

Decisions of the Licensing Committee

11 November 2019

Members Present:-

Councillor John Marshall (Chairman)

Councillor John Hart (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Linda Freedman
Councillor Val Duschinsky
Councillor Alison Cornelius
Councillor Lachhya Gurung

Councillor Claire Farrier
Councillor Zakia Zubairi
Councillor Gabriel Rozenberg

Apologies for Absence

Councillor Wendy Prentice
Councillor Barry Rawlings

Councillor Danny Rich

1. MINUTES

RESOLVED that the minutes of the meeting held on 18 July 2019, be agreed as a correct record.

2. ABSENCE OF MEMBERS

Councillor Prentice and Councillor Rich.

3. DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS AND NON PECUNIARY INTERESTS

None.

4. REPORT OF THE MONITORING OFFICER (IF ANY)

None.

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS (IF ANY)

None.

6. MEMBERS ITEMS (IF ANY)

None.

7. REVIEW OF THE IMPACT OF THE CHANGES TO ANIMAL WELFARE LICENSING

This report as requested by the Licensing Committee, was a review of the impact of the changes in legislation around animal welfare licensing and the work undertaken by the Licensing team in relation to this.

It was requested that Officers email Members to update them on areas being considered for PSPO's.

Officers also answered Members questions regarding enforcement, in terms of conveying the message about the scheme and how it would be enforced. Also, who would be responsible for enforcement. The possibility of borough wide PSPO's and liaison with the London Corporation was also discussed.

RESOLVED that the report be noted.

8. PROPOSED ADOPTION OF THE LICENSING POLICY 2020-2025

The Committee received the report and noted that the Licensing Act 2003 placed a responsibility on all licensing authorities to publish a licensing policy every 5 years. The Council, being a licensing authority, had a current policy which came into effect from January 2015. This report related to the outcome of the recent consultation in relation to a new policy to take effect in January 2020.

The differences between this policy and the previous one were outlined.

RESOLVED that

- 1. the proposed policy in Appendix 1 be approved by the Committee;**
- 2. the Committee recommend that this policy be adopted at the next full meeting of the Council.**

9. CUMULATIVE IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND ADOPTION OF CUMULATIVE IMPACT ZONE

This report set out the cumulative impact assessment completed by officers in accordance with approval given by the Committee. A consultation had been carried out in accordance with statute and the outcome of that consultation was set out in this report. This report recommended that the Committee approve the adoption of a cumulative impact zone in Burnt Oak.

Members asked if Officers had been working with Harrow, as Burnt Oak was on Harrow's boarder. It was confirmed that the two boroughs had been liaising with each other.

RESOLVED that

- 1. the Committee notes the Cumulative Impact Assessment;**
- 2. the proposed Cumulative Impact Zone be approved by the Committee;**
- 3. the Committee recommend that the Cumulative Impact Zone be adopted at the next full meeting of the Council.**

10. ANY ITEM(S) THAT THE CHAIRMAN DECIDES IS URGENT

None.

The meeting finished at 7.24pm