

# **Boston Borough Council**

Chief Executive Rob Barlow

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Thursday 21 August 2025

#### Notice of meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee

Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Licensing Sub-Committee on **Monday 1st September 2025** at **10.00** am in the Committee Room - Municipal Buildings, West Street, Boston, PE21 8QR

Rob Barlow Chief Executive

Membership:

Panel Members: Councillors Stuart Evans, Paul Gleeson and Lina Savickiene

Substitute: Councillor James Cantwell

Members of the public are welcome to attend the committee meeting as observers except during the consideration of exempt or confidential items.

This meeting may be subject to being recorded.

## **Agenda**

#### Part I - Preliminaries

- A Election of Chairman
- **B** Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence.

C Declarations of Interest

To receive declarations of interests in respect of any item on the agenda.

#### Part II - Agenda Items

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(A report by Christian Allen, Assistant Director - Regulatory)

### Notes:

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#### **Licensing Hearing Procedure**

- 1. The Sub-Committee deals with the Preliminaries.
- 2. The Applicant for review, Senior Licensing Officer and Premises Licence Holder are invited into the room.
- The Chairman invites introductions.
- 4. The Legal Advisor explains the procedures.
- 5. The Senior Licensing Officer presents her report.
- 6. Members of the Sub-Committee ask any questions of the Senior Licensing Officer in respect of the information they have received.
- 7. The Applicant for review is invited to address the Sub-Committee to present their case and can call any witness in support of their case
- 8. Members of the Sub-Committee ask questions of the Applicant for review.
- 9. Premises licence holder can ask questions of the Applicant for review.
- 10. The Premises Licence Holder is invited to address the Sub-Committee to present their case and can call any witness in support of their case.
- 11. Members of the Sub-Committee ask questions of the Premises Licence Holder.
- 12. Applicant for review can ask questions of the Premises Licence Holder
- 13. Relevant parties (if any) are invited to address Sub-Committee to present their case and can call any witness in support of their case
- 14. Members of the Sub-Committee ask questions of the Relevant parties
- 15. Premises Licence Holder can ask questions of the Applicant for review.
- 16. Chair to invite closing submissions from Applicant for review, relevant parties and Premises Licence Holder no new issues should be introduced at that stage
- 17. The Chairman asks the Legal Advisor whether there are any other matters to be raised or resolved before the Sub-Committee retires to begin its deliberations.
- 18. The Chairman advises that the Members of the Sub-Committee will consider the report in private and make their decision. The Legal Representative will remain with them, but will at no point take part in the deliberations; the Legal Representative will give legal advice if required and the decision notice will contain details of this advice.
- 19. The Applicant for review, the Premises Licence Holder and the Senior Licensing Officer are escorted from the room.
- 20. Once a decision has been made the decision and the reasons for the decision will be formally notified in writing by the Senior Licensing Officer within 5 working days.