

**MONMOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
REPORT**

SUBJECT:	Application to Amend the Block Street Trading Consent for Chepstow High Street
DIRECTORATE:	Social Care, Safeguarding & Health
MEETING:	Licensing and Regulatory Committee
Date to be considered:	14th September 2021
DIVISION/WARDS AFFECTED:	Chepstow

1. PURPOSE:

- 1.1 To consider the amendments requested to the current block street trading consent held by Lucy Allen, Clerk of Chepstow Town Council (Consent Number STR016). The initial consent was granted on 30th September 2014. The Consent lasts for a 12 month period and the consent holder has renewed the consent each year since that date.

2. RECOMMENDATION(S):

It is recommended that:-

- 2.1 Members consider the amendments requested by Lucy Allen, Clerk of Chepstow Town Council to the current block street trading consent held by Chepstow Town Centre, Consent Number STR016.

3. KEY ISSUES

- 3.1 A renewal application was received by the Licensing Authority on 28th August 2021 from applicant Lucy Allen, Clerk of Chepstow Town Council. The application can be viewed as Appendix A and a map of areas for consent can be viewed as Appendix B (i) & Appendix B (ii).
- 3.2 The applicant on submitting the application referred to in 3.1 above, requested amendments to the current block street trading consent. The current block street trading consent can be viewed as Appendix C.
- 3.3 The amendments requested are as follows:-
- Beaufort Square – Currently 4 pitches, wishes to amend to 8 pitches
 - Bank Square – Currently 2 pitches, wishes to amend to 6 pitches
 - Cormeilles Square – Currently 5 pitches, wishes to amend to 10 pitches
 - Manor Way – Currently 3 pitches, wishes to amend to 15 pitches
 - The applicant also wishes to amend the trading hours for Fridays from 09:00-18:00 to 09:00-19:00.
- 3.4 The application was sent to the statutory consultees for consultation, these included; Police Licensing, Police Traffic, Local Ward Member and various departments within Monmouthshire County Council namely, Estates, Highways, Planning and Environmental Health. No representations were received by any statutory consultee.
- 3.5 Trading under this consent will be subject to road closure, where applicable.

4. REASONS

4.1 To determine the application for amendments for block street trading consent for Chepstow Town Centre (Consent Number STR016).

5. RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

5.1 Nil

6. CONSULTEES:

6.1 Police Licensing, Police Traffic, Local Ward Member. Departments within Monmouthshire County Council; Estates, Highways, Planning and Environmental Health.

7. BACKGROUND PAPERS:

7.1 Schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 Part III Monmouthshire Street Trading Policy, approved 9th February 2016

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