
Application for a review of an existing premises licence

Licensing (Hearings) Sub-Committee

Decision to be taken by: Licensing (Hearings)
Sub-Committee

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Lead director/officer: Lynsay Coupe

Useful information

- Ward(s) affected: Humberstone and Hamilton
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1. Summary

- 1.1 This report outlines an application for a review of an existing premises licence for Glassy Club, Green Lane Road, Leicester, LE5 3TH and summarises the representation received. It also highlights the licensing objectives, the relevant parts of the guidance and regulations, and the pertinent sections of the Licensing Authority's Licensing Policy.

2. Determination to be made

- 2.1 Having considered the application and representation(s), Members must consider whether to
- Reject the review application
 - Modify the conditions of the licence
 - Exclude a licensable activity from the scope of the licence
 - Remove the designated premises supervisor
 - Suspend the licence for a period not exceeding three months
 - Revoke the licence
- 2.2 Where Members take the decision to reject the review application, they are permitted to issue an informal warning to the licence holder and / or recommend improvement within a particular period of time.

3. Application and promotion of the licensing objectives

- 3.1 An application was received on 20 May 2026 from Leicestershire Fire & Rescue for a review of the existing premises licence for Glassy Club, Green Lane Road, Leicester, LE5 3TH. The application was made on the grounds of public safety and the protection of children from harm. A copy of the application is attached at Appendix A.
- 3.2 Leicestershire Fire & Rescue is concerned that Upon recent inspection of the premises, the licence holder appears to be subletting to another person, who is not the licence holder and they are failing to maintain their Fire Safety Duties under The Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Act 2005.
- 3.3 The existing licence is attached at Appendix B.
- 3.4 The activities and hours permitted by the existing licence are as follows:

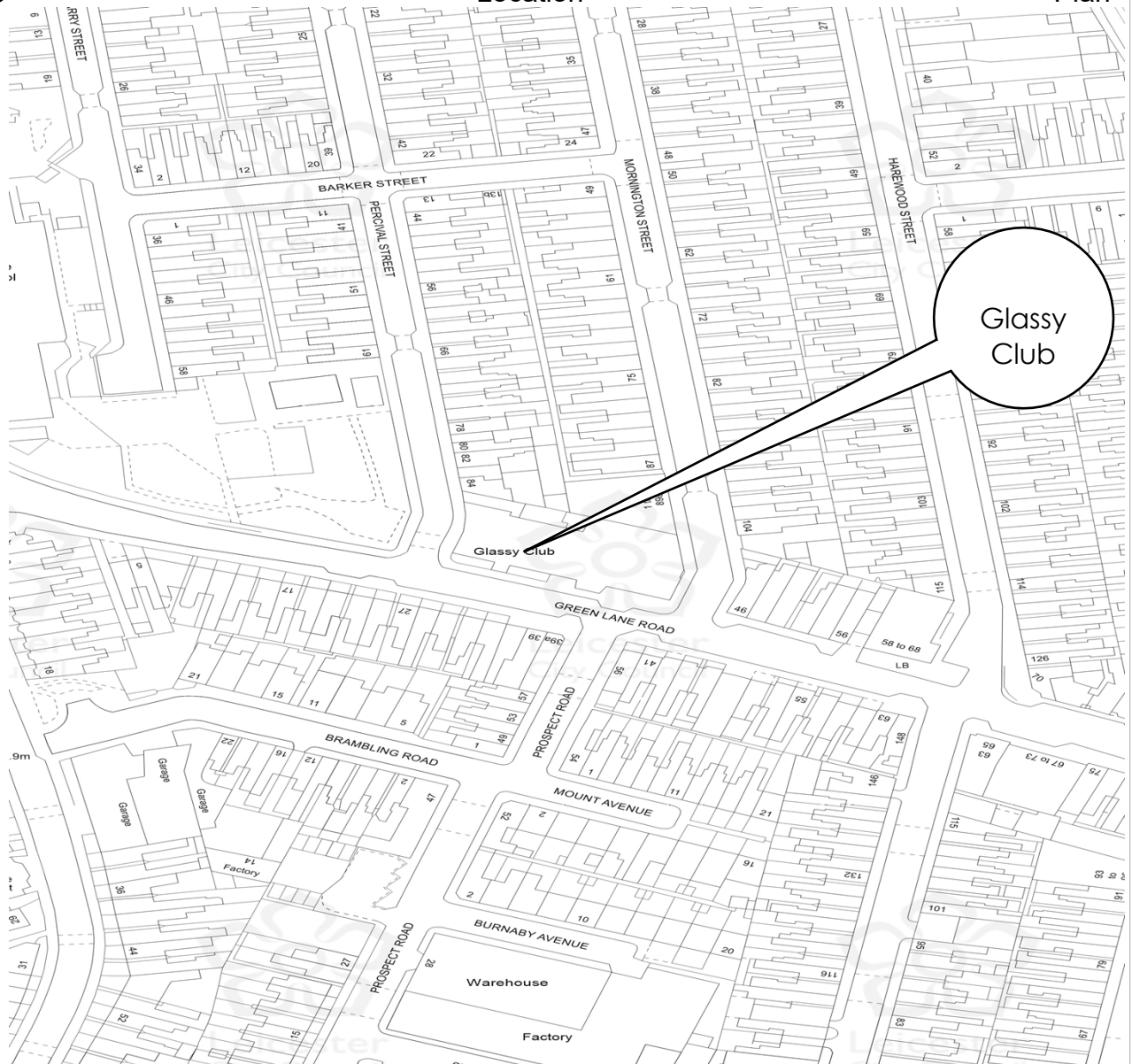
| Licensable activity | Current hours |
|--|---|
| Live Music | Mon-Thur 12.00 until 23.00 Fri-Sat 12.00 until 00.00 Sunday 12.00 until 22.30 |
| Recorded Music | Mon-Thur 12.00 until 23.00 Fri-Sat 12.00 until 02.00 Sunday 12.00 until 23.00 |
| Anything similar to live/recorded music or dance | Mon-Thur 12.00 until 23.00 Fri-Sat 12.00 until 02.00 Sunday 12.00 until 23.00 |
| Supply of Alcohol | Sun-Thur 12.00 until 00.00 Fri-Sat 12.00 until 02.00 |
| Opening Hours | Sun-Thur 12.00 until 00.00 Fri-Sat 12.00 until 02.00 |

- 3.5 In arriving at its decision on the application, the Licensing Authority's primary consideration must be the promotion of the licensing objectives.

3.6

Location

Plan



4. Statutory guidance and statement of licensing policy

4.1 Any decision made by the Licensing Authority must be in accordance with the licensing objectives. In addition, the government has issued guidance under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003. The parts of the guidance that are particularly relevant in this case are as follows:

| Section | Heading |
|----------------|--|
| 1.2 – 1.5 | Licensing objectives and aims |
| 1.15 – 1.16 | General Principles |
| 1.17 | Each application on its own merits |
| 2.7 – 2.14 | Public Safety |
| 2.22 – 2.31 | Protection of children from harm |
| 8.41 – 8.49 | Steps to promote the licensing objectives |
| 9.11 – 9.12 | Role of responsible authorities |
| 9.31 – 9.41 | Hearings |
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| 9.42 – 9.44 | Determining actions that are appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives |
| 10.1 – 10.3 | Conditions - general |
| 10.8 – 10.9 | Imposed conditions |
| 10.10 | Proportionality |
| 10.25 – 10.66 | Mandatory conditions in relation to the supply of alcohol |
| 11.1 – 11.29 | Reviews |
| 13.10 – 13.11 | Giving reasons for decisions |

4.2 The relevant parts of the Licensing Authority's Statement of Licensing Policy are as follows:

| Section | Heading |
|----------------|--|
| 4 | Promotion of the Licensing Objectives |
| 5 | General Principles |
| 6 | Premises Licences and Club Premises Certificates |
| 8 | Areas of Special Interest and Pre Consultation |
| 12 | Enforcement and Reviews |

5. Points for clarification

5.1 The applicant for the review and the licence holder have been asked to clarify certain points at the hearing, as follows:

By the premises licence holder

1. Whether the licence holder considers that the concerns outlined in the review are valid, and if not why not.
2. Whether the licence holder wishes to propose any additional steps for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

By the applicant making the review

1. Whether they have any additional information to support the review.
2. Whether there are any additional steps that could be taken which would be equally effective in the promotion of the licensing objectives.

6. Regulated entertainment

- 6.1 The Live Music Act 2012 and the Legislative Reform (Entertainment Licensing) Order 2014 amended the Licensing Act 2003 in relation to the provision of regulated entertainment. Certain entertainment does not require a licence subject to audience limits, between 08.00 and 23.00 hours each day.
- 6.2 The above exemptions may affect the application under consideration because conditions may not be imposed at this stage to control live or recorded music that is unregulated. However, if problems do occur as a result of that entertainment then conditions may be imposed to control such music in the future after a formal review.

7. Financial, legal, equalities, climate emergency and other implications

7.1 Financial Implications

There are no significant financial implications arising from the contents of this report.

Jade Draper Principal Accountant
7th January 2026

7.2 Legal Implications

Legal advice specific to the application will be provided at the meeting by Legal Officers.

7.3 Equalities implications

Under the Equality Act 2010, public authorities have a Public Sector Equality Duty (PSED) which means that, in carrying out their functions, they have a statutory duty to pay due regard to the need to eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment and victimisation and other conduct prohibited by the Act, to advance equality of opportunity between people who share a protected characteristic and those who don't and to foster good relations between people who share a protected characteristic and those who don't.

Protected Characteristics under the Equality Act 2010 are age, disability, gender reassignment, marriage and civil partnership, pregnancy and maternity, race, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation.

There are no direct equalities implications arising from the report. However it is important to consider issues of accessibility to the application process and its associated activities (such as lodging an appeal); The criteria used during determination of an application and its associated activities (such as lodging an appeal).

Signed: Surinder Singh, Equalities Officer

Dated: 19th June 2026

7.4 Climate Emergency implications

There are unlikely to be any significant climate emergency implications directly associated with this report and the licensing process.

Duncan Bell, Change Manager

7.5 Other implications (You will need to have considered other implications in preparing this report. Please indicate which ones apply?)
Crime and Disorder – None

8. **Background information and other papers**
None

9. **Summary of appendices:**
Appendix A – Application
Appendix B – Existing licence

10. **Is this a private report (If so, please indicate the reasons and state why it is not in the public interest to be dealt with publicly)?**

No

11. **Is this a “key decision”? If so, why?**

No