

Committee(s): Ordinary Council	Date: 13 March 2024
Subject: Chairs Report for Licensing Committee and Planning Committee	
Committee Chair: Cllr Philip Mynott	

Fees and Charges – Licensing

The Licensing Committee approved the proposed fees and charges for 2024/25.

In addition to planning applications determined, the following items were debated and approved:

Response to the Thurrock Local Plan, Initial Proposals (Regulation 18) Consultation:

A report sought approval of a formal response from Brentwood Borough Council to the Thurrock Local Plan, Initial Proposals (Regulation 18) consultation. The consultation ran from 18 December 2023 and closed on 19 February 2024. The response conveyed broad support of Thurrock Council's aims in preparing a new Local Plan. The Council expressed concerns regarding the limited engagement that had taken place with neighbouring authorities, such as Brentwood Borough Council, and lack of information on how Thurrock plans to meet their development needs. Committee members voted to approve the response to the Thurrock Local Plan, Initial Proposals (Regulation 18) as set out in with the agenda.

Fees & Charges – Planning

The Planning Committee approved the proposed fees and charges for 2024/25.