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Subject: Licensing in Ilkley.

Details: I see that Banyan have put in an application to extend their opening to 2.00am. I think it is time that action was taken to reduce the nuisance caused by venues in Ilkley who are open late. I am tired of having to avoid vomit and broken glass caused by their "not my problem attitude". I think it should be made to be their problem - maybe they should pay an extra levy on their business rates for extra street cleaning. That might focus them on social responsibility.

Last night we were kept awake until after 12.30 by music thumping out from the Kings Hall/Winter Gardens - a private event. Asking them to turn it down got the response "it will be over in 15 minutes". Last night the weather was miserable so I assume the sound checks weren't being carried out by the council. They weren't answering the phone either - music presumably too loud for them to hear it ring. We are never consulted on the licence - should we be? The buildings address in Station Road but it also backs on to Whitton Croft Road. We had no notification when the Midland applied for a late night licence and discovered that by accident.

From:

Sent: 16 December 2018 05:04

To: Licensing Team

Subject: Banyan opening hours application

Dear Sirs,

This e-mail is a formal representation in respect of the application made to vary the premises licence of Banyan, Units 1 & 2 Station Plaza, Brook Street, LS29 8DA.

Prevention of Crime & Disorder

Ilkley is a small conurbation with limited resources of both Police and Medical services, the license extension will add another strain onto these services by creating another venue that people will be able to over indulge and then require the intervention of one of these services. It is a concern that not only that this could happen within the premises, but is a bigger concern for the surrounding area, where the people will leave and walk down through the estates nearby.

Prevention of Public Nuisance

For those of us who live nearby the damage and noise caused by people leaving these premises, will not be dealt with by the emergency services, but by the residents who will be expected to pick up the cost of this damage and live with the consequences. Extending the license until 2am seems to be one pub too many especially considering its proximity to the recent daytime road fatality, which the chances of it happening again can only be increased at 2am with people under the influence of drink.

The variation application which is seeking an entertainment license means that there will be a concentrated mass of people leaving the premises in one go which can only greatly increase the chance of public disorder. With no public transport available, how are they expected to get home.

The Protection of Children from Harm

The disturbances caused with people heading home will affect families who may have to be up for work and their children who will also be affected due to the noise, actions and altercations that may occur on their street.

Public Safety

As explained above ilkley has very limited emergency service provision which with this extension will be taken away from other emergencies which could lead to unnecessary deaths within the town, or other crimes being unattended due to public order offences.

The safe passage of people to and from the venue needs to be considered and the subsequent noise and light pollution this may create, along with the adequate provision of lighting outside must both considered and demonstrated.

How will this be communicated to customers and what staff training will be provided to cover the transfer of this information

Regards

Nile Road, Ilkley, LS29 8HJ