

Title of Report:	Conferences Courses
Committee Report Submitted To:	Council Meeting
Date of Meeting:	6 September 2022
For Decision or For Information	For Information

Linkage to Council Strategy (2021-25)		
Strategic Theme	All themes	
Outcome	All outcomes	
Lead Officer	Chief Executive	

Budgetary Considerations				
Cost of Proposal	£350 plus VAT			
	Accommodation Delegate rate of			
	£85 plus VAT per night			
Included in Current Year Estimates				
Capital/Revenue				
Code	50001- 1921			
Staffing Costs				

Screening Requirements	Required for new or revised Policies, Plans, Strategies or Service Delivery Proposals.			
Section 75 Screening	Screening Completed:	No	Date:	
	EQIA Required and Completed:	No	Date:	
Rural Needs Assessment	Screening Completed	No	Date:	
(RNA)	RNA Required and Completed:	No	Date:	
Data Protection Impact	Screening Completed:	No	Date:	
Assessment (DPIA)	DPIA Required and Completed:	No	Date:	

1.0 Purpose of report

The purpose of the report is to inform Elected Members of conferences and courses they may wish to attend.

2.0 The following are listed:

2.1 NAC UK Licensing Conference & Regional AGM

This Licensing Conference is open to all members of the NAC. Licensing makes a fundamental contribution to how our communities develop, live, work and relax. With the right tools councils can use licencing to significantly improve the chances of businesses and residents moving to an area whether in the heart of a city or in a more rural district.

Licensing can be controversial and objections to certain types of licenses may come from various groups, members of the public and Local Authorities. Lots of small groups and small councils do not have the resources to employ Lawyers etc to fight an application. Many members of the community look to their local councillor to help and represent them in such cases.

We will look at ways to both support and object to applications to give good outcomes for the community.

- 23-25 September 2022, Eastwood Hall Near Nottingham
- Delegate Fees: £350 plus VAT
- Accommodation is available for delegates at the Conference Hotel at the special NAC Conference Delegate rate of £85 plus VAT per night. If you book the hotel direct the rate will be £135 inc VAT The accommodation fee is payable by delegate on arrival at the hotel unless otherwise indicated on the booking form.

Elected Members should contact Democratic Services to register interest.

2.2 NAC NI at 30 years, Defining Our Positive Future

Advance Notice and further information will follow.

Date and Location: Tuesday 27 September 2022, Glenavon House Hotel, 52 Drum Road, Cookstown, BT80 8JQ

The Conference is planned to run from 9.30am - 4pm approximately and will be independently facilitated by Mr Derek McCallan, former CEO of NILGA. NILGA's current CEO, Ms Alison Allen, will also support the day.

Elected Members should contact Democratic Services to register interest.

3.0 Recommendation

It is recommended that Council consider the Conference listed.

National Association of Councillors

Licensing

<u>Agenda</u>

Friday 23rd September 2022 Delegates to arrive at hotel from 4pm

- 5-00pm Registration, Tea / Coffee
- 6-00pm Session 1 Chairman's Welcome

1st Speaker

Questions from Delegates

7.00pm Dinner

Saturday 24th September

10.00am Session 2

2nd Speaker

Questions from Delegates

10.45am 3rd Speaker

Questions.

11.30am Tea / Coffee

- 11-45am 4th Speaker
 - 1-00pm Lunch
 - 2-00pm Regional Meeting and AGM
 - 6-15pm Reception Hosted by the Chairman
 - 7-00pm Conference Dinner (Smart Dress Please)

Sunday 25th September

- 10-00am NAC Workshops
- 12-00pm Lunch & End of Event

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNCILLORS

<u>Conference</u>

<u>Licensing</u>

Eastwood hall, Near Nottingham

23rd-25th September 2022

Delegate Booking Form

Name of Delegate	
Organisation	
Delegate's Email	
Telephone Number	
Authorising SignatureOrde	r No if reqd
Printed Name	
Position	Organisation
INVOICE. email address for invoice	

To Register – Complete the delegate details above, and either: -Email a copy of this form to Generalsecretary@nationalassociationofcouncillors.org

or Post form to NAC Bookings, Council Offices, 6 Goatbeck Terrace, Langley Moor, Co. Durham DH7 6JJ

Delegate Fees: £350 plus VAT – Metropolitan, County, Unitary, Borough & District Councils

£295 plus VAT - Town, Parish and Community Councils

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Delegate Accommodation Friday & Saturdays nights YES / NO

Local Authority to be billed direct for accommodation YES / NO

Please note that double and family rooms are also available (prices available on request)

Booking Condition: Please note that a charge is payable on any bookings cancelled. These charges will be kept to a minimum and will be in accordance with cost incurred by the NAC.