LICENSING SUB COMMITTEE INFORMATION SHEET 2 November 2023

TYPE OF APPLICATION: Application for grant of a Street Trader Licence
APPLICANT: Morad Slama

INFORMATION NOTE

Application submitted: 04/08/2023

Determination date: 03/05/2024

DESCRIPTION

Grant of Street Trader Licence

Location: Whitemyres Avenue North Side, 15m West of Whitemyres Place, Aberdeen, Ab16 6HQ

Mr Slama is applying for a hot food van to be placed at the above location. The application was submitted on 4th August 2023; the determination date is 03 May 2024.

Three objections were received by local business owners on the grounds that there are already food vans located in this area and access to the business owners' premises is restricted.

CONSULTEES

- Police Scotland
- Environmental Health
- Roads

OBJECTIONS/REPRESENTATIONS

Public objections X3

COMMITTEE GUIDELINES/POLICY

N/A

GROUNDS FOR REFUSAL

A licensing authority shall refuse an application to grant or renew a licence if, in their opinion—

(a)the applicant or, where the applicant is not a natural person, any director of it or partner in it or any other person responsible for its management, is either—
(i)for the time being disqualified from holding a licence, or

(ii)not a fit and proper person to be the holder of the licence;

(b)the activity to which it relates would be managed by or carried on for the benefit of a person, other than the applicant, who would be refused the grant or renewal of such a licence if he made the application himself;

(c)where the licence applied for relates to an activity consisting of or including the use of premises or a vehicle or vessel, those premises are not or, as the case may be, that vehicle or vessel is not suitable or convenient for the conduct of the activity having regard to—

(i)the location, character or condition of the premises or the character or condition of the vehicle or vessel;

(ii)the nature and extent of the proposed activity;

(iii)the kind of persons likely to be in the premises, vehicle or vessel;

(iv)the possibility of undue public nuisance; or

(v)public order or public safety; or

(d)there is other good reason for refusing the application;

and otherwise shall grant the application.