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Consultation on Charity Collections Policy under The Police, Factories, etc (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1916 which regulates collections of money or sales of articles for charitable purposes in street and public places and the Charities Act 1992

Introduction

Hart District Council as the Licensing Authority under the section 115(E) of the Police, Factories, etc (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1916 which regulates collections of money or sales of articles for charitable purposes in street and public places and the Charities Act 1992.

The Licensing Authority has reviewed the current Charity Collections Policy and has made changes in line with the development of the shared service. This aims to ensure it remains current and includes more detail to support applicants and the Council in the application and determination process. It also determines how the Council will undertake its duties in this area.

Consultation

The Licensing Authority must consult on its policy with a broad range of statutory and non-statutory consultees.

The draft policy for consultation can be found at www.hart.gov.uk/consultations A hard copy of the draft Policy can be requested by contacting the Licensing Team on 01252 622122.

Hart District Council will welcome comments and will consider them before confirming the final policy at the Council's Licensing Committee meetings later in 2022.

Submitting your views

To submit your views and comments in relation to this consultation you may either send them via email to: licence@hart.gov.uk

Alternatively you may post your comments to:

Shared Licensing Services Team
Civic Offices
Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council
London Road
Basingstoke
RG21 4AH

The closing date for the receipt of consultation responses to the Council is **5pm** on the **** June 2022**.

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Kind regards

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