

From: Cllr Aneela Ahmed
Sent: 02 August 2021 15:04
To: Licensing Team <Licensing@bradford.gov.uk>
Cc: Melanie McGurk <melanie.mcgurk@bradford.gov.uk>
Subject: 364 GREAT HORTON ROAD BD7 1QJ - OBJECTION TO EXTENDED HOURS
LICENCE APPLICATION
Importance: High

I am one of the Ward Councillors for City ward , these premises fall within my ward area.

I have been approached by local residents voicing concerns regarding the application to extend the operating times of this premises.

Allowing the extension of the licence will contradict the planning decision granted on 18th September 2020, where it clearly states that, “ these premises shall not open for business between the hours of 2300 and 0700” I have attached a copy of the planning decision sheet herewith. Which also give the reason behind the planning departments very sensible decision.

The premises is in an area surrounded by a majority of residential and some business properties. Allowing this premises to open till late will not only be detrimental to , and increase the noise till much later in the area , but will also encourage more anti-social behaviour and crime and public disorder.

This particular area is a constant concern for us as ward members and our residents, this is due to the impact the patrons attending the various businesses including the proposers business have on the local streets, these concerns relate to parking, anti-social noise, and rubbish that is left behind.

Where we will always encourage economic growth in the area , we have to bear in mind that this cannot happen to the detriment of the local residents, many of whom are elderly , unwell and children, and many who have lived in the adjacent streets for 60 plus years . This area is one where we have to resource extra police and warden patrols due to the noise and traffic issues we experience on a daily basis , complaints that are lodged with ourselves as ward members, the chief executive's office and the police and the Bradford West Area office as well.

Bearing the above in mind I would request that my objection be noted to the application and the applicant be instructed that to continue his business he work within the parameters of his planning application and decision and also bear in mind the effect on the local residents.

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Planning letter referred to attached separately

From: Cllr Nazam Azam
Sent: 03 August 2021 20:18
To: Melanie McGurk <melanie.mcgurk@bradford.gov.uk>
Subject: RE: Smashd- 364 Great Horton Road BD7

Dear Melanie

Thank you for your email in relation to the above licensing application.

I would like to forward for the record my concerns for the proposal specifically the proposed opening hours which would be disruptive to residents who reside in the immediate vicinity of this property.

Should the proposal go ahead, residents living in the immediate vicinity would have to put up with the noise and disturbance from the premises till 3.30am from Friday to Sunday which would be totally unacceptable.

I am confident you can forward my concerns for consideration as part of the process of determining this application.

If you could please keep me updated as to the progress of this application.

Kindest Regards

-----Original Message-----

From: [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@gmail.com]
Sent: 31 July 2021 13:18
To: Licensing Team <Licensing@bradford.gov.uk>
Subject: Smashd application for late night opening

Hi Bradford licensing,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Horton Grange road Bd73ah

I object the allocation for extended hours, due to so many late night takeaways already opened in a polluted area, kids & elderly people have problem sleeping due to noise and cars going up and down on busy roads.

Also more mice & rats will appear where opening hours are extended.

Sent from my iPhone

-----Original Message-----

From: [REDACTED] [mailto:[REDACTED]@live.com]
Sent: 01 August 2021 14:14
To: Licensing Team <Licensing@bradford.gov.uk>
Subject: Smashd opening hours

To whom it may concern,

I have recently been notified about the takeaway Smashd, 364 great horton road. applying for extended opening hours till 02:30 (weekdays) and 03:00 (weekends).

I would like to strongly oppose to this for a number of reasons:

1. Due to the numerous takeaways opened around here parking is very restricted for residents as anyone who visits parks in the street.
2. Anyone who visits the takeaways and decides to eat in their vehicles then throw rubbish onto the floor which residents then have to pick up and throw into the bin.
3. The noise from both vehicles being driven into the area, and from customers chatting into the late hours after visiting is very disruptive.

All us residents are already fed up, and strongly oppose these opening hours. So can you please reject these opening hours.

██████████ st Margaret's terrace. BD7 3AP.

Kind regards,

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From: ██████████ [mailto:██████████@gmail.com]

Sent: 01 August 2021 14:24

To: Licensing Team <Licensing@bradford.gov.uk>

Subject: Smashed opening hours

To whom it may concern,

My son has recently notified me about the application of the takeaway smashed 364 great horton road, applying for extending their opening hours.

I strongly oppose this and hope the council reject these new hours. The current noise and rubbish being thrown onto the surrounding streets due to the current takeaways opened is already beyond a joke.

Customers come and park in our street, which limits the parking for the residents.

They throw their rubbish on the floor which we then have to pick up on a daily basis to keep the area clean.

I live with my elderly mother who is 86 years old who struggles to sleep on a night due to the noise, especially on weekends.

If this application is accepted I will absolutely lose all faith in Bradford council.

██████████ st Margaret terrace. BD7 3AP.

Kind regards,

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From: ██████████ [mailto:██████████@gmail.com]

Sent: 03 August 2021 09:12

To: Licensing Team <Licensing@bradford.gov.uk>

Subject: Objection to late night opening

Hello,

We strongly object to any extension of late night opening hours for Smashed or any other venue in my area.

Myself and my husband have lived here for 30+ years.

We are both elderly and I am disabled.

Over last few years we struggle to get parking in my own street.

Many times we have to struggle to walk around cars that have been parked on the pavements and grass areas.

There is constant noise coming from cars and people all ready,

We don't feel safe going out even in the early evening like we used to, and have to be really careful even during the day as cars drive so fast in this enclosed area and we can not walk as fast as we used to.

The rubbish left by people eating in the cars and dumping packaging in the road and street is horrible. Its looks horrible, and im sure it attracts rats, mice too.

Please dont allow late night opening, and make our lives even more difficult then it has already become.

Thank You

Mrs. [REDACTED] and Mr. [REDACTED]

■ St. Maragerts Terrace

Bradford

BD7 3AP.

Sent: 04 August 2021 16:33

To: Melanie McGurk <melanie.mcgurk@bradford.gov.uk>

Subject: FW: Smashd- 364 Great Horton Road BD7

Hi

As Ward Officer for City Ward I have been made aware of 364 Great Horton Road (Smashd) want to increase opening hours – as we already have Issues related to ASB in the evenings, this is inappropriate as there are residents very close to this place.

Regards

Ward Officer – City Ward and Heaton Ward

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