

South Somerset District Council

Notice of Meeting



Special Licensing Committee

Making a difference where it counts

Thursday 27th March 2008

10.00 am

**Council Chamber
Council Offices
Brympton Way
Yeovil
Somerset**

The public and press are welcome to attend.

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Special Licensing Committee Membership

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Simon Bending	Roy Mills	Linda Vjeh
Dave Bulmer	David Recardo	Lucy Wallace
John Vincent Chainey	Peter Roake	William Wallace
Tony Fife	Keith Ronaldson	
John Hann	Alan Smith	

South Somerset District Council – Corporate Aims

Our key aims are: (all equal)

- To deliver well managed cost effective services valued by our customers
- To increase economic vitality and prosperity
- To improve the health and well-being of our citizens
- To ensure safe, sustainable and cohesive communities
- To promote a balanced natural and built environment

Members' Questions on Reports prior to the Meeting

Members of the Committee are requested to contact report authors on points of clarification prior to the Committee meeting.

Information for the Public

The Licensing Committee shall be responsible for those licensing functions listed in part 3 of the Constitution as being the responsibility of the Committee. This will include licensing matters referred to it by officers, in accordance with the Officer Scheme of Delegation, such as contested public entertainment licences, and applications for taxi driver licences where the officer considers the application should be determined by members. The Committee shall also be responsible for all the functions assigned to it under the Licensing Act 2003.

Meetings of the Licensing Committee are held bi-monthly at 10.00am on the first Tuesday of the month in the Council Offices, Brympton Way.

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Agenda

Preliminary Items

1. Committee Agreement to hear application

Members are asked to agree that in view of the significance of the application this hearing under the Licensing Act 2003, be conducted, and the application determined, by the Licensing Committee and not a Licensing Sub-Committee.

2. Apologies for Absence

3. Declarations of Interest

In accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, which includes all the provisions of the statutory Model Code of Conduct, Members are asked to declare any personal interests (and whether or not such an interest is "prejudicial") in any matter on the Agenda for this meeting. A personal interest is defined in paragraph 8 of the Code and a prejudicial interest is defined in paragraph 10.

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