REPORT TO: ENVIRONMENTAL AND AGENDA ITEM: 6

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

COMMITTEE

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SUBJECT: STREET TRADING – REVISION OF REF:

STREET TRADING POLICY

WARD(S) TERMS OF AFFECTED: ALL REFERENCE:

1. Recommendations

1.1 That Members note the consultation responses received in relation to the Street Trading Policy at **Appendix 2.**

1.2 That Members approve the Council's Street Trading Policy.

2. Purpose of Report

- 2.1 To provide Members with the outcome of a consultation with interested parties.
- 2.2 To provide Members with the necessary information to be able to consider the recommendations contained in paragraph 1 of this report.

3. Detail

- 3.1 Under Schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, a Council has the power to adopt the Schedule enabling them to control street trading in their District. This Council adopted Schedule 4 in April 1991 and designated streets in Swadlincote as consent streets therefore any person trading in these streets would require a consent from the Council.
- 3.2 The Council passed a further resolution and updated the Street Trading Policy in 2016. The effect of this policy change was to increase the number of designated consent streets to include all streets within the boundary of the Town Centre as detailed on the map contained at **Appendix 2** of the policy.

3.3 It is considered best practice to review policies at least every 5 years, as this policy has been in place since September 2016 the policy has been reviewed in line with this requirement.

Consultation

3.3 A 12-week consultation took place between the 28^{th of} October 2020 and the 28^{th of} January 2021. Copies of the Policy were sent to the following:

The Highways Agency
The Chief Officer of Derbyshire Constabulary
Derbyshire Fire & Rescue Service
Swadlincote Chamber of Trade
All Parish Council's in South Derbyshire
South Derbyshire Councillors'
Environmental Health
Economic Development
Existing license holders an

The Policy was also placed on the Council's website.

3.4 3 responses were received during the consultation period. A summary of the points raised in relation to these responses received can be found at **Appendix 2.** The amended draft Policy is attached as **Appendix 1.**

4. <u>Financial Implications</u>

- 4.1 There are no financial implications to the Council.
- 4.2 Recommendation 1.1 and 1.2 will have no financial implications on existing licence holders.

5. Corporate Implications

Employment Implications

5.1 None

Legal Implications

5.2 None

Corporate Plan Implications

5.3 These proposals will continue to demonstrate to members of the public that the Council takes the protection of residents, children, and vulnerable adults from the potential harms of licensing seriously, which contributes to the value of taking pride in our place and striving for excellence in all we do.

Risk Impact

5.4 None

6. <u>Community Impact</u>

Consultation

6.1 Consultation has taken place with all relevant bodies.

Equality and Diversity Impact

6.2 None

Social Value Impact

6.3 The proposals will protect all residents in South Derbyshire from the potential harms of inadequate licensing controls.

Environmental Sustainability

6.4 None

7. <u>Background Papers</u>

Street Trading Policy 2016 Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982