

REPORT OF THE HEAD OF STREETSCENE

REGULATORY COMMITTEE – 26 NOVEMBER 2012

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1982 APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRADE IN A DESIGNATED AREA HIGH STREET WEST, 40 METRES EAST OF CUMBERLAND STREET AND 9 METRES NORTH OF THE SHOP FRONTAGES ON HIGH STREET WEST, SUNDERLAND

Mr. Keith Turner (Jnr)

1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to request the Committee to consider an application for the granting of street trading consent made by Mr. Keith Turner (Jnr). The area for which the consent is requested is outside Curry's in High Street West for the period 14 November to 30 December 2012.

2.0 DESCRIPTION OF DECISION (RECOMMENDATION)

- 2.1 The Committee is recommended to consider the grant of consent to the applicant to trade in the designated area as described in paragraph 1.1 above under the terms of Schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982.

3.0 INTRODUCTION/BACKGROUND

- 3.1 The site has been designated by the Council as a consent street for street trading purposes under Part III and Schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982. The Council has discretion to grant such consent "if it thinks fit".
- 3.2 On 3 March 2008 the Committee delegated to officers the power to grant applications for short term street trading consent (up to one month) subject to there being no objections received to the application.
- 3.3 No objections have been received in respect of this application and a consent permit has been issued under delegated authority for the period from 14 November until 13 December 2012 (up to one month). However, as this application is for a period longer than a month, the consideration of the Committee is required for the period from 14 December until 30 December 2012.

4.0 CURRENT POSITION

- 4.1 Members may recall that they resolved to grant an application for street trading consent to Mr. Keith Turner (Jnr) at this location previously on 28 November 2011 for the period 17 December to 30 December 2011

Mr. Turner was also granted consent to trade at the proposed location for the festive period in 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010.

- 4.2 The current application relates to a location in High Street West identified on a map of the City Centre attached as Appendix 1. The applicant wishes to sell candy floss, toffee apples, popcorn, sweets, doughnuts, cold/hot drinks and hot chestnuts.

5.0 REASONS FOR THE DECISION

- 5.1 Paragraph 7 of Schedule 4 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 allows the Council to grant consent if it sees fit to do so. The Council may impose conditions upon the consent.

6.0 ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS

- 6.1 None submitted.

7.0 RELEVANT CONSIDERATIONS

- 7.1 There are no objections to this application.

8.0 GLOSSARY

- 8.1 No acronyms or abbreviations have been used in this report.

9.0 APPENDICIES

- 9.1 Appendix 1 – Map showing the location of the site.

10.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

- 10.1 None.

Appendix 1

Proposed Trading Location

