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Sent: Sunday, July 30, 2023 7:53 PM

To: Licensing <Licensing@westberks.gov.uk>

Subject: RE: LA2003 - Newbury - Watermill Theatre Premises License variation

application

Dear Sharon

Speen Parish Council has reviewed the Watermill Theatre Premises Licence variation application as follows:

1/ Temporary outside bar to sell and dispense alcohol and bar drinks during the summer months

- The Council has no objections subject to this facility being restricted to theatre goers only.

2/ Extension of Licencing hours

- The Council objects to this variation. The Council does not consider the sale of alcohol should be encouraged prior to 10am and no reasonable justification for this has been provided. In addition there is again no justifiable reason for the licence to be extended from 23.30 to 24.00 and the owners have a responsibility to their neighbours and this extension would not be in the interests of local residents.

Kind regards Jean

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