



**BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

**MEETING OF THE LICENSING COMMITTEE**

MONDAY 21ST JULY 2025

AT 6.00 P.M.

PARKSIDE SUITE, PARKSIDE, MARKET STREET, BROMSGROVE,  
WORCESTERSHIRE, B61 8DA

MEMBERS: Councillors J. Clarke, A. M. Dale, J. Elledge,  
D. J. A. Forsythe, B. Kumar, D. Hopkins, C.A. Hotham,  
R. J. Hunter, P. M. McDonald, B. McEldowney,  
S. A. Robinson, K. Taylor and P. J. Whittaker

**AGENDA**

1. Election of Chairman
2. Election of Vice-Chairman
3. To receive apologies for absence and notification of substitutes
4. Declarations of Interest

To invite Councillors to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests or Other Disclosable Interests they may have in items on the agenda, and to confirm the nature of those interests.

5. To confirm the accuracy of the minutes of the meeting of the Licensing Committee held on 24th March 2025 (Pages 7 - 16)
6. Review of Mandating CCTV in Taxis (Pages 17 - 56)
7. Deregulation Act 2015 and its effect on Taxi and Private Hire Licensing (Pages 57 - 66)
8. Licensing Committee Work Programme (Pages 67 - 68)
9. To consider any other business, details of which have been notified to the Head of Legal, Equalities and Democratic Services prior to the commencement of the meeting and which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstances, considers to be of so urgent a nature that it cannot wait until the next meeting.
10. To consider, and if considered appropriate, to pass the following resolution to exclude the public from the meeting during the consideration of items of business containing exempt information:-

**RESOLVED:** that under Section 100 I of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended, the public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part I of Schedule 12A to the Act, as amended, the relevant paragraph of that part, in each case, being as set out below, and that it is in the public interest to do so:-

<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Paragraph</u>	
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11. Any Enforcements / Appeals Updates

J. Leach  
Chief Executive

Parkside  
Market Street  
BROMSGROVE  
Worcestershire  
B61 8DA  
11th July 2025

**If you have any queries on this Agenda please contact  
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**If you have any questions regarding the agenda or attached papers,  
please do not hesitate to contact the officer named above.**

**Notes:**

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