

Reps Received - Objection

Fri 16/06/2023 08:18

1. Sarnpreet Gill

Dear Licensing Services Manager,

I write to you with the upmost urgency with regards to The Sale by Retail of Alcohol by Hashmeet Singh Kapoor, Simply Local, 18-20 Eastfield Road, Burnham, Slough, SL1 7NZ.

I work at Tawana Premier Supermarket and have done for 7 years, now, and I want to express my concerns.

I don't believe another premise should have an alcohol licence as it will promote more crime and disorder within the area. I want to prevent public nuisances as this will cause problems with parking and safety especially as there is a primary school in the area too.

Furthermore, the location of the premise is extremely close to quiet residential housing and a business whose principal hours of business are in the morning and at night is not compatible with this location. Where alcohol is involved, the possible of inappropriate behaviour is increased. Also, as there is limited parking on Eastfield Road, the residents park far away from their houses already. Parking one's vehicle on the street has its inevitable risks attached. If that risk of possible damage is increased by introducing more people more cars, during the day and night and having been in an environment where alcohol is involved, then this is not an acceptable risk to have placed on existing residents.

The owner has already demonstrated a disregard for the local residents as they have started building work and have already received complaints from 16 and 6 Eastfield Road.

I urge you to decline the application. Would you want this on your doorstep? A residential street within a conservation area is no place for another premise with an alcohol licence. Again please, I strongly urge you to decline this application.

Regards

Sarnpreet

Thu 15/06/2023 23:46

2. Rajvir Dhardwar

Dear Licensing Services Manager,

I am writing to register my objection to the application for The Sale by Retail of Alcohol by Mr Hashmeet Singh Kapoor at Simply Local, 18-20 Eastfield Road, Burnham, Slough, SL1 7NZ. The basis for this opposition is that granting a licence for the Sale by Retail of Alcohol

will not promote the licensing objectives, particularly the prevention of crime, disorder, antisocial behaviour and protecting the local community.

The application proposes that alcohol will be sold for consumption of the premises between 7am and 11pm seven days a week. Granting a licence would provide a further source of alcohol within an area already so heavily populated with licenced premises such as The ESSO Garage, Big Bens Fish and Chips, Tawana Premier Supermarket and BH Dhariwals all within approximately 50 yards from each other.

I am the owner of the grocery/off-licence shop across the road, Tawana Premier Supermarket, 1 Eastfield Road, Burnham, Slough, SL1 7EH and I close the store at 8pm which is reasonable hours for all the residents in the area preventing the residents from suffering noise nuisance and anti-social behaviour; likewise, the other business also closes at reasonable hours such as BH Dhariwal store closes 7pm.

Residents and the existing businesses already suffer from the lack of car park spaces. There are yellow lines on, the street, Eastfield Road and parking will be an issue as it will cause congestion and pollution in the area especially down Milner Road which is the road adjacent to Eastfield Road. Furthermore, the residents will suffer from noise nuisance, light pollution and drunk and disorder behaviours as the Sale by Retail of Alcohol licence will be up till 11pm.

Furthermore, since COVID, my business has taken a huge hit along with the cost-of-living crisis. Having another premises with this licence will be very detrimental to my business as I am already struggling.

In the view of the above, I urge the Licensing Authority to refuse the application.

Yours Faithfully

Rajvir Dhardwar

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3. Edwina Glover

The property has been vacant for many years, there is no designated parking on an already over subscribed residential area.

The local shops are all closed by 10pm except the Curry Gardens, alcohol is available to purchase from the 3 other premises. There is also already a convenience store on the other side of the road with allocated parking. There are a total of 5 shops on the other side of the road, with allocated parking.

There are problems already caused by cars parking outside the empty shop and indeed blocking my dropped kerb entrance thus making me a prisoner in my own property. There is no noise created on this side of the road by shops being open, no slamming of car doors and no late night noise from them. Please be mindful that this is not something that is necessary in this part of Eastfield Road where the options to buy alcohol are so overpopulated.

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This is a supplementary representation, I have already been verbally accosted by the new owner, he has been spreading his dissent to other shop owners and apparently he will be planning to inconvenience our existence when he intends to apply air conditioning flues etc, which I realise will have to go through the planning process. However I have lived in my property for 30 years, have never had any confrontation from the shop owners, have seen the shop sold several times when it has been unsuccessful in making economic sense as there is no parking allowance on this side of the road. I believe that our mental will be affected with the attitude of the owner before he even opens the premises. The idea of being able to purchase alcohol at 7.00am is questionable, the fact that this is a residential area with all except the curry shop closing by 8pm, even the existing convenience store has no customers and chooses not to stay open for its licenced hours, the noise of customers all make the thought of living in my property whilst they have a licenced enabling them to open and close between 7am and 11am will definitely have an impact on our lives. We struggle to leave our premises with the car just ... going to the post office, going to collect their takeaway, popping to the shop by inconsiderate drivers who chose to park on yellow lines underneath the signage is an ongoing issue. To add to these situation will make us prisoners in our home. No one polices this currently, the fact that traffic builds up as the road is not wide enough for traffic to continue while the person is parked is an ongoing issue. By granting this licence please can the social and wellbeing of existing homeowners be taken into account and I have no doubt that this will have an impact on the value of our home.

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4. David Hills

Opposing this application for the following reasons:

- 1) we already have multiple licensee's within the area including but not limited to Tesco Express, Premier Stores, Big Bens, Sainsburys
- 2) To prevent anti social behaviour that the local police force cannot manage as it is
- 3) The impact on the environment and surrounding green spaces that are heavily littered as it is, we don't need more litter that the council struggle to maintain as it is
- 4) The area is not in need of another premises selling alcohol as we have more than enough as mentioned above.

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5. Sara Iqbal

I am really concerned about the shop across the road getting permission to sell alcohol because this will attract more unwanted attention and more noise pollution. I live by the road and I am highly concerned about the impact this will have on my child who needs to go to school in the mornings. This will impact our lives hugely. I moved to this area as it is a quiet area, but to have another shop selling alcohol when the petrol station across the road already sells alcohol to 11pm is just not needed.

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6. Evan j Harvey

I am afraid of the nuisance it will bring from the sale of alcohol which will then increase anti social behaviour and crime activity, especially when we already have off-licence in close proximity, I have already been through drunk and disorderly behaviour and I will consider moving out if another premise opens serving alcohol, please do not approve this license, thanks

19/06/2023 14:17

7. Dan J Simpson

I am writing in relation to the application PR202306-323542. Application to sell alcohol at the premise 18-20 Eastfield Road. I am not happy with as this will be damaging to the community. In my opinion it will cause even more congestion with the parking. Its already bad as it is, having another shop that serves alcohol will worsen it as there will be an increase in disorderly behaviour and drunkenness and the residents who are mostly elderly folks will be affected, their peace will be taken. The parking is already so bad, I fear people will start parking on my road and this is a nuisance. There are already multiple shops that serve alcohol in the area, and having another premise selling alcohol is just going to increase problems. Increase in anti-social behaviour drunk and disorderly. To prevent public nuisance, please do not approve this application. Thanks

9/06/2023 14:40

8. Alan Reese

I am writing to object the application of sale of alcohol at the premise 18-20 Eastfield Road, Burnham, Slough by Hashmeet Singh Kapoor.

There is no need for another premise serving alcohol in the area, simply because of public nuisance, increase in crime and disorder and public safety. I live on Milner Road, and I already have people parking their cars blocking me in, that shop on Eastfield Road. Having alcohol served at all hours of the day, there will be an increase of crime in this area, and I fear people will be congregating on my road which is anti-social behaviour. I also worry about my family as I feel where there is more alcohol there will be more altercation. There are already enough businesses in this area serving alcohol, there is no need for another premise because it will definitely increase antisocial behaviour, drunk and disorderly, public nuisance and decrease public safety. Please do not for the sake of our community, grant this premise licence. Kind regards

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9. Kenneth Metson

I have a major concern with regards to this application as my mum is disabled and I feel it won't be safe for her as i believe this will decrease public safety and I will fear for my mum to go out.

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10. Nicola Reese

I am writing to express my concerns of another premise having a licence to sell alcohol. Me and my family are not happy this is happening, and I am opposing it.

Reasons behind my objection is simply because it will attract more delinquents to my neighbourhood. This is the last thing this community needs as there will be an increase in anti-social behaviour. More drunks about causing issues for the local residents and children. There is already plenty of premises serving alcohol and there is no need for another. Also, parking is a massive issue. There are already shoppers parking on Milner Road, blocking driveways, having a premise serving alcohol is going to be a huge public nuisance, also a threat to public safety. Most of the residents are elderly people, especially the residents right next to 18-20 Eastfield Road. I fear their peace is at risk. I personally feel that allowing the sale of alcohol and similar activities this late at night will lead to noise and anti-social behaviour in local streets at a time when most respectable local residents are in bed and trying to sleep. Please do not let this licence be granted, it will be detrimental. Thank you

19/06/2023 16:04

11. Charlie Challan

I do not want another shop selling alcohol in my neighbourhood. We already have so many places selling them and even that sometimes causes problems for me and my family. There is already far too much drunkenness and disorder in my area, and we certainly don't need another premise serving alcohol late night bringing in more degenerates. I have an elderly mother and I don't want her to feel unsafe so for the safety of the public, and to prevent even more anti-social behaviour, drunkenness and all that comes with it, please don't allow this premise to serve alcohol, We have enough of it as it is! Also, the last thing I need is more cars being parked on my road making it more of a nuisance than it already is for me and other neighbours.

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12. Mandy Lonsdale

I am writing to object for this new premise obtaining a licence to sell alcohol. I do not live in this area however I do have family that live in the vicinity. I have grandchildren who I visit on a regular basis. I feel another shop serving alcohol will just add to the downfall of this neighbourhood. The reasons why are public safety. I won't feel safe, and I believe this will put a huge strain on the public services. Also littering. This is already an issue as I don't see many bins on Eastfield Road and when I do come to the area, there's always rubbish on the ground. Furthermore, parking is already a problem for local residents and to add a high-volume business will only add to this problem further. When I visit, I have witnessed people congregating near Milner Road, near 18 Eastfield Road in large groups and this is very intermediating. I do not live here but I feel for the residents as I know this will cause a huge increase in anti-social behaviour, drunkenness's and disorderly behaviour. I strongly urge for the safety of this community, do not approve this license for the premise in question. Thank you.

19/06/2023 17:24

13. Christian Briandt

I have been living on Eastfield road since 2016 with my elderly mother, and I am very afraid of the off licence opening across the road as I believe they will effect our quality of life and the other residents. As I am a early riser waking up 5am I will not tolerate any noise and light pollution as I do live directly opposite 18-20 Eastfield road, it is unnecessary for another premise to sell alcohol as this area as this area is already heavily populated. Also having alcohol served will cause an increase in anti social behaviour which will threaten my mother's anxiety and other health problems such COPD which basically means she will stay in door putting up with noise pollution. It's mainly anti social behaviour and disorderly behaviour that will be attracted if the alcohol license is approved. Please do not allow this license to be granted as it will be cause a huge problem for the community. Thanks

19/06/2023 17:29

14. Shabaz Miah

I own the business across the road, Curry gardens, and I am writing with regards to opposing the alcohol license that has been applied by Hashmeet Singh Kapoor. I am scared as currently I don't have shutters for my premises and as this premises opposite will attract anti social behaviour and crime this will disrupt my business and the residents above me and around me. I will feel unsafe in an area that is already experiencing higher than usual crime rates. I strongly oppose this and I hope my views are taken seriously as an upstanding citizen of this community. Thank you.

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15. Stephanie Ayling

I am objecting the application for the sale of alcohol at the premise in question. My main concern is the safety of my children, myself and the public. My daughter walks to and from the bus stop alone, and I feel afraid about another premise having the ability to sell alcohol in an area already so populated with shops selling alcohol. I don't see any benefits coming from this apart from more congestion and anti social behaviours especially when my child already gets anxiety from crossing that road at peak times. I don't wish my child to get into any confrontations as I have already had one with someone drunk in the past. I believe prevention is key to maintain what's left of this village.

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16. Chloe Boeg

I am writing to object to an alcohol license to the above premises.

I don't see any benefits of this, cars will be illegally parking and this always creates traffic snarl up with hooting and shouting which will be even further enhanced with another alcohol shop. There will be more problems re litter and noise. This is no good for public safety and for the prevention of public nuisance. Having another premise that provides alcohol is going to create more youngsters to hang around outside at late hours and

disturbing the local residents causing havoc. There was another shop Year's ago on lent rise road just off eastfield road which is big bens fish and chips now, and it was a nuisance back then to the public with drunk and disorderly and antisocial behaviour. I do not want history repeating itself. Such development of alcohol sales is likely lead to further disruption in the street environment and to our right for a peaceful existence.

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17. Adeel Ahmed

I suggest that this licence is not to be granted. As an existing resident of the area, i feel the crime rate will increase. I already see an influx of crime and helicopters circling the area and I do not wish there to be more public nuisances. There are so many places along Eastfield Road selling alcohol as it is. There is no need for another establishment to do so at the cost of the residents peace.

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18. Bradley Hilton

As a resident of Eastfield road, my family and I would like to object to this proposal as we feel selling alcohol along this road will do more harm than good. Having a shop that sells alcohol directly opposite us into the late night will produce a lot of noise and the type of people it will attract at those hours will definitely impact our lives. The last thing we want is people gathering and drinking and causing us a nuisance.

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19. Amanda Houghton

I just don't see a benefit to this. The noise that will be generated from the people congregating around there will disrupt the village. I just see more crime that will erupt. I have a young child and live near this new place and I feel the burden it is already putting on me is frightening.

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20. Ben Watson

I would like to comment on our previous experiences with having multiple off license stores on Eastfield road. For example. When Big Bens fish and chip shop used to be an off licence. Teenagers would constantly hang out outside of the premises buying loads of alcohol and drinking it. The bottles would get smashed on the pavement and the road and then they themselves would walk into the road with no clue about traffic as they are drunk. Traffic is my next issue as this shop is planned to be located on the side of the road in which there is a yellow line. People will still stop on that yellow line which will disrupt traffic flow. As there is already some heavy traffic build up at peak hours, this will not help. The bottom of Milner road is already used as a roundabout by people who need to park to get to the shops. As there is insufficient parking for the store it further shows that it is unnecessary. Thank you for your consideration.

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21. Sam Watkins

The late night opening times will cause problems in the small community, we have two stores down Eastfield road we do not need another one. Traffic and parking is bad enough down the road let alone adding another shop.

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22. Jason Blacklidge

I have been living in this area for many years and I still remember the nuisance that used to happen when there used to be a dedicated off licence where Big Bens fish and chip is. Youths used gather outside and made noise and got in the way of traffic. They got sillier the more drunk they got. The off license insisted it had not served them youths and maybe it hadn't but it had a late closing time and youths gathered there. Allowing this premise to have a alcohol license is just welcoming unruly behaviour. Thanks for considering my point.

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23. Sarah Carpenter

I'd like to register my objection to the sale of alcohol for the premises on 18- 20 Eastfield Road.

I live on Milner Road and whilst I'm all for new business's joining the area I really feel it is not a place for yet another premises that sells alcohol in an area that already has enough licensee's.

I remember all to well when we already had problems with drunk and disorderly, with people fighting and causing havoc over parking, generally being loud and unsociable and these problems are only going to get worse.

The nuisance it will bring such as young people gathering around in large groups causing noise pollution and acting in uncivilised manner is intermediating.

I won't feel safe to take walks at night as these types of establishments bring a certain clientele.

This is a residential area and should be left as that; where families can feel safe to raise their families and not have to think they need to move.

Kind regards,

20/06/2023 22:10

24. Catherine Cordon

My main concern for objection falls under three objectives, the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety and prevention of public nuisance-

1. Prevention of crime and disorder- with an early and late open time will attract loitering of groups of people which will entail more policing to control any antisocial behaviour that spills out onto the street- loiterers, pick pockets, drunks and gangs. As well as policing other public resources such as ambulances maybe required, which brings me onto-

2. Public safety- these emergency services will be met with cars parked on either side of the road and on yellow lines, making it harder for emergency services to tend to the residents. With loiterers and drunks will be a threat to the safety of the passing and residential public. The parking that is currently on eastfield road is shared by the residents and the customers of the existing shops.

3. Public nuisance- with the establishments staying open TIL later, has the proposer advised how they will move along the loiterers and drunks at night and how they will stop them from being noisy? No doubt there will be noise as this is usually the case when alcohol is involved. How about any broken glass from the bottles. There is a primary school in the area and many children walk to school and no doubt will pass by the proposed premises.

I feel like the proposers have not considered the impact this will have on the area which is already riddled with problems, and not to mention an area that already has enough shops selling alcohol.

A once safe, quiet and friendly environment is at risk of being forgotten and it's residents punished. I hope my comments are taken seriously.

Thank you for your time.

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25. Anthony Lonsdale

1. The increased amount of traffic from cars, taxis and people on foot will be a nuisance to the public and residents in the area. Noise from individuals arriving at and leaving the premises at night will cause a nuisance to residents, be it arguments between drunk individuals, or just merriment will bring noise to the residents who currently experience a peaceful environment as all shops on eastfield road close at a reasonable time.

2. Parking will be affected in an area already experiencing problems and will then allow individuals to park in unsuitable areas which will then cause a nuisance to other road users and local residents.

3. Littering will increase

4. Increased traffic will be a concern for safety especially for the children crossing the roads. There is a primary school in the area.

5. The businesses that don't have shutters will be concerned for their safety given people

will be in the area buying alcohol once their shops are closed. The risk of public violence is increased.

6. Noise from increased traffic and from individuals arriving and leaving the premises will inevitably disturb the sleep of children and the experience would be disturbing to them as what is a peaceful area will become noisy.

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25. Eunile Sawyerr

The safety of the residents mental health has to be taken into account. The sale of alcohol will attract crime into the area, regardless of the measures the proposers puts into place to stop this, the residents peace will be disrupted. We have too many places selling alcohol and adding another will not help. The premises will need some to add value to the community not cause a nuisance and devalue the area.

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26. Alibe Moore

I object to the sale of alcohol by Hasmeet Singh Kapoor for the following reasons-

I do not believe that another licensee holder is suited to a predominantly residential area.

We are concerned about the extra traffic that they will generate around the surrounding roads such as Milner Road, Eastfield Road, Lent Rise Road and Bingham Road and the knock-on effects it will have on policing, and other emergency vehicles. (This area already has a problem with traffic, parking, shouting, speeding and people ignoring the yellow lines)

We are concerned about the potential for drink- driving and the dangers it brings to our community and the wider area. We have a school in the area and as a residential area there are many people raising families.

Having another establishment serving alcohol has its own risks and even if the proposer will put in CCTV and move along drunkenness and not serve people who already drunk, they will not know how that drunk person will react. Inevitably this will need the police to step in- so I in a residential area is it fair to put this risk on existing residents?

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27. Maxine Hewstone

To whom it may concern,

Before dealing with the licensing objectives, I would invite those considering these applications to consider 1. How many premises sell alcohol in the area, 2. The limited parking, 3. The geography of the area (schools, residential area), 4. This premise has been vacant for over 7 years and within those 7 years it had been closed down as it was used as a cannabis farm.

1. The prevention of crime and disorder-

In this heavily residential area, I am concerned at the potential for disorderly behaviour if large numbers of people congregate on and around Eastfield Road giving the residents problems.

2. The prevention of public nuisances -

There must be a real concern that residents will be caused a serious noise nuisance, even from the guests entering and leaving the premises. With the sale of alcohol, people will probably start congregating outside this establishment. I have seen it many times on the Farnham Road, Slough.

3. The protection of children from harm-

This is a particular concern in a family area. Families of all ages live here, and many have young children who need to have established sleep patterns, uninterrupted.

In summary, this application is inappropriate in an essentially residential area, where family life is important in an area that is already struggling. To grant this application would affront the licensing objectives.

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28. Vinay Sharma

I am writing to object the license to be granted for the sale of alcohol at the premise. My reasoning is straightforward and simple. It will increase the level of nuisance to the local residents. This will happen simply because it will attract more drunks who litter, shout and act in a disorderly manner. Currently there are 4 other premises serving alcohol and that's already enough (this is not including Dallas, Sainsburys or Tesco's). Having another premise selling alcohol will attract youths to hang around shouting, swearing and getting in the way of traffic, it will be detrimental to the local's lifestyle. Last thing we need is another premise serving booze. We don't need more drunks, more youths acting silly and more littering in the area. Parking needs to improve but it's not going to, so don't make it worse by granting this licence. Public safety needs to be taken into account, I do remember a few occasions that the Lent rise post office and Tawana Premier Supermarket were victims of theft and vandalism. We don't need to attract more of these types of characters. Please consider my representation. Thank you

22/06/2023 15:40

29. Jamie Hawke

Granting this license goes against the 4 licensing objectives.

Public Safety: Children walk to school, having another premise, especially one that sells alcohol will cause a lot of congestion of cars, parking is already a problem for local residents and businesses. I sometimes cannot get into my driveway. It is a risk to children as

visibility and the fact that cars will be parked everywhere will just increase. the risk of harm when they go to school. Furthermore, drunk and disorderly behaviour will go up, there has already been times that drunk people have caused vandalism inside one of the local shops. Theft will increase as this is a problem already in this area, the post office has fallen victim to this crime. Prevention of public nuisance: Another alcohol premise serving up till 11pm is going to attract anti-social behaviours. Groups of people will gather in un-socialable hours and cause noise pollution. Most businesses close at reasonable hours which keeps the tranquillity of this place, allowing the local residents to be at peace. Allowing another premise to serve alcohol will put that at risk. Protection of children from harm: As mentioned above, children walk to school, why increase congestion making it difficult for them to get to school and back home without getting into a accident. Its already congested. Secondly, why increase the risk of danger to children and to other residents by allowing another premise an alcohol licence in a already heavily populated place that serves it. Prevention of crime and disorder: There already has been cases of violence in this area. I believe there was a shooting near the Olive Tree pub which is just up the road. I have already mentioned vandalism happened in the store on Eastfield Road and theft that occurs on a regular basis. Putting another premise that serves alcohol will just worsen it. Granting this license will not do any good to those that have been living in this neighbourhood for many years, it will impact the local businesses negatively and most importantly, the public services such as the police are already stretched and do not have the resources to manage what is already in the area. Allowing the licence will just make things more difficult. Don't make mine, my family and other local residents' lives hell by permitting this license.

22/06/2023 18:32

30. Asfer Tamimi

To whom it may concern,

I want to object to PR202306-323542.

I saw that PR202306-323542 has applied for the sale of alcohol, the issue is we already have 5 premises selling alcohol and there is some elements of anti social behaviour but if we get another off licence here it will make this issue grow and cause us huge problems, it will increase littering, drunks and bring the whole areas character down.

As councils five year plan is focused on residents well being please refuse this application.

22/06/2023 18:50

31. Carly Horastead

Dear Licensing team,

I am a local resident and I feel it is necessary to strongly add my objection to oppose the authorisation of another off license at 18-20 Eastfield Road.

If granted the proposed off license is to open until 11pm this will definitely cause disruption

to the local community- there is no question about this. The proposed application will create a hub for public disharmony, there will be traffic problems which are already dire and will get worse without question. There will certainly be youth gatherings gravitating towards the area due to alcohol this has been demonstrated time and time again.

Why as a resident would I subject myself to this, please put yourselves in my position the stress and anxiety this is causing me is unacceptable. As a respectful resident I do not want this and don't accept that I should have anxiety issues caused by this proposal. The effect on my family will be momentous.

This proposal is not conducive to this area, it is neither wanted or required.

I dearly hope you take my position into strong consideration. A councils stance should always stand firmly behind its residents

22/06/2023 21:50

32. Charmaine Campbell

I, as a resident on Eastfield Road, am writing to express my opposition to the proposal for licensing the premise 18-20 Eastfield Road to sell alcohol. My main concerns fall under two objectives: public safety and prevention of public nuisance.

I literally live a few doors down from the premise that has applied for the liquor licence and it's causing me to panic. Firstly, why is another premise allowed to have another license to sell alcohol when we already have so many in close proximity doing it already. Having lived here for a few years I have seen my fair share of anti-social behaviour. Why bring more of these activities on my doorstep, and not to mention a lot of the elderly folks who live here.

The safety of the public which also include my own children is absolutely paramount. Allowing the sale of alcohol, especially up to the late hours of 11pm is definitely going to attract more drunks, loiterers and young gangs hanging around in large groups. This is unacceptable as it brings me fear and anxiety. My children walk to school and back home and having another premise that serves alcohol will put me on edge. My peace of mind is affected by this because I know the type of characters that will start showing up. Not to mention, parking will be a massive nuisance. I looked up Buckinghamshire Council mission statement which is Strengthening our communities. Protecting the vulnerable. Improving our environment. Increasing prosperity. How is allowing another premise serving alcohol which is causing me mental problems hitting your mission objectives? The noise pollution it will bring, the gathering of youths, the drunk and disorderly behaviour and the antics that will take place up till nighttime are all public nuisances. Do not let the license to be approved for the sake of your community. It is not needed. Thank you for considering my registration on this application.

22/06/2023 22:13

33. June Hardiman

To whom it may concern, I have the same objections as my husband, but I am registering my own objection for the same reason.

Proposal PR202306-323542 has just come to our attention and my wife and I would like to register our objections.

As a local resident, we have lived here for over 40 years, and our main concern is disturbance from noise, public nuisance, crime and disorder on the local residential amenity.

I remember when Threshers was around, on the corner of Eastfield Road, and the local youth would gravitate to these premises and show anti-social behaviour by throwing bricks into the road- the more rowdier they seemed to get. It wasn't right and I wouldn't want a shop that sells alcohol that is open till late to have the same thing happening.

Noise from the premises is only one part of the potential problem too, where noise from the premises will spill into the surrounding streets when the customers are leaving the premises or are getting asked to leave.

It is getting warmer now and most people's windows are kept open to cope with the heat, imagine getting woken up by unruly behaviour especially when children need to go to school.

I would hope that the council listens to the people and halts this application forthwith.

22/06/2023 22:21

34. Ross Taylor

The reasons to why I am objecting are prevention of public nuisance, and crime and disorder. Firstly, no need to for another premise serving alcohol. Just be turning Eastfield Road into a cesspit. Attracting degenerates and giving them a reason to hang out in groups intimidating walking passers. The local community should be able to feel safe. The noise from people buying alcohol will be terrible for those that live right next door to the premise. The license is up till 11pm, it starts to get quiet and peaceful at 8pm, this will cause a negative effect on the neighbour's lives as they will be forced to adjust to it which isn't fair. I like to walk, and I don't want to feel unsafe walking past a group of young men or drunks. It will be affecting my daily routine too. Also, parking is so terrible at this very moment, having a premise serving alcohol is just going to make it much worse. Increase in young gangs causing criminal damage and shouting at night should not be tolerated.

23/06/2023 10:24

35. Allan Simpson

I am objecting to the license application to sell liquor. The reason for my objection is the prevention of public nuisance.

Having another shop selling liquor will just cause more drunks and anti social behaviour to gravitate towards my neighbourhood. This will increase public nuisance in the form of disorderly behaviour and youths acting in uncivilised ways by gathering in big

groups. Littering will become worse, beer cans and other glass bottles such as quarter Smirnoff left on the ground which I have already seen, which in a way breaches public safety, a child could harm themselves because of this. Why is another premise needed to sell liquor in an area that has plenty of establishments that already do so? It's only going to impact my life and my neighbours negatively. Please strongly consider my objection, thank you.

23/06/2023 13:22

36. Anna Hamilton

The reason why I am objecting to this application is purely based on the increase of public nuisance it will bring. At the moment, there is a level of drunkenness and people not acting right because they are intoxicated. Allowing another place to serve alcohol will statistically increase public nuisance. The application to serve alcohol is up till 11pm, this will definitely attract more anti social behaviour and a place for people to hang out late at night in front of residents houses which is right next to the premise. More alcohol, more rowdy behaviour and later into the night.

23/06/2023 13:35

37. Paul Malloy

I am a resident in Burnham, and I very much object to the sale by retail of alcohol for this place.

Once this was brought to my attention, I felt it was right to object as it will increase anti social behaviour in what is a quiet residential area. I have spoken to the locals about this and it is not something that we need especially when there are already so many places selling alcohol.

Another concern that bothers me is, I have trouble walking and due to my poor eyesight I already find it very hard to cross the road, on Eastfield Road, especially due to the traffic build up of the cars that are parked in places they shouldn't be. The parking will be an issue because this will cause traffic and this is not safe for the resident and the primary school children. This will be adding problems to an area that already has problems.

When the traffic and littering is increased, I will not feel safe and I will have to avoid the area altogether during the day and night. This will impact my health as I won't be able to socialise with my good friends.

Issues will be created around crime and disorder, public safety and public nuisance.

23/06/2023 14:25

38. Buledy Sangwa

Stance : Object

Reason : As this venue is proposing to sell alcohol the likelihood of anti social behaviour is increased. We will see an increase in shouting and swearing on the street and the

neighbouring streets too. As the venue proposes to stay open til later there will be and additional flow of late night traffic, which means more noise from vehicles and people and more drunkenness.

I already live on a busy noisy road and additional traffic and noise during the night is not needed especially having a venue selling alcohol til late.

24/06/2023 13:43

39. Susan Jubb

I am objecting this because of the safety concerns around this. My son, attends Lent Rise school and this will cause a public nuisance to us, especially when it comes to traffic build up in the area through knock on effects. I feel there will be more road traffic accidents, drunkenness behaviour and problem of littering, especially when I already see bottles scattered along the road side. It is not a nice environment to raise children if we will be subjected to yet another premises selling alcohol- there are a huge number in this small area.

Thank you for your time.

24/06/2023 15:11

40. Anntina Williams

Objecting for the prevention of public nuisance and safety. Please consider my registration as I am a concerned citizen. I personally believe this area does not need another premise serving alcohol. We have an alley way close to our home which leads onto Eastfield Rd, with these extended hours I just feel people will cause anti social behaviour by loitering in this alleyway which isn't safe for the children and the parents. The increased level of littering won't be safe for the children that walk to Lent Rise Primary school or any child walking to the bus stop.

A huge problem will arise for the residents in and around this area.

24/06/2023 17:03

41. Sienna Chamberlain

This would attract people to the area late at night and as has been seen previously, resulted in anti social behaviour and groups hanging around roads and peoples homes. This is a quiet area with a few local shops, tesco and a sainsburys nearby. This shop and what it will attract is not necessary, needed or wanted.

24/06/2023 17:47

42. Scarlett Louise Jackson

I selected the above because I believe having a shop that sells alcohol till 11pm in the area will encourage late night visitors and consequently anti-social behaviour, where as at present it is a quiet neighbourhood.

Additionally, there are already two shops along that road that sell the same products this one will, excluding the petrol station which is also located at the end of the road.

We do not need another, it will be as useless as having 4 coffee shops next door to one another - an additional shop would serve no purpose.

24/06/2023 22:01

43. Chris Cullane

To whom it may concern.

I have certainly learnt that another alcohol shop is being considered to be opening on Eastfield Road Burnham.

As a local and concerned resident, I am raising my objection and concerns around this, as I feel that this will excel youth to be hanging around at unsocialable hours, causing fear and disruption to the neighbourhood. Whilst most youngsters are of good standing, alcohol can make even the best of us act in ways that are irresponsible.

This is a residential area with young families and many elderly residents too, who wish to live in an area in peace and without fear.

Undoubtedly, anxiety and stress are factors in this situation, and no resident should have to live like this. This is an unexpected way to have to live.

The parking on this road is limited, and this will cause an immense amount of traffic issues. Who would monitor this, and what would you do as a council to counteract this!

I would also like to highlight in these circumstances the litter that would amount on the road, and who would clean this up? I seriously doubt the council would be coming by every day to this due to the cost.

I hope you take my concerns seriously and keep in mind that the items I have mentioned above.

Yours sincerely, Chris

26/06/2023 09:27

44. Pauline Poole

Concerning the new application, I have some concerns about noise nuisance. When Threshers' was the local off license, situated where Big Ben's Fish and Chips now operates, it opened late and youths gathered in the area around the shop and were noisy. They regularly wandered into the road and threw snowballs at cars, some containing stones, causing more problems for drivers and risk to themselves. The time of year or cold didn't put them off. It was though they were drawn to the lights of the only place open. I wouldn't want to see a repeat of this behaviour. I notice Tawanas, across the road from me, also sell intoxicating liquor closes at 8pm. The later hour proposed by the applicant might bring the aforementioned problems back. Despite that, there will be noise nuisance from customers car engines, car doors and noisy passengers. Customers purchasing late evening could be off

to a party and in high spirits. Late evening could be a difficult time for local residents. Several houses are close to this shop, including mine. The church at the cross roads is nearby too. There is a single yellow line down the north side of Eastfield Rd, but cars park on that yellow line to use the existing shops. This causes traffic problems. Another shop on the other side of the road that seeks customers who drop in, purchase and leave, will have customers who feel they can park outside on the yellow line. This will make the problem last longer into the evening. There is limited parking on the southside of Eastfield Road and usually taken by residents who live above the shops. I think the police will find themselves drawn to incidents with cars parked both side of the road. When a larger vehicle meets another there is nowhere for either to go. I also have misgivings concerning another alcohol outlet. There are at least five shops selling liquor within walking distance and several open late. They all have better parking facilities.

26/06/2023 18:10

45. Jai Panesar

I object.

Public nuisance and anti social behaviours. Will bring more drunks to dwell around the street, also this will cause more of a gathering for those that act in anti social way. Won't be pleasant walking down eastfield road when there are gangs of people about making noises and acting disorderly. I see this already even though the shops here already close early and it's going to get worse with another premise selling alcohol till late into the night. More noise, more traffic, more litter, more anti social behaviour and nuisance later into the night.

26/06/2023 20:02

46. Isabelle Lovett

I noticed a sale of alcohol application sign was up on 18 Eastfield Road. I am writing to object this. My reasons for this is the prevention of public nuisances and public safety.

To prevent public nuisances like anti social behaviour and drunk and disorderly is to not allow another premise to sell alcohol. Clearly it will worsen the area, increasing the likelihood of crimes to go up. The fact it's a license up to 11pm will most certainly bring about more drinkers disturbing the peace late night. I live very close to 18 Eastfield Road and this will definitely impact my livelihood. Firstly parking is already a public nuisance, having a location serving alcohol will just increase this making it even more difficult. Secondly, alcohol will attract the wrong type of people, disorderly behaviour like shouting etc, happens already but now it will happen till 11pm and more often. Thirdly, I want to feel safe when I do my evening walks and I'm sure other residents feel the same way. Another off license will bring more groups of people to hang about which can come across scary for a woman, and even men when they see a group of people together. 18 Eastfield Road is extremely close to residential houses, the noises coming from alcohol buyers will be disruptive also the drunken behaviour. It's not right to have another business selling alcohol in a area that doesn't need it, I and other residents are concerned about this.

28/06/2023 12:59

47. Jane Waite

I have been living here since 2008, and I recall a shop opening all hours of the day at 18-20 Eastfield Road, and I still remember how much of a nuisance this shop was. The shop did fresh fruit and veg outside which caused littering and a pungent smell, and also the amount of people that congregated outside here until late. My main concern is that with the alcohol license proposed up until 11pm, and the shop being open to this time this will invite the same chaos back. As I live directly opposite this shop I am not looking forward to the drunk behaviours, the littering, the gangs of people loitering outside, the amount of cars pulling up to the premises. Now that summer is here and it is warm, my windows are open, if this alcohol license is granted I will only be hearing more noise pollution.

As a resident that lives directly opposite the shop I object to the application as this is a public nuisance. I already hear loud banging and drilling going on from the premises.

28/06/2023 13:10

48. Darren Waite

My wife and I, have spoken about this and we object.

The tranquility of the area will be lost, and as a resident since 2008, we have had to endure our fair share of nuisances from 18-20 Eastfield Rd from when it was a grocers in 2008.

My comments are the same as Jane's, and I would also like to add, as we don't have much of a front garden the front of the house is right near the busy road, I wouldn't want passerby's from the shop dropping wrappers and bottles into my existing small garden or even people parking in front of my house to drop into the shop.

28/06/2023 18:26

49. Vittoria Graziani

Myself and my husband object due to-

1. Littering
2. Anti-social behaviour that will affect us
3. Decline in the areas character
4. Won't feel safe to go on evening walks with the kids because of people hanging around at night
5. Certain type of clientele will be attracted to the area at the late time
6. There are already so many places selling alcohol

28/06/2023 18:29

50. Anthony McGarvey

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03/07/2023 14:05

51. Sue Lilly

This area is already not making me feel safe, with a recent shooting that happened on maypole/fairview rd, also a lady who had been burgled by men, impersonating some police officers on briar close (all happened this year). I want to feel safe in this neighbourhood and at my age I do not want to be disturbed further by adding another place that serves alcohol that will invite trouble. The trouble may not start in front of the shop but it could definitely spill into the surrounding areas, making me feel unsafe. Drink driving, young people hanging around, people loitering at night is all so intimidating.

03/07/2023 13:40

52. Danielle Flanagan

I object, on the basis that having another place that sells alcohol until late, especially when the petrol station stays open till 11pm will cause anti-social behaviour. I have 3 young children and I want to raise them in a nice area, not one where there is no safety especially with knife crime increasing. We have enough places selling alcohol, and there is a pub at the top of the road.

Support

30/06/2023 20:51

1. Vineela P

It's good to have an off license shop here as the population of Burnham increasing day by day.