

**Motherwell, 7 February 2011 at 2.30 pm.**

A Special Meeting of the **CORPORATE SERVICES (LICENSING) SUB-COMMITTEE**

**PRESENT**

Councillor Hogg, Convener; Councillor McAuley, Vice-Convener; Councillors McElroy and Sullivan.

**CHAIR**

Councillor Hogg (Convener) presided.

**IN ATTENDANCE**

The Administrative Officer (Committee and Civic Governance Services) and Chief Solicitor (Licensing).

**ALSO IN ATTENDANCE**

Sergeant Hayburn, "N" Division, Strathclyde Police.

**APOLOGIES**

Councillors Clarke, Ferrie and S. Love.

**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN TERMS OF THE ETHICAL STANDARDS IN PUBLIC LIFE ETC. (SCOTLAND) ACT 2000**

1. No declarations were made.

**HEARING**

**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT LICENCE – NEW APPLICATION - WILLIAM ALAN NEESOME**

2. The Chief Solicitor advised (1) that an application (tabled) by William Alan Neesome for a Public Entertainment Licence to hold a family fun fair in the car park at 1 Manse Road, Motherwell from Thursday, 10 February to Tuesday, 15 February 2011 had been received, and (2) that objections (tabled) to the application had been received from (a) Councillor Harmon, a local Member; (b) Mrs. J. King and signed by another six local residents; (c) Dr. R. Liddle and Partners, Modyrvale Medical Centre, and (d) the Operation Services Manager (Mental Health Unit) NHS Lanarkshire.

The Administrative Officer then indicated that a representative from Dr. R. Liddle and Partners or NHS Lanarkshire were in attendance.

Thereafter, the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter in Dr. R. Liddle and Partners or NHS Lanarkshire's absence.

The Sub-Committee then heard Councillor Harmon and Mrs. King outline their objections to the application and Mr. Neesome, Liz McGuinness, Kidney Research UK and Rev. Baxendale, Motherwell South Parish Church speak in support of the application.

Thereafter, the applicant, Liz McGuinness, Rev. Baxendale, Councillor Harmon, Mrs. King and representatives of the Police withdrew from the meeting and the Sub-Committee resumed consideration of the matter.

The applicant, Liz McGuinness, Rev. Baxendale, Councillor Harmon, Mrs. King and representatives of the Police were then re-admitted to the meeting.

**Decided:** that the application by William Alan Neesome for a Public Entertainment Licence be granted.