

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE FULL COUNCIL HELD AT CIVIC SUITE, BROCKS HILL COUNCIL OFFICES, WASHBROOK LANE, OADBY, LEICESTER, LE2 5JJ ON THURSDAY, 6 FEBRUARY 2025 COMMENCING AT 7.10 PM

PRESENT

C D Kozlowski Mayor
J K Chohan Deputy Mayor



Meeting ID: 2859

COUNCILLORS

R H Adams
L A Bentley Deputy Leader of the Council
M H Charlesworth
H E Darling
M L Darr
D A Gamble
S Z Haq Leader of the Council
R V Joshi
J Kaufman
K J Loydall
C J R Martin
R E R Morris
I K Ridley
C A M Walter

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE

S J Ball Legal & Democratic Services Manager / Deputy Monitoring Officer
B Clark-Monks Selective Licensing Team Leader
A E Court Chief Executive / Head of Paid Service
D M Gill Head of Law & Democracy / Monitoring Officer
J Wells Senior Strategic Development Manager

54. CALLING TO ORDER OF THE MEETING

The meeting of the Council was called to order to receive Her Worship The Mayor and Deputy Mayor.

55. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

An apology for absence was received from Councillors N Alam, G A Boulter J K Ford, C S Gore, G G Hunt and P Joshi.

56. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillors N Alam and G A Boulter pre-emptively declared a pecuniary interest in relation to agenda item 4 insofar as they both owned properties materially affected the Proposed Selective Licencing Scheme, and therefore did not attend the meeting with apologies given and/or left the meeting and took no part in the debate on the agenda item and voting thereon.

57. PROPOSED SELECTIVE LICENSING SCHEME (2025 – 2030)

The Council gave consideration to the report and appendices (as set out at pages 3 – 47 of the agenda reports pack and pages 3 – 30 of the agenda update reports pack), which provided to Members information to decide if they wish to adopt a further Selective Licensing Scheme in the Borough for the period of 2025 – 2030, following the expiration of the existing scheme.

It was moved by the Deputy Leader of the Council, seconded by the Leader of the Council and

UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED THAT:

- (i) That a larger Selective Licensing Scheme (2025-2030) referenced as SLS-B be approved and declared as outlined in paragraphs 5 of this report;**
- (ii) Approve a review of staffing and resource within the Selective Licensing team to ensure there is sufficient resource and capacity in place to effectively deliver any approved scheme.**
- (iii) Approve the fee structure set out in paragraph 8.**
- (iv) Approve the Selective Licensing and Enforcement Policy (2025 – 2030) outlined in paragraph 9 and attached at appendix 5.**

THE MEETING CLOSED AT 7.32 pm