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To whom it may concern,

I would like to make a representation against the above application relating to the extension of opening hours as requested by the Cricket Club. Whilst we are in support of the Club and its need to provide a range of commercial enterprises to remain solvent, we do not support the request to extend the opening hours beyond what is currently in place. The reasons for this are due to the level of noise emitted during the current opening times during the week and over the weekend. We have two school age children, one of whom has a bedroom that backs on to the cricket pitch. Due to the basin-like nature of the landscape, the noise carries across the field and can disturb our child's ability to sleep, particularly at weekends. I work a continental shift pattern that includes weekend shifts whereby I leave for work at 5am and have to go to bed earlier on these nights. During Spring and Summer months when the weather is at its best, windows need to be open and therefore, the noise is unavoidable. With the current permitted licencing hours, on occasion there appears to be customers who continue to make noise for a while after closing time.

We accept that if we are to sit outside in our garden during the weekend or a week day evening, the club is open and can have loud music playing, until it closes at its current times which we consider to be courtesy to ourselves as a family who reside on the perimeter of the pitch. However, for this to be until 2am on a Friday and Saturday and to midnight on a Sunday and weekday evenings would be inconsiderate to the residents given they have not provided any assurances that the level of noise could be curtailed.

Please confirm receipt of this email.

Thank you

Kind regards

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