

7 December 2017

Report of	Monitoring Officer	Author	Andrew Weavers ☎ 282213
Title	Revised Committee Membership		
Wards affected	Not applicable		

1. Executive Summary

Following the recent Shrub End by-election Full Council is required to agree a change to the membership of the Licensing Committee which has been agreed between the Liberal Democrat and Conservative Groups.

2. Recommended Decision

- 2.1 To agree the change to the membership of the Licensing Committee as detailed at paragraph 4.2 of this report

3. Background

- 3.1 At the Annual Meeting on 24 May 2017 the Full Council approved the membership and political balance of its committees and panels. Following the result of the Shrub End by-election on 7 September 2017 it is necessary to revise this. This report details below the changes agreed to the membership and composition of the Licensing Committee.

4. Proposals

- 4.1 The composition of the Licensing Committee agreed at the Annual meeting was 10 seats:

Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour
Cllr Cope	Cllr Buston	Cllr Harris
Cllr Higgins	Cllr Elliott	Cllr Scordis
Cllr Hogg	Cllr Laws	Cllr Young , J
	Cllr Moore	

- 4.2 The Liberal Democrat and the Conservative Groups have agreed that Councillor Higgins will come off the Licensing Committee and be replaced by Councillor Hazell.

5. Strategic Plan References

- 5.1 The manner in which the Council governs its business is an underpinning mechanism in the Council's Strategic Plan aims to set out the direction and future potential for our Borough.

6. Financial, Equality, Diversity and Human Rights, Consultation, Community Safety, Health, Publicity and Safety and Risk Management Implications

- 6.1 None identified.