

**MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE
TAXI LICENSING COMMITTEE
HELD AT NELSON TOWN HALL
ON 15TH SEPTEMBER 2026**

PRESENT –

Councillor N. Ashraf (Chair)

Councillors

*S. Ahmed
M. Aslam
M. Iqbal
B. Newman
R. O'Connor
M. Waddington*

Officers present

*W. Barraclough-Gray
Emma Barker
Lynne Rowland*

*Taxi Enforcement Officer
Legal Services Manager
Committee Administrator*

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12. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Members were reminded of the legal requirements concerning the declaration of interests.

Members' attention was also drawn to the requirements of the Council's Code of Conduct relating to the disclosure of Other Registrable Interests and Non-Registrable Interests.

13. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

There were no questions from members of the public.

14. MINUTES

RESOLVED

That the minutes of the meeting held on 13th August 2026 be agreed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

15. EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC AND PRESS

RESOLVED

That in pursuance of the power contained in Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) the public and press be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the next item of business on the grounds that if a member of the public and press were present during consideration of the item, there would be disclosure to them of exempt information relating to the financial or business affairs of a particular person/persons.

16.

INTERVIEWS

(a) Report on MSSM

The Assistant Director Planning, Building Control and Regulatory Services submitted a report in respect of MSSM. MSSM attended for interview with one representative.

RESOLVED

That MSSM be granted a private hire driver's licence.

CHAIR _____