	Non-Key
		x	x
Portfolio Area that decision relates to:			
Leader (inc Corporate Services, Policy, Strategy & Partnerships)		Environment and Climate Emergency	
Economy & Transport		Finance, Performance, Major Projects & Equalities	x
Children, Young People and Education		Children, Young People & Education	
Health, Wellbeing and Adults Social Care		Housing, Planning & Safer Communities	
Background / Decision Summary:			
<p>The Artful Dodger currently holds a license for the solemnization of Marriages and Registration of Civil Partnership. The license is coming to an end and after completing the licensing process it is appropriate to reissue the license for a further 3 years.</p> <p>The period covered is from 10th May 2024 and continue, subject to revocation until the 9th May 2027.</p>			
Options Considered:			
To approve and not to approve			
Options Rejected:			
Not to approve			
Consultation Process:			
Application is published on our website for 21 days to allow anyone to scrutinize or object to the application. No comments were received.			
Implications			
Crime & Disorder		Equalities	Highways
Human Resources		Legal ^x	ICT
Financial ^x		Affordability	Property ^x
Climate Change		Health	Other
Environment		Human Rights	
Implications Contact:			

Level of Risk: Low**Wards Affected:**

All Wards		Fishergate		Holgate		Rural West York	
Acomb		Fulford & Heslington		Hull Road		Strensall	
Bishopthorpe		Guildhall		Huntington & New Earswick		Westfield	
Clifton		Haxby & Wigginton		Micklelegate	x	Wheldrake	
Copmanthorpe		Heworth		Osbalwick & Derwent			
Dringhouses & Woodthorpe		Heworth Without		Rawcliffe & Clifton			

Comments/Observations:

No reason has been found not to renew this license, holding marriages and civil partnerships in York contributes to the council's income and the local economy.

Decision: Reissue license

Decision Made by:

Contact Details: pauline.stuchfield@york.gov.uk

On behalf of: Pauline Stuchfield, Director of Customer and Communities

To be implemented by:

Amanda Sykes

On Completion – Signed off by:



Date:

10/5/2024