



Taxi & General Licensing Committee

A meeting of the Taxi & General Licensing Committee will be held in The Jeffrey Room at The Guildhall, Northampton, NN1 1DE on Thursday 15 December 2022 at 6.00 pm

Agenda

1.	Apologies for Absence and Notification of Substitute Members
2.	Declarations of Interest Members are asked to declare any interest and the nature of that interest which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.
3.	Minutes (Pages 5 - 6) To confirm the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 11 July 2022.
4.	Chair's Announcements To receive communications from the Chair.
5.	Draft Private Hire Vehicle and Hackney Carriage Licensing Policy 2022 (Pages 7 - 160) Report of the Assistant Director – Regulatory Services Purpose of Report To seek approval of the draft West Northamptonshire Council Private Hire Vehicle and Hackney Carriage Licensing Policy prior to public and stakeholder consultation. Recommendations 1.1 Approve the draft West Northamptonshire Council Private Vehicle Hire and Hackney Carriage Licensing Policy (“the draft Policy”) at Appendix A for consultation with the public and stakeholders, 1.2 Delegate authority to the Assistant Director - Regulatory Services to consider responses and, if thought necessary, amend the draft Policy in consultation

	with the chairperson of the Taxi and Gambling Licensing Committee and 1.3 Delegate authority to the Assistant Director - Regulatory Services to make minor amendments to the Policy once made and if required.
6.	Urgent Business The Chairman to advise whether they have agreed to any items of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.

Catherine Whitehead
Proper Officer
7 December 2022

Taxi & General Licensing Committee Members:

Councillor Andrew Kilbride (Chair)	Councillor Mike Warren (Vice-Chair)
Councillor Sally Beardsworth	Councillor Alan Chantler
Councillor Imran Ahmed Chowdhury BEM	Councillor Maggie Clubley
Councillor Gareth Eales	Councillor Terry Gilford
Councillor Cheryl Hawes	Councillor Keith Holland-Delamere
Councillor Mark Hughes	Councillor Jake Roberts
Councillor Brian Sargeant	Councillor Richard Solesbury-Timms
Councillor Winston Strachan	

Information about this Agenda

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Declarations of Interest

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