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Decision Summary

Committee:

Date:

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LICENSING AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

THURSDAY 11 OCTOBER 2018

Jenny Bryce-Chan

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Chair

Councillor Carole Pattison

Councillors Attended

Councillor Mahmood Akhtar

Councillor Karen Allison

Councillor Christine Iredale

Councillor Michelle Grainger-Mead

Councillor Terry Lyons

Councillor Amanda Pinnock

Councillor Mohan Sokhal

Councillor Kath Taylor

Attendees

Russell Williams, Group Leader, Licensing and Public Protection

Samantha Lawton, Operations Manager

Apologies

Councillor James Homewood, Councillor Manisha Roma Kaushik, Councillor Cathy Scott and Councillor Michael Watson

1 Membership of the Committee

This is where Councillors who are attending as substitutes will say for whom they are attending.

Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Councillors Watson, Kaushik, Scott and Homewood.

2 Minutes of Previous Meeting

To approve the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 10 September 2018.

That the Minutes of the meeting of the committee held on 10 September 2018 be approved as a correct record.

3 Interests

The Councillors will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have disclosable pecuniary interests, which would prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items, or any other interests.

No interests were declared.

4 Admission of the Public

Most debates take place in public. This only changes when there is a need to consider certain issues, for instance, commercially sensitive information or details concerning an individual. You will be told at this point whether there are any items on the Agenda which are to be discussed in private.

That all items be held in public session.

5 Deputations/Petitions

The Committee will receive any petitions and hear any deputations from members of the public. A deputation is where up to five people can attend the meeting and make a presentation on some particular issue of concern. A member of the public can also hand in a petition at the meeting but that petition should relate to something on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10 (2), Members of the Public should provide at least 24 hours' notice of presenting a deputation.

No deputations or petitions were received.

6 Public Question Time

The Committee will hear any questions from the general public.

No questions were asked.

7 Kirklees Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing Policy

To seek approval to consult on:

A new Kirklees Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Policy which includes the following policies developed in partnership with the West Yorkshire Combined Authority.

- the draft policy on the Relevance of Criminal Conduct in Taxi and Private Hire Licensing (Conviction Policy) (Appendix A)
- the draft West Yorkshire Driver Training Policy (Appendix C)

That approval be given to consult on:

- A new Kirklees Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Policy which includes the following policies developed in partnership with the West Yorkshire Combined Authority
 - The draft policy on the Relevance of Criminal Conduct in Taxi and Private Hire Licensing (Conviction Policy)
 - The draft West Yorkshire Driving Training Policy
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