

# NOTICE OF MEETING

Meeting GENERAL PURPOSES AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

Date and Time FRIDAY, 12 NOVEMBER 2010 AT 9.30 A.M.\*

Place COUNCIL CHAMBER, APPLETREE COURT, LYNDHURST

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### **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

\*Members of the public may speak in accordance with the Council's public participation scheme:

(a) immediately before the meeting starts, on items within the Committee's terms of reference which are not on the public agenda; and/or

(b) on individual items on the public agenda, when the Chairman calls that item. Speeches may not exceed three minutes. Anyone wishing to speak should contact the name and number shown above.

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# AGENDA

## Apologies

#### 1. Minutes

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 10 September 2010 as a correct record.

#### 2. Declarations of Interest

To note any declarations of interest made by members in connection with an agenda item. The nature of the interest must also be specified.

Members are asked to discuss any possible interests with Democratic Services prior to the meeting.

### 3. Public Participation

To note any issues raised during the public participation period.

## 4. Election of Vice-Chairman

To elect a Vice-Chairman of the Committee for the remainder of the Municipal year.

# 5. Review of Government Report "Common Sense, Common Safety" – Health and Safety Laws and the Growth of the Compensation Culture (Report A)

To note a summary of the above report and possible implications for New Forest District Council

# 6. Review of Licensing Policy; Recent Changes in Licensing Act and Development of Toolkit for Problem Premises (Report B)

To consider, in the light of responses received, the recommended updated Licensing Policy; to note a recent change in the legislation that regards district councillors as "interested parties"; and to note the development of a toolkit to assist in dealing with problem premises.

# 7. Increase in Numbers on East Boldre Parish Council – Community Governance Review (Report C)

To consider the response to the publication of draft proposals and whether to recommend the making of a Reorganisation Order.

## 8. Any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent

#### To: Councillors:

G C Beck W H Dow J A G Hutchins Mrs P Jackman Mrs M McLean J Penwarden L R Puttock (Chairman) A W Rice TD

## **Councillors:**

W S Rippon-Swaine R F Scrivens Mrs B Smith M S Wade S S Wade P R Woods Vacancy

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