

# FALKIRK COUNCIL

## CIVIC GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1982

### STREET TRADER'S POLICY

1. This licence will be known as a "Street Trader's Licence" and will run for a period of three (3) years from the granting of the licence.
2. Traders selling food will not be granted a licence between the hours of 11pm and 5am the following day. If the trader wishes to operate later than 11pm, they will require to apply for a Late Hours Catering Licence.
3. Traders selling non-food items will be granted a licence with the terminal hour being dependent on area. The areas contained within the designated Town or District boundaries detailed in the Falkirk Council Local Plan (finalised draft) deposit version in respect of Falkirk, Stenhousemuir, Grangemouth, Denny and Bo'ness will be classed as non residential and would generally have a terminal hour granted for licences of 1.30am. All other areas are classed as residential and would generally have a terminal hour granted for licences of 12.30am. This includes vans and stalls.
4. At the "terminal hour" in respect of vans, stalls etc, only customers who have placed and paid for their purchase will be served. Immediately thereafter, the premises require to be closed and locked to customers. At the "terminal hour" in respect of pedestrian traders, only customers who have placed and paid for their purchase will be served. Immediately thereafter, the pedestrian trader is required to cease trading. This will be a condition attached to all late hours catering licences
5. There will generally be a condition applied to street traders' licences providing for a 500m exclusion zone around schools in which street traders are not allowed to trade. This restriction would only apply during term time and then between the hours of 12 noon to 2pm and 3pm to 5pm on any school day. The restrictions would apply to all street trading licences, regardless of whom the licence holders are targeting and whether or not the application is new or for a renewal of an existing licence.