

Licensing Sub-Committee

Tue 9 Sep 2025 5.30 pm

Oakenshaw Community Centre, Castleditch Lane, B97 7YB



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LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE (Street Trading Consent)

HEARING PROCEDURE

- 1. The Chair will open the hearing and ask Members of the Sub-Committee and officers present to introduce themselves.
- 2. The Chair will ask all parties to the proceedings to introduce themselves.
- 3. In the event the Applicant is not represented, the Chair will remind the Applicant that they can be represented by a legal representative at their own expense.
- 4. The Chair will ask the Legal Advisor if there is any legal advice to be given.
- 5. The Technical Officer (Licensing), Worcestershire Regulatory Services will present the report.
- 6. The Chair will invite Members of the Sub-Committee and all other parties to the proceedings to put any relevant questions to the Technical Officer.
- 7. The Chair will invite the Applicant and/or their representative to present their case and call any witnesses.
- 8. The Chair will invite Members of the Sub-Committee and all other parties present to put any relevant questions to the Applicant and/or their representative.
- 9. Consultees / Interested Parties will be invited to present their representations or elect a spokesperson (which may be a Councillor) to speak on their behalf. New representations must not be raised.
- 10. The Chair will invite Members of the Sub-Committee and all other parties present to put any relevant questions to the Consultees / Interested Parties.
- 11. The Consultees / Interested Parties will be invited to sum up.

- 12. The Applicant or their representative will be invited to sum up.
- 13. The Chair will ask the Legal Advisor if there is any legal advice to be given.
- 14. At the conclusion of the hearing, Members of the Sub-Committee, the Legal Adviser and the Democratic Services Officer will withdraw from the meeting room, so that the Sub-Committee Members can reach their decision in private.
- 15. Once the Sub-Committee has reached its decision, the Members of the Sub-Committee, the Legal Adviser and the Democratic Services Officer will return to the meeting room. The Sub-Committee's decision, together with the reasons for the decision, will be announced by the Chair.
- 16. The Sub-Committee's decision will be confirmed in writing to the Applicant and those parties who made representations within 5 working days.

There is no right of appeal against the Council's decision to refuse to grant or revoke a Street Trading Consent.

Please Note:

- 1. Each application coming before the Licensing Sub-Committee will be treated on its own merits. In determining an application for a Street Trading Consent, the Council will consider the following factors:
 - a. Consultation relevant responses from consultees
 - b. Local Government Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1982
 - c. Redditch Borough Council's Street Trading Consent Policy
- 2. The Chairman may require any person who in his/her opinion is behaving in a disruptive manner to leave the meeting, and may refuse to permit that person to return, or permit him/her to return only on such conditions as the Chairman may specify. However, such person may, before the end of the hearing, submit in writing any information which he/she would have been entitled to have given orally at the meeting had he/she not been required to leave.
- 3. Decisions may be taken in the absence of the Applicant or any other party. All notices and representations received from absent parties will be considered.
- 4. Questioning must not be hostile or intended to unfairly undermine the position of any party.
- 5. Late evidence will only be considered with the agreement of all parties present.
- 6. In cases where a decision cannot be given at the end of the hearing, a decision will be made within 5 working days.



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Agenda

Membership:

Cllrs:

Brandon Clayton Andrew Fry **David Munro**

- **1.** Election of the Chair
- **2.** Apologies for absence
- **3.** Declarations of Interest
- **4.** APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A STREET TRADING CONSENT (Pages 7 44)