

LICENSING ACT 2003

Representations

Details of the representee:

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Please note the Council is required under the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005 to provide the applicant with copies of the relevant representations made.

Details of the application to make representation(s) on:

Application Reference Number.....23636

Name of PremisesHungerford Park.....

Premises Address.....Hungerford Park, Hungerford,
Berkshire.....

Postcode.....RG17 0UU.....

Under the Licensing Act 2003, for a representation to be relevant it must be one that is about the likely effect of the application on the promotion of the four licensing objectives.

Please give details of your representation(s) and include information as to why the application would be unlikely to promote any of the following objective(s):

The Prevention of Crime and Disorder:

These are vulnerable properties and increased volumes of people create opportunity of vandalism, attempts and possible successful thefts.

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Public Safety:

.....I regularly visit [REDACTED] (my parents) and walk the dogs from there. There have been some near misses with isolated vehicles up and down that road – the speed at which they travel cannot be safe. Increasing this traffic will increase the issue and expose already vulnerable properties and owners to more noise and people who may well take opportunity. We have been at a family gathering there and one of our cars broken into and a handbag stolen whilst we were all there! Late night finishes allows the cover of darkness for opportunity of vandalism or theft. There seems to be little regard for cars trying to leave their driveway also – as well as parking at the end of the road where it meets the ink pen road which further reduces visibility on an already dangerous exit. Increased traffic, lack of concentration and exuberance could lead to this being a really dangerous point of roads meeting.

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The Prevention of Public Nuisance:

With any event/venue setting there is increased population and where alcohol is involved there is an increased lack of awareness and consideration – especially if there is loud music also involved. Not only the actual event noise but the aftermath will have a noise affect on these two properties – clear downs and tidy ups happen when the crowds have left which means the traffic particularly will continue after the licensed hours. This is a narrow, unmade up road, it's not quiet, even with considerate drivers and this is a concern as traffic increases and people wan to leave/arrive and park up where they see fit.

There is also the concern of increasing traffic to this slightly out of the way venue – it has to filter out somewhere and this could have a knock on effect on other back roads that are often used by cyclists, runner and dog walker – and non dog walkers. This is particularly a concern if larger vehicles are arriving for set up./ clear down.....

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The Protection of Children from Harm:

...Not only do both households have animals but [REDACTED] have children and [REDACTED] frequently have their grandkids visiting and walking along this lane to the common is the only way to go. Granted, this is unlikely to be late at night but if events are being set up during the day and early evenings this is a cause for concern. This is currently a relatively quiet and safe area for them to have some freedom with occasional cars/vehicles.

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Signed:.....Tiffany Saul

Date:..... 13.02.24

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