

PUBLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE

4 FEBRUARY 2014

Present: County Councillor Marshall (Chairperson);
County Councillors Manzoor Ahmed, Boyle, Goddard, Howells,
Hudson, McGarry, Morgan, Murphy, Simmons and Benjamin
Thomas

PP48 : MINUTES

The minutes of the meetings held on 3 December and 7 January 2014 were approved by the Committee as a correct record and were signed by the Chairperson.

PP49 : PROGRESS REPORT ON AIR QUALITY IN CARDIFF

The Council has a statutory obligation under the Environment Act 1995 to review and assess air quality in its area against National Air Quality Standards which have been set for the protection of human health. The Council is required to report annually to the Welsh Government with regard to the latest monitoring data, changes and developments with regard Local Air Quality Management and progress in implementing Air Quality Action Plans (AQMA) devised to address areas of locally poor air quality. The Committee received the Council's 2013 progress report to the Welsh Government highlighting some of the key points.

Members were advised that there are 4 AQMA in Cardiff: City Centre, Ely Bridge, Stephenson Court and Llandaff. The progress report presented monitoring data for each of the 7 pollutants that the authority is required to consider under the LQMA regime. Monitoring data confirmed the findings of previous reviews insofar as concentrations remain elevated in all four AQMA. The data also identified one site outside the current AQMA with an exceedance of the annual mean objective of 40 micrograms per cubic metre of air. This monitoring site is at residential accommodation at the junction of Fair oak Road and Ninian Road. It was proposed to proceed to a Detailed Assessment for this area.

The Committee received a brief presentation from Will Lane, Operational Manager, Public Protection and John Vesey, Air Quality Manager providing an overview of the regulatory regime governing air quality and a 'snapshot' of air quality issues in the City.

The Committee discussed air quality issues at a number of locations throughout the city. Concern was expressed regarding at the potential impact new housing developments could have on air quality, particularly at the Ely Bridge AQMA in relation to a proposed development at the former Wiggins Teap site.

The Committee asked whether the Pollution Control Department were consulted on planning applications. Officers confirmed that, not only were Pollution Control were statutory consultees on planning applications, they were also consulted on the air quality impact of remodelled traffic flows for large developments such as the Central Square scheme.

RESOLVED – That:

- (1) Committee notes the contents of the 2013 Air Quality Progress Report and continue to be advised on air quality in Cardiff and measures taken to improve it;
- (2) Committee notes that the 2013 Progress Report and its conclusions has been accepted and approved by the Welsh Government;
- (3) Approve a Detailed Assessment for the area surrounding the junction with Fair oak Road and Ninian Road;
- (4) Approve further assessments for both the Llandaff AQMA and City Centre AQMA.

PP50 : HACKNEY CARRIAGE FULL LIVERY ADVERTISING

An application was received from Mr Neil Roberts of Huge Media Advertising Ltd for full livery advertising on wheelchair accessible hackney carriage vehicles such as the Fiat Diablo. Members were advised that the authority currently only permits full livery advertising on hackney carriage vehicles which meet the London Metropolitan Conditions of Fitness.

Members were asked to consider the effect permitting full livery on wheelchair accessible vehicles would have, and in particular, whether permitting the application would have an impact on members of the public identifying such vehicles as hackney carriages. For comparison purposes the report provided details of full livery restrictions on other local authorities.

Members noted that the Committee had indicated its intention to undertake a complete review of the Taxi Licensing Policy, including the standardising and

improvement of the appearance of licenced vehicles.

RESOLVED – That the application made by Huge Media Advertising Ltd to allow full livery advertisements on all wheelchair accessible vehicles be refused.

PP51 : APPLICATION TO AMEND STREET TRADING LICENCE

The Committee received a report and were asked to consider an application from Mrs Paula Yeates to vary her Street Trading Licence. Members were advised that Mrs Yeates was currently licensed to sell fruit, vegetables and flowers from a stall on Great Western Lane. Mrs Yeates applied to sell hot food in the form of a hog roast on days designated as ‘major events’ by South Wales Police between the hours of 10.00 and 2300.

The Committee was advised that at present Mrs Yeates closes the stall on major event days in the City as there is very little turnover. In order not to lose trading days, Mrs Yeates hoped to sell a hog roast from the stall. The hog roast would not be cooked on the stall. The authority’s Food Safety Team is aware of the proposals. A full business case was provided for Members’ consideration.

RESOLVED – That the application to vary the street trading licence be approved.

PP52 : AMENDMENT OF ST MARY STREET/HIGH STREET TRADING PROVISIONS

At its meeting of 2 October 2013 the Committee resolved to change the street trading designations of St Mary Street and High Street from Prohibited Streets to designated Consent Streets for the purposes of street trading to allow trading at an informal weekly market by issuing consents to each of the traders.

Following a request from the Council’s City Centre Management Section that street trading provision in St Mary Street and High Street be extended to allow ‘event based’ trading at six sites, the Committee received a report and were asked to consider amending the street trading conditions in the area. A plan of each of the six proposed sites was appended to the report.

Currently traders wishing to trade from the St Mary Street/High Street market must apply to the Licensing Section for a Street Trading Consent. No other form of street trading is permitted. Members were advised that City Centre

Management anticipate that events held in St Mary Street and High Street will increase footfall in the area.

RESOLVED – That the Committee approves the amendment of Street Trading Consent conditions in relation to St Mary Street/High Street as detailed Appendix B in the report.

PP53 : APPROVAL OF ANIMAL LICENCE CONDITIONS

At its meeting of 3 December 2013 the Committee resolved to approve a new model of Licensing Conditions in respect of Pet Shops and Animal Boarding Establishments subject to consultation with current licence holders. Current licence holders were sent the draft conditions on 9 December 2013 and were asked to provide any comments by 10 January 2014.

No comments were received within the consultation period. However, Officers advised that a response was received from the proprietor of an animal boarding establishment outside the consultation period. The response had been circulated to Members prior to the commencement of the meeting.

RESOLVED – That the Committee approves the implementation of the revised conditions set out in this report from 1 January 2015.

PP54 : SKIN PIERCING REGISTRATIONS

The Committee noted the actions taken by the Head of Regulatory and Supporting Services in respect of the following applications:

1. Mr B Gibbs
Skin Piercing Personal registration
2. Mr L Chong
Skin Piercing Personal registration
3. Mr D Marzur
Skin Piercing Personal registration
4. Mrs R Kennedy
Skin Piercing Personal registration

5. Ms C Mills
Skin Piercing Personal registration
6. Mr J Cole
Skin Piercing Personal registration
7. Mr R Dixon
Skin Piercing Personal registration
8. Mr B Gibbs, 9-11 Royal Arcade
Skin Piercing Premises registration
9. Mrs R Kennedy, Ocean, Roath Park Hall
Skin Piercing Premises registration
10. Ms J Lai, J Lai Physiotherapy clinic
Skin Piercing Premises registration

PP55 : STREET AND HOUSE TO HOUSE COLLECTION PERMIT APPLICATIONS

The Committee noted the actions taken by the Head of Regulatory and Supporting Services in respect of the following applications:

1. Caerphilly Junior Rugby Club
Street Collection Permit
01/02/2014
2. Breast Cancer Campaign
Street Collection Permit
07/06/2014
3. Ty Hafan
Street Collection Permit
29/03/2014

4. Marie Curie Cancer Care
Street Collection Permit
01/03/2014
5. British Legion Poppy Appeal
Street Collection Permit
01/11/2014 to 08/11/2014
6. Age Cymru
Street Collection Permit
09/03/2014
7. League of Friends of Whitchurch Hospital
Street Collection Permit
21/06/2014
8. Meningitis Research Foundation
Street Collection Permit
22/03/2014
9. Salvation Army
Street Collection Permit
26/04/2014
10. MS Society (Cymru)
Street Collection Permit
02/08/2014
11. Childreach International
Street Collection Permit
08/03/2014
12. Friends of Cardiff Dogs Home
Street Collection Permit
12/04/2014
13. Practical Action
Street Collection Permit
01/02/2014
14. National Meningitis Trust
Street Collection Permit
25/01/2014

15. Action on Hearing Loss
Street Collection Permit
21/02/2014
16. Royal Air Forces Association
Street Collection Permit
20/09/2014
17. Margaret Green Animal Rescue
Street Collection Permit
01/02/2014 to 31/01/2014
18. Ty Hafan
Street Collection Permit
25/05/2014
19. Breast Cancer Care
Street Collection Permit
08/02/2014
20. Greyhound Rescue Wales
Street Collection Permit
28/06/2014
21. Bobath Childrens Therapy Centre Wales
Street Collection Permit
29/11/2013
22. Guide Dogs for the Blind Cymru
Street Collection Permit
04/10/2014
23. South Wales Intercultural Community Arts (SWICA)
Street Collection Permit
09/08/2014
24. Kids
Street Collection Permit
15/11/2014
25. Scope
Street Collection Permit

10/05/2014 to 11/05/2014

26. Meningitis Research Foundation
Street Collection Permit
04/01/2014
27. Abercwmboi RFC and Junior Sections
Street Collection Permit
15/03/2014
28. Rhiwbina Village Events Committee
Street Collection Permit
28/11/2013
29. National Foundation for Youth Music
Street Collection Permit
6/12/2013
30. St Johns Ambulance Brigade
Street Collection Permit
21/02/2014
31. Dogs Trust
Street Collection Permit
16/10/2014 to 17/10/2014
32. Keep Wales Tidy
Street Collection Permit
15/03/2014
33. Gwyl Ifan
Street Collection Permit
14/06/2014
34. National Kidney Federation
Street Collection Permit
01/01/2014 to 31/12/2014
35. Cancer Research and Genetics UK
Street Collection Permit
06/01/2014 to 15/12/2014
36. RSBP

- Street Collection Permit
01/03/2014 to 31/08/2014
37. Cancer Research UK
Street Collection Permit
19/04/2014
38. Dreams Come True
Street Collection Permit
10/01/2014 to 10/04/2014
39. Breast Cancer Campaign
Street Collection Permit
17/05/2014
40. Peace Direct
Street Collection Permit
15/02/2014
41. RSBP
Street Collection Permit
15/01/2014
42. Childhood Cancer Patients Alliance
House to House Collection Permit
31/01/2014 to 31/12/2014
43. RSPB
Street Collection Permit
22/01/2014
44. Meningitis Research Foundation
Street Collection Permit
11/01/2014
45. St Johns Ambulance Brigade
Street Collection Permit
16/02/2014
46. St Johns Ambulance Brigade
Street Collection Permit
02/03/2014

47. Royal Naval Association
Street Collection Permit
31/05/2014
48. Children with Cancer UK
Street Collection Permit
22/11/2014
49. Kids
Street Collection Permit
25/10/2014
50. Moorland Road Community Centre
Street Collection Permit
24/05/2014
51. Butetown Mardi Gras Festival
Street Collection Permit
12/07/2014
52. Royal National Institute for the Blind Cymru RNIB
Street Collection Permit
18/10/2014
53. Llamau
Street Collection Permit
23/02/2014
54. RSPB
Street Collection Permit
27/02/2014
55. Friends of Cardiff Dogs Home
Street Collection Permit
5/07/2014 to 6/07/2014
56. Ty Hafan
House to House Collection Permit
27/01/2014 to 2/03/2014
57. Kids Out UK
House to House Collection Permit
24/01/2014 to 28/02/2014

58. Childrens Society
Street Collection Permit
22/03/2014
59. Childrens Society
House to House Collection Permit
24/01/2014 to 30/04/2014
60. Breakthrough Breast Cancer Care
Street Collection Permit
20/02/2014
61. Breakthrough Breast Cancer Care
Street Collection Permit
26/02/2014
62. Cardiff and Vale NHS Trust
Street Collection Permit
17/02/2014 to 18/02/2014
63. Pancreatic Cancer UK
Street Collection Permit
20/04/2014
64. Pancreatic Cancer UK
Street Collection Permit
09/04/2014

PP56 : CAROL PERMIT APPLICATIONS

The Committee noted the action taken by the Head of Regulatory and Supporting Services in respect of the following applications:

1. Greyhound Rescue Wales
Carol Permit
08/12/2013
2. UCKG Helpcentre
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
3. Childreach International

- Carol Permit
14/12/2013
4. Action Aid
Carol Permit
06/12/2013
5. Concern Universal
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
6. Breast Cancer Care
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
7. Friends of Cardiff Dogs Home
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
8. Special Friends Sunshine Club
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
9. Anthony Nolan Bone Marrow Trust
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
10. Anthony Nolan Bone Marrow Trust
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
11. CoppaFeel!
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
12. Society for the Protection of Unborn Children
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
13. Western Beacons Mountain Search and Rescue Team
Carol Permit
15/12/2013

14. Salvation Army
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
15. Christian Broadcasting Network (OperationBlessing)
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
16. Pit Pony Sanctuary
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
17. Velindre Hospital
Carol Permit
11/12/2013
18. RSPB
Carol Permit
13/12/2013
19. Tredegar Town Band Society
Carol Permit
01/12/2013
20. Tredegar Town Band Society
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
21. Tredegar Town Band Society
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
22. Tredegar Town Band Society
Carol Permit
21/12/2013
23. Greyhound Rescue Wales
Carol Permit
06/12/2013
24. Unicef UK
Carol Permit
07/12/2013

25. Abercwmboi RFC Mini & Junior Sections
Carol Permit
20/12/2013
26. Hope Rescue
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
27. ENDC Welsh Girls Basketball
Carol Permit
21/12/2013
28. ENDC Welsh Girls Basketball
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
29. Barnardos
Carol Permit
16/12/2013
30. Anthony Nolan Bone Marrow Trust
Carol Permit
08/12/2013
31. Anthony Nolan Bone Marrow Trust
Carol Permit
01/12/2013
32. Anthony Nolan Bone Marrow Trust
Carol Permit
04/12/2013
33. UCKG Helpcentre
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
34. UCKG Helpcentre
Carol Permit
21/12/2013
35. UCKG Helpcentre
Carol Permit

24/12/2013

36. Action Aid
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
37. Action Aid
Carol Permit
08/12/2013
38. Bobath Childrens Therapy Centre Wales
Carol Permit
17/12/2013
39. Bobath Childrens Therapy Centre Wales
Carol Permit
20/12/2013
40. Bobath Childrens Therapy Centre Wales
Carol Permit
21/12/2013
41. Bobath Childrens Therapy Centre Wales
Carol Permit
23/12/2013
42. Friends of Cardiff Dogs Home
Carol Permit
14/12/2013
43. Greyhound Rescue Wales
Carol Permit
07/12/2013
44. Greyhound Rescue Wales
Carol Permit
20/12/2013
45. Greyhound Rescue Wales
Carol Permit
21/12/2013
46. Greyhound Rescue Wales

Carol Permit
09/12/2013

47. Greyhound Rescue Wales
Carol Permit
22/12/2013

PP57 : SEX ESTABLISHMENT LICENCE APPLICATIONS

The Committee noted the action taken by the Head of Regulatory and Supporting Services in respect of the following application:

1. Simply Pleasure.com, 13 Broadway, Roath

Sex Establishment (Sex Shop) Licence renewed.

PP58 : ANIMAL LICENCE APPLICATIONS

RESOLVED – That the following applications be dealt with as indicated:

- (1) Cardiff Pets Warehouse, 68-70 Cowbridge Road East

Pet Shop Licence granted.
- (2) JFM Exotics, 173 Cowbridge Road West

Pet Shop Licence granted.
- (3) Ms Julie Trott (Waggin Tails), 16 Western Drive

Pet Shop Licence granted.

PP59 : ANIMAL LICENCE APPLICATIONS DELEGATED

The Committee noted the action taken by the Head of Regulatory and Supporting Services in respect of the following applications:

1. Aquapets, Merthyr Road

Pet Shop Premises licence

2. Aquatic House, Cowbridge Road East
Pet Shop Premises licence
3. Aquatic World, Crwys Road
Pet Shop Premises licence
4. Boarding Centre, Parkwall Road, Lisvane
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
5. Cardiff Riding School
Riding Establishment licence
6. City Aquatics, Sloper Road
Pet Shop licence
7. Dogz n Dubz
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
8. DP Aquatics
Pet Shop licence
9. Dragon Reptiles (Wales)
Pet Shop licence
10. F Janes, Cowbridge Road East
Pet Shop licence
11. Home from Home
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
12. Jackson Pet Care Services and Doggie Digs
Animal Boarding Establishment licence

13. Lisvane Cattery
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
14. Maidenhead Aquatics, Morganstown
Pet Shop licence
15. Mr N Thomas, Pantmawr Road
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
16. Ms A Adams, Llanederyn Road
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
17. Mrs C R Edwards, Philip Close
Dog Breeding Establishment licence
18. Mrs P A V Vaisto, Heol Hentre
Animal Home Boarding Establishment
19. Pampurred Pets, Morganstown
Pet Shop licence
20. Pentrych Boarding Kennels
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
21. Pet Supermarket, Central Market
Pet Shop licence
22. Pet World, Central Market
Pet Shop licence

23. Pets at Home, Cardiff Bay
Pet Shop licence
24. Pets at Home, Newport Road
Pet Shop licence
25. Pets at Home, Ty Glas
Pet Shop licence
26. Pinecroft Cattery, Pentyrch
Pet Shop licence
27. Reptile Cymru, Cowbridge Road East
Pet Shop licence
28. Shampooch Groomers, Whitchurch
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
29. Slanwood Kennels
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
30. St Fagans Cattery
Animal Boarding Establishment licence
31. Thonock, Rhiwbina
Animal Boarding Establishment licence

PP60 : STREET TRADING LICENCES

The Committee noted the action taken by the Head of Regulatory and Supporting Services in respect of the following applications:

1. Mr P Thomas, Working Street

Street Trading Licence renewed

2. Mr S Omar, Bangor Street

Street Trading Licence renewed

3. Mr H Morgan, Park Lane

Street Trading Licence renewed

4. Mr P Dolbear, Ann Street

Street Trading Licence renewed

5. Mrs P Yeates, Great Western Lane

Street Trading Licence renewed

6. Mr T Harris, Central Square

Street Trading Licence renewed