

DORSET COUNCIL - LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 13 JANUARY 2021

Present: Cllrs Mike Dyer, Emma Parker and Kate Wheller

Also present: Cllr Shane Bartlett (on behalf of Wimborne Town Council)

Officers present (for all or part of the meeting):

Elaine Tibble (Senior Democratic Services Officer), Lara Altree (Senior Lawyer - Regulatory), Aileen Powell (Team Leader Licensing) and Louise Gosnold (Licensing Officer)

40. Election of Chairman and Statement for the Procedure of the Meeting

It was proposed by Cllr Wheller, seconded by Cllr Dyer.

Decision: that Cllr Emma Parker be elected Chairman for the duration of the meeting.

41. Declarations of Interest

No declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests were made at the meeting.

42. Variation for the Café on the Square, Wimborne

The Licensing Team Leader presented the report for a variation to the licence for The Café on the Square, Wimborne to add off sales to the licence and to extend the times alcohol can be sold to 11.00-23.00 daily.

Licensing Officers were not aware of any complaints for the day to day running of the business, nor when operating under a Temporary Event Notice licence.

Cllr Shane Bartlett read a statement on behalf of Wimborne Town Council relaying concerns for the residents living on the Square.

43. Urgent items

There were no urgent items.

44. Exempt Business

It was proposed by Cllr Wheller, seconded by Cllr Dyer.

Decision: That the press and the public be excluded for the following item(s) in view of the likely disclosure of exempt information within the

meaning of paragraph 3 of schedule 12 A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

The Sub-Committee retired to make their decision.

Decision: To **GRANT** the variation of the Premises Licence to allow the sale of alcohol on the premises every day from 11:00 to 23:00 and the sale of alcohol off the premises between the hours of 11:00 and 23:00 on Christmas Eve, New Year's Eve or on any day when an event is held as set out in condition numbered 2 below, and both subject to condition numbered 1 below:

1. A clear notice shall be displayed at every exit from the premises to instruct customers to respect the needs of local residents and leave the premises and the area quietly.
2. Off sales of alcohol are permitted only on days when there is a bona fide event taking place in the area known as The Square, Wimborne Dorset and on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve.

Duration of meeting: 10.00 - 10.15 am

Chairman

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