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To: Senior Licensing Officer **Our Ref:** 11/03166/LIC_N
From: Rosemary Green **Your Ref:**
Extn: 2074 **Date:** 7 September 2011

**Licensing Act 2003 – Application for a premise licence
Wickham Village Hall, Baydon Road, Wickham**

Having regard to the above application I would make the following comments:

1. The village hall is located in the centre of the village close to a crossroads, with residential properties in close proximity. One property is within 3 metres of the eastern façade of the site, with another property within 10 metres of the northern façade.
2. The application is for live and recorded music (indoors) along with other associated regulated entertainment Monday – Sat 08:00-23:45, and on Sunday 08:00-23:00.
3. There is concern that there will be noise disturbance from amplified music at nearby residential properties due to the close proximity of the hall during the late evening. There are no specific conditions detailed in Section Pd) The Prevention of Public Nuisance to cover control of noise from the premises.

In summary it is recommended that the application for a premise licence be refused as there is the likelihood of noise disturbance from live and recorded music.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries or wish to discuss the matter further.

Regards

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