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Subject: Re: Proposed licence changes at Goring and Streatley Golf Club Ref 11/01380/LQN

Streatley Parish Council wishes to make representations against the application to vary the Premises Licence for Goring and Streatley Golf Club on the grounds of the Prevention of Public Nuisance.

The Council's specific representations are as follows:

Streatley Parish Council welcomes the presence of Goring and Streatley Golf Club in the village but it has reservations about the proposed licensing hours.

A representative of the Parish Council has met members of the management of the Golf Club and accepts their assurances that it is not their intention to greatly extend the scale of their present late night activities. However, circumstances change and the Council is uneasy about such a wide extension of opening hours and the hours during which alcohol can be supplied.

Rectory Road is a quiet country road but has a significant number of houses between the Golf Club and the village. However limited the intentions of the present management may be there appears to be nothing in the proposed licence to prevent a very considerable extension of late night activity with all the consequences of disturbance of close neighbours at closing time and a significant increase in traffic leading to disturbance of all the houses between the Golf Club and the village.

Since it is not the intention of the management to greatly extend its late night activities it is the view of the Parish Council that the present wide extension of hours (i.e. potentially for 52 weeks in the year) is excessive and that a more limited arrangement, which meets current needs but cannot be abused in the future, should be permitted - possibly by specifying an agreed number of events per annum.

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