

Appendix A Table of consultation responses

Respondent	Comment	Council response
Licensee	<p>I have just tried to access your consultation document but it came up as page not found. I double checked my spelling etc twice but it still came back as page not found on the West Suffolk Council site.</p> <p>Having not been able to access the proposed policy I cannot comment directly but have the following comments.</p> <p>As I couldn't download the proposed policy what are the mandatory conditions that you are removing?</p> <p>Are there any 24hr alcohol licenses granted in the West Suffolk area? I think this would be an advantage as it would allow small establishments greater flexibility on opening times. At the time of the license change in 2004 Culford Club applied for a 24 hr license to enable us to cater or local events without having to apply for variations this was turned down at the time. It was not our intention to open for 24 hrs but merely to have the opportunity to extend serving if busy. If this was allowed, it could be reviewed at the annual license renewal and limits imposed if complaints had been received. It would also be an advantage if a license could be moved to another location for a 24hr period without having to apply for a TEN. This would enable places like Culford Club to provide a bar at</p>	<p>A copy of the draft policy was made available on request to the respondent.</p> <p>Council response: "You enquired whether we had any premises with 24 hour alcohol licences, we do have some in West Suffolk, there are certainly some garages and hotels. Details of all current premises licences are detailed on our public register on the website which can be found by clicking on the following link https://regulatory.westsuffolk.gov.uk/Northgate/ES/Presentation/Public/OnlineLicence. A premises can apply to vary their licence, but careful consideration would need to be given when completing the operating schedule with regards to the four licensing objectives taking into account the premises location etc. I'm afraid premises licences are unable to be transferred to another location for any period, if a location does not have a licence covering them for the required licensable activities, a TEN would need to be applied for.</p> <p>Regarding your personal licence, initially licences were issued for ten years but amendments to the legislation were made by the Government so there is no expiry date, there was not a requirement to reissue all of the licences. Should you require a replacement licence to remove the expiry date this can be applied for at a cost of £10.50 by emailing licensing@westsuffolk.gov.uk."</p> <p>The comments concerning hackney carriage vehicles is not relevant to this consultation. However, these comments have been noted by the licensing team.</p>

	<p>the Culford Village Hall for events there. This could be achieved by having Culford Club inform yourselves of a change for example with a 14 day notice period but not having to apply for a TEN.</p> <p>I have a personal License number 2094. At the time this was for a limited period as it states that it expires on 6/12/2015, I have enquired for West Suffolk to issue a replacement without an expiry date but have been told you do not reissue them. Why? What happens if I lose mine?</p> <p>Are you reviewing just the Alcohol licensing conditions or are you reviewing other licenses as I think the Taxi licensing should be reviewed to allow electric assisted bicycles to carry passengers for gain without having to comply with all the Hackney Carriage requirements as they are not relevant and cannot be met. This would assist a more greener method of passenger transportation for short journeys around town and reduce pollution from ICE engines and also reduce congestion in the town at busy times. This could all add to West Suffolk becoming a 'greener council'.</p>	
Suffolk Constabulary	The additions on delivery of alcohol and Late Night Refreshment are sensible, following on from changing business practices during Covid.	N/A

	No amendments or additions from Suffolk Constabulary Licensing.	
Cavendish Parish Council	We do not have a licensed bar and only temporary licences are applied for if people wish to run a bar, [so] this does not affect us. We as trustees of the premises do not apply for a TEN whoever rents the premises for an evening has to do that. No outside delivery of alcohol takes place.	N/A