

**REPORT:** Regulatory Committee

**DATE:** 19 May 2011

**REPORTING OFFICER:** Chief Executive

**SUBJECT:** Application for a premises Licence – Morrisons  
Queensbury Way Widnes

**WARDS:** Birchfield

## **1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To hold a hearing to assess relevant representation made in response to an application for a premises licence in respect of Morrisons Queensbury Way Widnes

## **2. RECOMMENDATION**

**That the Committee considers the relevant representations and make a determination on the application.**

## **3. SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

- 3.1** An application has been made under section 17 Licensing Act 2003 (“the 2003 Act”)
- 3.2** This hearing is held in accordance with the 2003 Act and the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005.
- 3.3** The procedure to be followed has been circulated to all parties and will be repeated at the beginning of the hearing.
- 3.4** The hearing is solely concerned with those aspects of the application, which have been the subject of relevant representations as defined in the 2003 Act.

## **4 THE APPLICATION**

- 4.1** Wm Morrison Supermarkets PLC has applied for a premises licence in respect of a premise at Queensbury Way Widnes
- 4.2** The application relates to the supply of alcohol off the premises between the hours of **06.00** and **Midnight** each day

## **5 RELEVANT REPRESENTATIONS**

### **5.1 RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES**

The following responsible authority has made relevant representations

### **5.1.1 CHESHIRE CONSTABULARY**

The response received from the Police states  
“Having examined the Operating Schedule I am satisfied that the measures offered are robust enough to satisfy the four licensing objective. I therefore make no further representations. The proposed DPS gives no grounds for objection”

### **5.2 INTERESTED PARTIES**

40 letters of representations have been received.

4 letters of representations were received following the expiry period for representations and will not be considered.

The representations have been placed on the application file and copies have been forwarded to the applicant and to the members of the Committee.

Not all representations are relevant representations. Only relevant representations will be taken into account by the Committee. The Committee will determine what constitutes a relevant representation from an interested party.

It is not practical to include the text of relevant representations within this agenda but they are background documents which will be considered by the Committee.

Details of interested parties who have made relevant representations are set out at **Appendix 1**

## **6 OPTIONS**

**6.1** The Committee has the following options under section 17 of the 2003 Act:

6.1.1 It must Grant the application (where properly made) unless it considers that for the promotion of the licensing objectives it considers it necessary to take any of the following steps, namely -

6.1.2 Impose relevant conditions on the licence;

6.1.3 Reject the whole or part of the application.

## **7 POLICY IMPLICATIONS**

This heading in the Council’s pro forma agenda layout is not relevant to the hearings under the Licensing Act 2003

## **8 OTHER IMPLICATIONS**

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## **9 IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCILS PRIORITIES**

### **9.1 Children and Young People in Halton**

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### **9.2 Employment Learning and Skills in Halton**

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### **9.3 A healthy Halton**

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### **9.4 A Safer Halton**

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### **9.5 Halton's Urban Renewal**

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## **10 RISK ANALYSIS**

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## **11 EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES**

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## **12 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

<b>Document</b>	<b>Place of Inspection</b>	<b>Contact Officer</b>
Application Documents	Legal Services	John Tully/Kay Cleary

## APPENDIX 1

### Morrisons Queensbury Way List of interested Parties

<p>Mrs D Raw 4 Biddleston Cross Ascot Gardens Widnes WA8 9AU</p> <p><b>1</b></p>	<p>Mr &amp; Mrs D Ledgerton 17 Biddleston Cross Ascot Gardens Widnes WA8 9AU</p> <p><b>2</b></p>	<p>Mr &amp; Mrs Roche 18 Biddleston Cross Off Queensbury Way Upton Rocks Widnes WA8 9AU</p> <p><b>3</b></p>
<p>Helen Carlin 5 Doughton Green Widnes WA8 9AX</p> <p><b>4</b></p>	<p>Mr &amp; Mrs Cammish 10 Doughton Green Widnes WA8 9AX</p> <p><b>5</b></p>	<p>Mrs L J Rotherham 12 Doughton Green Widnes WA8 9AX</p> <p><b>6</b></p>
<p>Mr &amp; Mrs H J Smith 1 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>7</b></p>	<p>Mr M Burt 5 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>8</b></p>	<p>Mr M Kay 6 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>9</b></p>
<p>Ruth Kay 6 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>10</b></p>	<p>Mr J Simpson 10 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>11</b></p>	<p>Marie and Steve Orrell 11 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>12</b></p>
<p>L Andrews 23 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>13</b></p>	<p>Mr &amp; Mrs S R Brook 34 Falkirk Avenue Widnes Wa8 9DX</p> <p><b>14</b></p>	<p>Mr A Riley 44 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>15</b></p>
<p>Mrs J Hulme 38 Falkirk Avenue Widnes WA8 9DX</p> <p><b>16</b></p>	<p>Mr D Harrison 1 Greenock Mews Upton Rocks Widnes WA8 9DW</p> <p><b>17</b></p>	<p>Mr S Ellis 4 Greenock Mews Upton Rocks Widnes WA8 9DW</p> <p><b>18</b></p>

Mr P Hughes 11 Greenock Mews Upton Rocks Widnes WA8 9DW  <b>19</b>	Julie Garner 1 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>20</b>	C G Wicker 4 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>21</b>
Ms P Bleasdale 15 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>22</b>	David and Janet Gaunt 35 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>23</b>	Mr P & Mrs A Telfer 43 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>24</b>
Mr S Price 45 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>25</b>	Chris Hart and Kay Pickard 47 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>26</b>	Chris Broomhead 3 Motherwell Close Widnes WA8 9DU  <b>27</b>
Dr C S Lane 4 Motherwell Close Widnes WA8 9DU  <b>28</b>	Mrs S Pantlin Smith 15 Portrush Close The Paddocks Upton Rocks Widnes WA8 9SH  <b>29</b>	Mr Ryan Pursey Mrs Amanda Pursey 16 Portrush Close The Paddocks Widnes WA8 9SH  <b>30</b>
Mr M Waldie 18 Portrush Close The Paddocks Widnes WA8 9SH  <b>31</b>	Dianne Sheerin 20 Portrush Close The Paddocks Widnes WA8 9SH  <b>32</b>	M Wilkinson 24 Portrush Close The Paddocks Widnes WA8 9SH  <b>33</b>
Anna McDonald 8 Roscommon Way The Paddocks Widnes WA8 9SB  <b>34</b>	Miss May Johnson 22 Portrush Close The Paddocks Widnes WA8 9SH  <b>35</b>	Mr A Simpson 24 Roscommon Way Upton Rocks Widnes WA8 9SB  <b>36</b>
Paula Simpson 24 Roscommon Way Upton Rocks Widnes	Mr M Nunn 29 Roscommon Way Upton Rocks Widnes	Lynne Edwards 29 Roscommon Way Upton Rocks Widnes

WA8 9SB  <b>37</b>	WA8 9SB  <b>38</b>	WA8 9SB  <b>39</b>
C Hart A Hart 47 Lanark Gardens Widnes WA8 9DT  <b>40</b>		