



REPORT OF	MEETING	DATE	ITEM NO
RESOURCES DIRECTORATE	PUBLIC PROTECTION COMMITTEE	23 JULY 2015	4

# SAFEGUARDING AND LICENSING MATTERS

## **PUBLIC ITEM**

This item is for consideration in the public part of the meeting.

#### **SUMMARY**

A presentation will be made to the Committee by Detective Inspector Tony Baxter from Lancashire Constabulary's Public Protection Unit regarding Safeguarding and licensing matters.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

That the Committee note the report and recommend action as considered appropriate.

CORPORATE PRIORITIES		
To Promote the Enhancement of The Natural & Built Environment ( <b>Place</b> )	To Encourage Cohesive Communities (People)	٧
To Promote a Thriving Economy (Prosperity)	To Meet Expectations of our Customers (Performance)	٧

# **SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS DECISIONS**

There are no previous decisions relating to this matter.

#### **REPORT**

- Following Independent Inquiries into Child Sexual Exploitation in both Rotherham and Rochdale,
  Detective Inspector Baxter of Lancashire Constabulary's Public Protection Unit has been invited to
  present a report to the Committee on safeguarding issues in the Borough, particularly relating to
  licensed hackney carriage and private hire drivers.
- 2. The Committee are requested to note the report and make any recommendations considered appropriate.

	IMPLICATIONS
Finance	There are no matters arising directly from the report.
Legal	There are no matters arising directly from the report.
Community Safety	There are no matters arising directly from the report
Human Rights and Equalities	There are no matters arising directly from the report.
Sustainability and Environmental Impact	There are no matters arising directly from the report.
Health & Safety and Risk Management	There are no matters arising directly from the report.

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LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS			
Name of document	Date	Where available for inspection	
Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Exploitation in Rotherham	August 2014	http://www.rotherham.gov.uk/ downloads/file/1407/independent inquiry cse in rotherham	
Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Exploitation in Rochdale	May 2013	http://www.rochdale.gov.uk/default.aspx?page=16320	