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### SUMMONS TO ATTEND

- **MEETING:** MISCELLANEOUS LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE
- PLACE: COMMITTEE ROOM 2, COUNCIL OFFICES, WOODGREEN, WITNEY
- DATE: THURSDAY 4 SEPTEMBER 2014
- **TIME:** 10.00 a.m.

#### Members of the Sub-Committee

Councillors: N A MacRae MBE (Chairman); S J Good (Vice-Chairman); M Brennan; E H James and G Saul

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## AGENDA

#### I. Minutes of the meeting held on 5 August 2014 (previously circulated)

#### 2. Apologies for Absence and Temporary Appointments

#### 3. Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations of interest from Councillors relating to items to be considered at the meeting, in accordance with the provisions of the Council's Local Code of Conduct, and any from Officers.

#### 4. Participation of the Public

#### Purpose:

To receive any submissions from members of the public, in accordance with the Council's Rules of Procedure

#### 5. Introduction of Driver Assessment for Hackney and Private Hire Drivers and Candidates (Report of the Shared Head of Public Protection and Regulation Services – copy attached)

#### Purpose:

To consider the introduction of a driver assessment for new existing hackney carriage and private hire drivers as an alternative to the Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency (DVSA) Taxi and Private Hire drivers test. (Drivers and new candidates will still have the option of taking the DVSA Taxi and Private hire Test).

#### Recommendation:

That, the sub-committee adopts the introduction of a driver assessment as an alternative to the DVSA Taxi and Private Hire drivers test.

# 6. Street Trading Controls - Church Green, Witney (Report of the Shared Head of Public Protection – copy attached)

#### Purpose:

To consider the Council's proposals for the amendment of Street Trading Controls in Church Green, Witney.

#### Recommendation:

That notice be given in accordance with Schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 that with effect from 26th November 2014, Church Green, Witney which is currently designated as a "prohibited" street be designated as a "consent" street referred to below including all forecourts, roads, footways or other areas adjacent to the streets referred to in this resolution for a distance of 10 metres from the edge of the adopted highway.

David Neudegg Chief Executive

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