

Committee: Resources

Date: 4 July 2023

Title: Somerset Council's Licensing Policy

Purpose of Report

To allow Members to comment on the new Licensing Policy emanating from Somerset Council.

Recommendation:

Members to note the report and suggest any changes that they feel might be appropriate.

Report:

1. A link to the revised Somerset Licencing Policy consultation has been sent to the Town Council and members of the public and this requires Members to consider if they wish to suggest any amendments to the proposed licence from the perspective of Ilminster Town Council as a body corporate.
2. The policy can be viewed by clicking on the following link. [Statement of Licensing Policy draft document](#)
3. It is advisable that Members read the document thoroughly before proposing any comments and that ahead of the meeting they provide to Ilminster Town Council's officers, details of any changes that they are suggesting so that this can be brought to all Members attention ahead of the meeting.
4. Members may feel it appropriate to share this consultation with the various organisations that they are the link member for so that they can consider if the document will adversely affect them or not.
5. The closing date for the consultation is the 13 July and they can be posted on line at the following [link](#).
6. Any changes will require a resolution to be brought forward that is clearly worded so it can be sent to Somerset Council.

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Town Clerk
June 2023