

Okehampton Town Council

Planning Committee Terms of Reference 2025/26

Responsibilities

To carry out the Council's responsibilities for the following areas:

- 1. All matters relating to planning and to licensing of premises to serve and/or sell alcohol or food.
- 2. That a member of the Committee attends on its behalf any meeting called by WDBC's Development and Licencing Committee in relation to planning or licencing applications that have been called-in for consideration, and on which the Committee has submitted a response. In the event that attendance cannot be resolved at a meeting due to timescales, priority will be given as follows by the Clerk/Assistant Clerk:
 - i. Chairman
 - ii. Vice-Chairman
 - iii. Committee Member
- 3. Matters relating to highways issues

Payment of Expenses

To have authority to authorise cheque and BACS payments for all invoices and expenses relevant to the business of the council.