

Minutes of the Late Night Levy Board Meeting

26th of April 2022

Google Hangouts

Attendance

Cllr Plouviez	Chair of the Licensing Committee	EP
David Tuitt	Licensing Team Leader	DT
Gerry McCarthy	Community Safety, Business Regulation and Enforcement	GM
Samantha Mathys	Late Night Levy Manager	SM
Adam Popple	Hackney Central Pubwatch	APe
William Knowles-Mofford	Shoreditch Pubwatch	WKM
Kerry Maisey	Dalston Pubwatch	DB
James Scott	Economic Regeneration	JS
Maggie Ryan	Stoke Newington Pubwatch	MRy
Maurice Mason	Community Safety	MM
Cllr Fajana-Thomas	Cabinet Member for Community Safety, Policy and the Voluntary Sector	SFT
Leon McCallister	MPS	LM
Lucky Singh	MPS	LS

		Actions
1.	Chairs introduction, round table introductions and apologies	Noted
2.	Minutes of the last meeting and matters arising The minutes from the previous meeting were accepted as a true record.	Noted
3.	LNL Update and Hackney Nights Accreditation Scheme SM presented the late night levy update for April 2022. She presented a finance update as well as new Hackney Nights initiatives.	Noted
4	Police Update Police presented the April 2022 update WKM had a query regarding the revocation of off licences. WKM also asked about the enforcement action taken against venues and asked Police to expand on these and whether this was a new policy. MM explained that we only use enforcement as a last resort, identifying Crime and disorder then trends then work with licensees to prevent the	Noted Noted

	<p>disorder (training, visits, action plans). Only repetitive incidents lead to these. Only a small number get enforcement action against them.</p> <p>WKM has a worry about the way we are looking at TENS, appears as though the Police is targeting venues. The TENS were the next point he raised and asked why we are refusing TENS.</p> <p>LS stated that TENS are reviewing each on their own merits. Overall violence has been reduced in the NTE therefore we should see the number of rejections decrease.</p> <p>SFT added that most TENS are approved, support to Off Licences, she asked WKM to offer up what information he would like in these meetings moving forward.</p> <p>SM to review the format of this meeting moving forward.</p> <p>This issue of phone thefts was raised by multiple individuals and inquired about the overarching plan of the MET to tackle this issue</p> <p>LS replied that there is a robbery task force in place, and plain clothes operations. He added that this has been a problem across London, They will continue the Look up Look out campaign, Op nightingale, op avert and ensure officers are patrolling key areas.</p>	<p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Action</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p>
<p>5.</p>	<p>Pubwatch Representatives options and observations</p> <p>Shoreditch WKM asked the group how we can better help the off licences within the Shoreditch footprint as they often do not have security yet deal with many of the same ASB as the venues outside their doors.</p> <p>Hackney Central AP reported that mostly the area is business as usual. The only issue he has seen is in regards to the traveller community invading some of the premises in the area.</p> <p>SM to relay with AP to discuss these issues further</p> <p>Stoke Newington Church Street very quiet trade down because of LTNs.</p> <p>Dalston KM reported that they would like to see more of the enforcement officers at kick out time. There have also been issues with SIA as it is very</p>	<p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Action</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p>

	<p>difficult to find consistent resources. They would like to see a dispersal policy for Dalston.</p> <p>SM to look into dispersal policy</p>	Action
6.	Any other business	
	<p>Date of next meeting</p> <p>July 20th at 1pm</p>	Noted