

## MEETING OF THE LICENSING AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

DATE: TUESDAY, 15 DECEMBER 2020

TIME: 5:30 pm

PLACE: Microsoft Teams Meeting

## **Members of the Committee**

Councillor Pickering – Co-Vice Chair Councillor Singh Johal – Co-Vice Chair

Councillors Cank, Fonseca, Gee, Dr Moore, Dr Sangster, Shelton, Thomas and Westley

Members of the Committee are summoned to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed overleaf.

for The Monitoring Officer

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## **PUBLIC SESSION**

## **AGENDA**

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#### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

#### 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests they may have in the business on the agenda.

### 3. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A (Pages 1 - 6)

The minutes of the meeting held on 15 September 2020 are attached and the Committee will be asked to confirm them as a correct record.

#### 4. PETITIONS

The Monitoring Officer to report on the receipt of any petitions submitted in accordance with the Council's procedures.

# 5. QUESTIONS, REPRESENTATIONS, STATEMENTS OF CASE

The Monitoring Officer to report on the receipt of any questions, representations and statements of case submitted in accordance with the Council's procedures.

# 6. SURVEY OF UNMET DEMAND FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES

Appendix B (Pages 7 - 108)

The Director of Neighbourhood and Environmental Services submits a report to the Licensing and Public Safety Committee on the outcome of the survey of unmet demand for hackney carriage vehicles and to seek the Committee's views on a change to the existing limit on licences that Leicester City Council will issue. The report also seeks the Committee's views on restricting any licences released up to the new limit being restricted to ultra-low emission vehicles (ULEVs).

The Licensing and Public Safety Committee are recommended to comment to the Deputy City Mayor for Culture, Leisure, Sport and Regulatory Services on the options contained in the report in relation to the limit on hackney carriage vehicle licences and the possible requirement for new released licences to be restricted to ULEVs.

## 7. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS