

# WIRRAL COUNCIL

## LICENSING ACT 2003 COMMITTEE LICENSING ACT 2003 SUB-COMMITTEE

17 MAY 2013

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| SUBJECT:       | APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003 |
| WARD AFFECTED: | BIRKENHEAD AND TRANMERE                                                           |
| REPORT OF:     | STRATEGIC DIRECTOR OF REGENERATION & ENVIRONMENT                                  |
| KEY DECISION?  | NO                                                                                |

### 1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to consider an application for a Premises Licence under the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003. The application is made by **M & S Wilkinson Limited** and relates to the premises known as **Port Sunlight Garden Centre, The Causeway, Port Sunlight**.

### 2.0 BACKGROUND AND KEY ISSUES

- 2.1 These premises do not currently have a Premises Licence.

### 3.0 APPLICATION

- 3.1 The application for the grant of a new Premises Licence is as follows:

#### **Sale by Retail of Alcohol**

Monday to Saturday 09:00 to 23:00  
Sunday 10:00 to 23:00

#### **Hours Open to the Public**

Monday to Saturday 09:00 to 23:00  
Sunday 10:00 to 23:00

### 4.0 PROMOTION OF LICENSING OBJECTIVES

- 4.1 Applicants are required to submit as part of their application an operating schedule that sets out how they will conduct/manage their business in accordance with the four Licensing Objectives. A copy of the full application is available.
- 4.2 Members of the Licensing Act 2003 Sub-Committee are advised that the proposals set out in the operating schedule may become conditions of licence should the licence be granted.

## **5.0 RELEVANT REPRESENTATIONS**

- 5.1 The following Representations have been received in respect of the above application.

Four representations have been received from local residents. The representations relate to concerns that if the application is granted this will result in an increase in anti-social behaviour and noise nuisance which is currently considered to be a problem within the vicinity of the premises. Copies of the representations are available.

- 5.2 There have been no representations received from the following Responsible Authorities:

Wirral Safe Guarding Children Board  
Trading Standards  
Planning Authority  
Fire Authority  
Environmental Health  
Wirral PCT  
Wirral Licensing Authority  
Merseyside Police

## **6.0 RELEVANT RISKS**

- 6.1 There are none arising directly from this report.

## **7.0 OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

- 7.1 There is no provision for other options to be considered.

## **8.0 CONSULTATION**

- 8.1 Statutory consultation has been undertaken in respect of this application.

## **9.0 IMPLICATIONS FOR VOLUNTARY, COMMUNITY AND FAITH GROUPS**

- 9.1 There are no specific implications arising from this report.

## **10.0 RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS: FINANCIAL; IT; STAFFING; AND ASSETS**

- 10.1 There are no specific implications arising from this report.

## **11.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 11.1 A decision of this Committee can be subject to Appeal.

## **12.0 EQUALITIES IMPLICATIONS**

- 12.1 Has the potential impact of your proposal(s) been reviewed with regard to equality?

No because there is no relevance to equality.

### **13.0 CARBON REDUCTION IMPLICATIONS**

13.1 There are no specific implications arising from this report.

### **14.0 PLANNING AND COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS**

14.1 There are no Planning implications arising from this report.

### **15.0 RECOMMENDATION**

15.1 The Licensing Act 2003 Sub-Committee are asked to consider the application for a Premises Licence in respect of the above premises.

### **16.0 REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

16.1 It is a statutory requirement for this Committee to determine the application due to relevant representations received.

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### **APPENDICES**

- Application for a Premises Licence (Exempt)
- Representations received from Local Residents (Exempt)

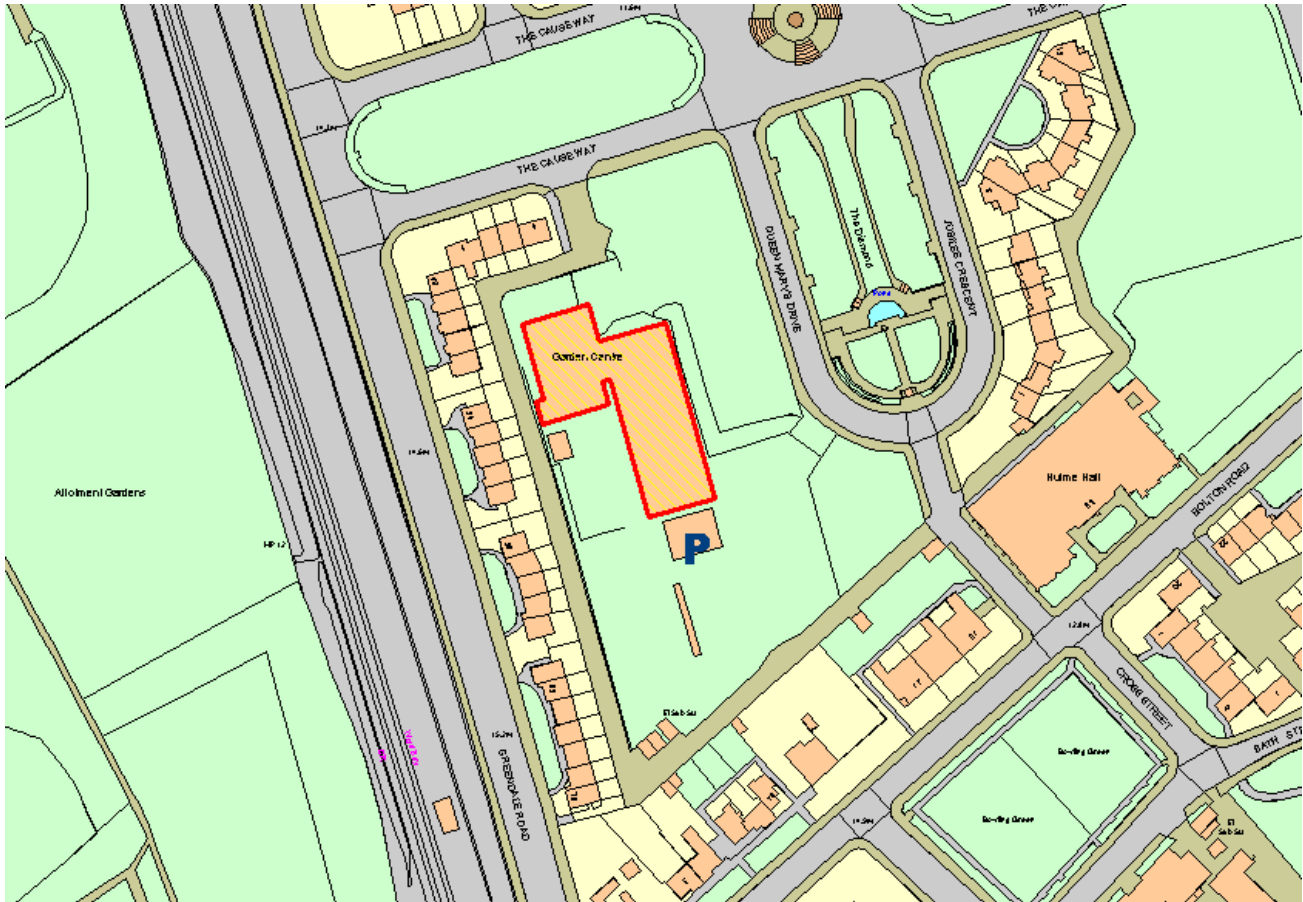
### **REFERENCE MATERIAL**

- None

### **SUBJECT HISTORY (last 3 years)**

| <b>Council Meeting</b> | <b>Date</b> |
|------------------------|-------------|
| <b>None</b>            |             |

## Location plan of Premises



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