

Record of officer decision

Decision title:	Granting a temporary licence to occupy land at Edgar Street Football Ground for away fans
Date of decision:	01 November 2023
Decision maker:	Strategic Assets Delivery Director (formerly Acting Head of Property)
Authority for delegated decision:	Corporate Services Directorate's scheme of delegation dated 23 December 2021 updated 17th June 2023 (line 35: To negotiate, agree terms for and sign the grant of leases, licences, tenancies, agreement for lease, development agreements and legal consents) gives the Strategic Assets Delivery Director the authority to take the decision
Ward:	Widemarsh
Consultation:	Environmental Health
Decision made:	Granting a temporary licence to occupy land at Edgar Street Football Ground for away fans
Reasons for decision:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Land and buildings at the Blackfriars end of the football ground are not included in the lease to Hereford FC although they have been granted a licence to use the toilets and snack store; • The Football club wishes to erect additional temporary fencing and provide mobile welfare facilities in this area for the benefit of away visitors for a number of potentially large fixtures during the current season. • This is a temporary licence whilst the club works on a permanent solution.
Equality Considerations	n/a
Highlight any associated risks/finance/legal/equality considerations:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The club will be responsible for all costs associated with this application. • The club must satisfy the requirements of the Safety Advisory Group. • Nil cost to the council. • This is a temporary licence that will terminate at the end of the current football season. It will not prejudice any future plans for the use of this area.
Details of any alternative options considered and rejected:	No suitable alternatives were proposed
Details of any declarations of interest made:	None

Signed..... Date: 01/11/2023

Sarah Jowett
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