

AGENDA

LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE MEETING



Date: Tuesday 7 April 2009
Time: 9.15 am or at the conclusion of
the Licensing Committee,
whichever is the later
Venue: Town Hall, High Street,
Maidstone

Membership:

Councillors Parvin (Chairman), FitzGerald,
Mrs Gibson, Mrs Hinder, Marshall,
Naghi, Mrs Parvin, Sellar, Warner,
Wilson and Yates

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**David Petford, Chief Executive, Maidstone Borough Council,
Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone Kent ME15 6JQ**

5. Disclosures of Lobbying
6. To consider whether any items should be taken in private because of the possible disclosure of exempt information.
7. Minutes of the Meeting Held on 18 March 2009 1 - 2
8. Joint Report of the Chief Executive and Director of Prosperity and Regeneration - Licensing Partnership

NOTE: Please bring the above Report circulated with the Licensing Committee Agenda for the meeting to be held on 7 April 2009.

MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL

LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 18 MARCH 2009

Present: Councillor Parvin (Chairman), and
Councillors Mrs Gibson, Mrs Hinder, Marshall,
Mortimer, Naghi, Mrs Parvin, Wilson and Yates

Also Present: Councillors Verrall

18. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors FitzGerald, Sellar and Warner.

19. **NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS**

The following substitution was noted:-

Councillor Mortimer for Councillor Sellar

20. **NOTIFICATION OF VISITING MEMBERS**

Councillor Verrall was present as a Visiting Member but did not wish to speak.

21. **DISCLOSURES BY MEMBERS AND OFFICERS**

There were no disclosures.

22. **DISCLOSURES OF LOBBYING**

There were no disclosures of lobbying.

23. **EXEMPT ITEMS**

RESOLVED: That the items on the agenda be taken in public as proposed.

24. **POTENTIAL LICENSING PARTNERSHIP WITH TUNBRIDGE WELLS
BOROUGH COUNCIL AND SEVENOAKS DISTRICT COUNCIL**

The Committee considered the Report of the Assistant Director of Development and Community Services regarding the proposal to enter into a Partnership with Sevenoaks District Council and Tunbridge Wells Borough Council to provide a joint Licensing service at the same time as the Licensing Committee.

RESOLVED: That the Licensing Act 2003 Committee informs Cabinet that they do raise an objection to the Council entering into a Partnership with Sevenoaks District Council and Tunbridge Wells Borough Council to deliver the Licensing service as they see no financial or betterment to the status quo of Licensing in Maidstone that will be of benefit to the residents of Maidstone.

25. DURATION OF MEETING

7.05 pm to 7.10 pm