Review of Taxi Licensing Policy – Suggested Remit

Aim

To ensure the council has an up to date Taxi Licensing Policy which is robust and fit for purpose.

Key Objectives

- i. To consider the future allocation of hackney carriage vehicle licences having regard to the Department for Transports Best Practice Guidance for Taxi & Private Hire Licensing, in meeting the needs of all potential members of the travelling public
- ii. To examine the provision and usage of taxi ranks in the city
- iii. To examine conditions attached to vehicle licences, in particular with regard to accessibility, emissions, vehicle colour and window tinting
- iv. To look at innovative ways in which the licensed taxi and private fleet may enhance the public transport provision both within the city and in rural communities