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Friday, 23 July 2021

Notice of meeting

Licensing and Regulatory Committee

Monday, 2nd August, 2021 at 10.00 am,
County Hall, Usk with Remote Attendance

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Paul Matthews

Chief Executive

MONMOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
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County Councillor Jamie Treharne	Overmonnow;	Welsh Conservative Party
County Councillor Jim Higginson	Severn;	Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru
County Councillor Tony Easson	Dewstow;	Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru
County Councillor Ruth Edwards	Llantilio Crossenny;	Welsh Conservative Party
County Councillor David Evans	West End;	Welsh Labour/Llafur Cymru
County Councillor Linda Guppy	Rogiet;	Liberal Democrats
County Councillor Simon Howarth	Llanelly Hill;	Independent Group
County Councillor Bryan Jones	Goytre Fawr;	Welsh Conservative Party
County Councillor Malcolm Lane	Mardy;	Welsh Conservative Party
County Councillor Richard Roden	Dixton with Osbaston;	Welsh Conservative Party
County Councillor Brian Strong	Usk;	Welsh Conservative Party
County Councillor Ann Webb	St Arvans;	Welsh Conservative Party

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Aims and Values of Monmouthshire County Council

Our purpose

Building Sustainable and Resilient Communities

Objectives we are working towards

- Giving people the best possible start in life
- A thriving and connected county
- Maximise the Potential of the natural and built environment
- Lifelong well-being
- A future focused council

Our Values

Openness. We are open and honest. People have the chance to get involved in decisions that affect them, tell us what matters and do things for themselves/their communities. If we cannot do something to help, we'll say so; if it will take a while to get the answer we'll explain why; if we can't answer immediately we'll try to connect you to the people who can help – building trust and engagement is a key foundation.

Fairness. We provide fair chances, to help people and communities thrive. If something does not seem fair, we will listen and help explain why. We will always try to treat everyone fairly and consistently. We cannot always make everyone happy, but will commit to listening and explaining why we did what we did.

Flexibility. We will continue to change and be flexible to enable delivery of the most effective and efficient services. This means a genuine commitment to working with everyone to embrace new ways of working.

Teamwork. We will work with you and our partners to support and inspire everyone to get involved so we can achieve great things together. We don't see ourselves as the 'fixers' or problem-solvers, but we will make the best of the ideas, assets and resources available to make sure we do the things that most positively impact our people and places.

SCHEDULE 12A LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 EXEMPTION FROM DISCLOSURE OF DOCUMENTS

REPORT: To determine the application to re-instate Hackney Carriage / Private Hire Drivers Licence following the decision to revoke the licence in 2020.

AUTHOR: Leigh Beach

MEETING AND DATE OF MEETING: Monday 2nd August 2021
Licensing and Regulatory Sub-Committee

I have considered grounds for exemption of information contained in the report referred to above and make the following recommendation to the Proper Officer:-

Exemptions applying to the report:

Information relating to a particular individual as described in Paragraph 12 of part 4 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972

Factors in favour of disclosure:

Openness and transparency in matters concerned with the public

Not applicable at this time (see below)

Prejudice which would result if the information were disclosed:

Applicable The applicant will be attending the Committee meeting on Monday the 2nd August 2021 and any information disclosed prior to this date may jeopardise the applicant's right to a fair hearing and contains sensitive and personal information regarding the applicant.

My view on the public interest test is as follows:

Factors in favour of **not disclosing** outweigh those against.

Recommended decision on exemption from disclosure:

Maintain exemption from publication in relation to report.

Date: 22nd August 2021

Signed: *L Beach*

Post: Licensing Officer

I accept/do not accept the recommendation made above.



Proper Officer

Date: 22/07/21_____

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