Extract from Part 3C of the Constitution

Table 2 (Functions of Committees)

PLANNING COMMITTEE	
Function	**Condition**

Planning, etc. applications
 	
Determine an application for:
 	
    (a) full planning permission;
    (b) outline planning permission;
    (c) approval of reserved matters;
    (d) listed building consent;
    (e) conservation area consent;
    (f) advertisement control consent
	The power shall only be exercised where the application:
	
	(a) if granted, would be a departure from or would conflict with the development plan/local development framework or other planning policies adopted by the Council;
	
	(b) is for a proposal which an Officer intends to support and which has, prior to the expiry of the statutory consultation period, been objected to in writing by any local amenity organisation, any residents association or any statutory consultee; unless the Chairman and Vice Chairman consider that the objection is one which does not require Committee assessment;
	
	(c) is one in respect of which any Member has, prior to the expiry of the statutory consultation period, submitted a written request and explanation to the Director of Environment that it be determined by the Planning Committee;
	
	(d) is submitted by or on behalf of the Council or the Gloucestershire County Council;
	
	(e) is submitted by a Member, an Executive Director, Director or an existing employee of the Place and Economic Development Division;
	
	(f) is one which the Planning Committee has specifically required should be determined by the Committee; or
	
	(g) is one which the Director of

	Environment considers should be determined by Planning Committee
Trees Determine planning applications relating to trees including (a) trees covered by Tree Preservation Orders: and (b) trees within Conservation Areas.	The power shall only be exercised in respect of an application: (a) submitted by a (i) a Member, (ii) a current employee of the Place and Economic Development of the Council or (iii) the Council or Gloucestershire County Council; (b) which a Member of the Council has, within the consultation period, requested should be determined by Planning Committee; or (c) which the Director of Environment considers should be determined by Planning Committee
Planning Policy Act as consultee to Cabinet/Lead Member on recommendations/responses for the adoption and review of local and national planning policy	Adoption of local planning policy is a Council function

MISCELLANEOUS LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE	(5 Members politically balanced)
Hackney Carriage and Private Hire	
Determine an application for the grant variation or renewal of a driver or vehicle licence	If a relevant objection is made
Determine an application for the grant or variation of an operator's licence	If a relevant objection is made
Determine an application for the transfer of a vehicle licence	If a relevant objection is made
Suspend or continue the suspension of a driver, vehicle or operator's licence	Where an officer chooses not to exercise delegated power
Revoke a driver, vehicle or operator licence	If a relevant representation is made
Adopt and amend standard conditions for hackney carriage and private hire licences	
Miscellaneous Licensing Functions) (excluding sex establishments) including Street trading, Street collections, House to house collections, Objects on the highway, , Caravan sites, Camping sites and moveable dwellings, Acupuncture, tattooing, ear-piercing and electrolysis, Game dealers, Scrapyards, Zoos, Dangerous wild animals)	
Determine any application for the grant, renewal, variation or transfer of a licence, consent, permit or permission	If a relevant objection is made
Revoke or withdraw any licence, consent, permit or permission	If a relevant representation is made
Sex establishments	
Determine any application for the grant, renewal, variation or transfer of a licence, consent, permit or permission	If a relevant objection is made
Revoke or withdraw any licence, consent, permit or permission	If a relevant representation is made