

# Licensing Act Sub-Committee

## Agenda

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**Date:** Monday, 30th January, 2023  
**Time:** 10.00 am  
**Venue:** Committee Suite 1,2 & 3, Westfields, Middlewich Road,  
Sandbach CW11 1HZ

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The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the top of each report.

It should be noted that Part 1 items of Cheshire East Council decision making meetings are audio recorded and the recordings will be uploaded to the Council's website

### **PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT**

1. **Appointment of Chairman**

To appoint a Chair for the meeting.

2. **Declarations of Interest**

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any disclosable pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests in any item on the agenda and for Members to declare if they have pre-determined any item on the agenda.

3. **Jim Evison Playing Fields Altrincham Road Wilmslow SK9 5NW (Pages 7 - 66)**

To consider the above application.

**Membership:** Councillors D Edwardes, R Fletcher and I Macfarlane

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## CHESHIRE EAST COUNCIL

**Procedure for Hearings – Licensing Act 2003****The Licensing Committee**

The full Licensing Committee consists of fifteen elected Members of the Council. From this full Committee will be drawn sub-committees of three members to deal with licensing functions under the Licensing Act 2003. The Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Licensing Committee shall have the discretion to refer a matter up to a hearing of the full Licensing Committee.

**Officers at Hearings**

- **The Committee Officer** introduces all parties and records the proceedings
- **The Legal Adviser** provides independent advice to the Members on legal matters and procedure.
- **The Licensing Officer** will introduce the matter and outline the application; the officer will also answer any questions Members may have.

**PROCEDURE**

NOTE: If the Sub-Committee has not already elected a Chairman, that will be the first item of business.

<b>1</b>	<b>Chairman</b>	The Chairman will: (i) call the matter to be considered (ii) call for any declarations of interest (iii) ask all parties to introduce themselves (iv) summarise the procedure to be followed at the hearing (v) will consider any request made by a party for another person to appear at the hearing (v) will advise the parties of any maximum period of time in which it has to present its case (if a maximum is imposed this shall be equal for all parties)
<b>2</b>	<b>Licensing Officer</b>	Will introduce and summarise the application, highlighting areas of contention or dispute.
<b>3</b>	<b>Committee Members</b>	May ask questions of the Licensing Officer
<b>4</b>	<b>Applicant</b>	Will present his/her case, calling witnesses, as appropriate.  <i>(If necessary, applicant will produce any notices required by law. Legal Adviser will draw attention to this if required.)</i>

5	<b>Responsible Authorities</b>  (who have made representations)	Each in turn may ask <u>questions</u> of the applicant, by way of clarification.
6	<b>Other Persons</b>  (who have made representations)	To be invited to ask <u>questions</u> of the applicant, by way of clarification.  <i>It is normal practice for a spokesperson only to speak on behalf of a group of residents.</i>
7	<b>Committee Members</b>	Each in turn may ask <u>questions</u> of the applicant.
8	<b>Applicant</b>	May make a <u>statement</u> or ask his witnesses to clarify any matters which he feels are unclear, or may have been misunderstood.
9	<b>Responsible Authorities</b>	Will make their representations.
10	<b>Applicant</b>	Or his representative or witnesses to ask <u>questions</u> of Responsible Authorities represented at the meeting, by way of clarification.
11	<b>Other Persons</b>  (who have made representations)	May ask <u>questions</u> of the Responsible Authorities represented at the meeting, by way of clarification.  <b>(Note: This is not the point at which they should be stating their objections.)</b>
12	<b>Committee Members</b>	May ask <u>questions</u> of the Responsible Authorities represented at the meeting
13	<b>Other Persons</b>  (who have made representations)	Those who have objected to the application will be invited <b><u>to make observations on the application</u></b> and present the bases of their objections.
15	<b>Applicant</b>	Or his representative or witnesses may ask <u>questions</u> of the other persons, by way of clarification.
16	<b>Committee Members</b>	May ask <u>questions</u> of the other persons.
17	<b>Chairman</b>	To invite both <b>Responsible Authorities</b> and <b>Other Persons</b> to make their closing addresses.

<b>18</b>	<b>Applicant</b>	Or his representative will <u>briefly summarise the application</u> and comment on the observations and any suggested conditions.
<b>19</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<u>Will retire</u> to consider the application. The Committee may request the Legal Advisor to advise on legal issues.
<b>20</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<p>Will return to <u>give its decision</u>, with reasons, which will be announced by the Chairman and subsequently confirmed in writing to the applicant and to all the parties that made representations.</p> <p>In cases where a decision cannot be given at the end of the hearing, parties will be advised of the decision within five working days.</p>

### **Notes**

1. The hearing shall normally be held in public. There may be occasions on which the Committee find it necessary to exclude members of the press and public; any such decision will be taken on the basis that the public interest in doing so outweighs the public interest in the hearing, or that part of the hearing taking place in public.
2. The Chairman may require any person behaving in a disruptive manner to leave the hearing and may (a) refuse to permit that person to return, or (b) permit him/her to return only on such conditions as the authority may specify, but any such person may submit in writing any information which they would have been entitled to provide orally if they had not been required to leave.
3. Prior to the hearing each party shall have given notification and served documentation (eg statements of witnesses or reports of experts) as required. Late representations and evidence will only be considered with the agreement of all parties.
4. Anyone entitled to be heard may be represented by any person, whether or not that person is legally qualified.
5. Hearsay will be permitted but the Sub-Committee will be reminded to give it appropriate weight.
6. Due note shall be taken of the provisions of the Hearings Regulations 2005.
7. The Chair may, in the interests of expediency or convenience of the parties, vary the procedure from time to time, provided notice is given to the parties and the rules of natural justice are observed.

## **Summary of Procedure**

1. Chairman appointed (if this has not been done previously).
2. Chairman to call for declarations of interest and request that all parties introduce themselves.
3. Chairman summarises the procedure for the hearing
4. The Licensing Officer summarises the application
5. Applicant to present his/her case.
6. Applicant to be questioned by all parties (to clarify points only) following which, he/she can clarify any other matters which he/she feels may have been misunderstood when the application was presented.
7. Applicant to be questioned by the Committee.
8. Responsible Authorities to make their representations following which they can be questioned by all parties by way of clarification.
9. Other Persons will be invited to present the bases of their objections, following which they can be questioned by all parties by way of clarification.
10. The applicant will be invited to sum up his/her case
11. Committee/Sub-Committee withdraws to make its decision
12. Committee/Sub-Committee returns to announce its decision to all present.



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## **Licensing Act Sub-Committee**

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<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	30 <sup>th</sup> January 2023
<b>Report Title:</b>	Application for a Premises Licence – Jim Evison Playing Fields Altrincham Road Wilmslow SK9 5NW
<b>Report of:</b>	Jayne Traverse, Executive Director – Place
<b>Report Reference No:</b>	To be provided by Democratic Services
<b>Ward(s) Affected:</b>	Wilmslow West and Chorley

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### **1. Purpose of Report**

- 1.1. To allow Members of the Sub-Committee to determine a contested application for the grant of a premises licence made under the Licensing Act 2003 for the following premises:

**Jim Evison Playing Fields  
Altrincham Road  
Wilmslow  
SK9 5NW**

### **2. Executive Summary**

- 2.1 The report provides details of an application for a new Premises Licence, under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 and outlines the evidence presented by the parties in relation to the application.

### **3. Recommendations**

- 3.1. The Licensing Act Sub-Committee is requested to consider the application and any relevant representations and determine what steps, if any, it considers are appropriate to promote the Licensing Objectives.

- 3.2.** Acting in the capacity of the Licensing Authority, Members must seek to promote the Licensing Objectives and where Members consider that matters have engaged one or more of the Objectives, they may exercise their discretion. The Licensing Objectives are:
- The prevention of crime and disorder
  - Public Safety
  - The prevention of public nuisance
  - The protection of children from harm
- 3.3.** Members of the Licensing Sub-Committee are reminded that they may not exercise discretion in any case, merely because it considers it desirable to do so. Careful consideration should be given to the application and the evidence presented by the parties in relation to the application.
- 3.4.** Finally, Members are also reminded that in determining the application, consideration also needs to be given to:
- a) The rules of natural justice
  - b) The provisions of the Human Rights Act 1998

#### **4. Reasons for Recommendations**

- 4.1.** The Licensing Act Sub-Committee has the power to determine this application in accordance with the provisions of the Licensing Act 2003 and the Council's Constitution.

#### **5. Other Options Considered**

- 5.1.** Not applicable

#### **6. Background**

- 6.1.** On 15<sup>th</sup> December 2022 an application was received by Cheshire East Council Licensing for a time limited Premises Licence for the following location:

**Jim Evison Playing Fields  
Altrincham Road  
Wilmslow  
SK9 5NW**

- 6.2.** The applicant has applied for a time limited premises license to provide licensable activities at one event only, held over a maximum of two consecutive days between 20<sup>th</sup> May 2023 and 15<sup>th</sup> August 2023. The



proposed date given by the applicant for the event is 8<sup>th</sup> July 2023. The applicant expects there to be up to 25,000 attendees each day.

- 6.3. A copy of the application form is attached at **Appendix 1**.
- 6.4. A copy of a plan provided by the applicant is attached at **Appendix 2**.
- 6.5. A larger map of the local area has been provided by the report writer at **Appendix 3**.
- 6.6. The licensable Activities and hours applied for are provided in the following tables:

6.7. **Provision of Films (outdoors only):**

	<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>
<b>Friday</b>	16:00	22:30
<b>Saturday</b>	16:00	22:30

6.8. **Provision of live music (outdoors only):**

	<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>
<b>Friday</b>	16:00	22:30
<b>Saturday</b>	16:00	22:30

- 6.9. The performance of live music may be amplified and unamplified. Soundchecks may take place from 10:00 each day. Performance of live music may take place from 16:00 each day.

6.10. **Provision of Recorded Music (outdoors only):**

	<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>
<b>Friday</b>	16:00	22:30
<b>Saturday</b>	16:00	22:30

- 6.11. The provision of recorded music will be amplified and sound checks may take place from 10:00 each day. The provision of recorded music may take place from 16:00 each day.

6.12. **Provision of Performances of Dance (outdoors only):**

	<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>
<b>Friday</b>	16:00	22:30
<b>Saturday</b>	16:00	22:30

**6.13. Provision of Anything of a Similar Description to Live Music, Recorded Music or Performances of Dance (outdoors only):**

	<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>
<b>Friday</b>	16:00	22:30
<b>Saturday</b>	16:00	22:30

**6.14. Supply of Alcohol (for consumption on the premises only):**

	<b>Start</b>	<b>End</b>
<b>Friday</b>	16:00	22:30
<b>Saturday</b>	16:00	22:30

**6.15.** The opening hours are stated to be 16:00 to 22:30 on both Friday and Saturday.

**6.16.** The applicant has stated that they will provide a draft Event Management Plan to the Safety Advisory Group at least 4 months prior to the first event day. The Safety Advisory Group will be provided with details of planning for the event and there will be a forum to scrutinize the plans.

**6.17.** A final Event Management Plan will be submitted to the Safety Advisory Group no later than 28 days prior to the first day of the event.

**6.18.** The applicant has explained that they will appoint a resident liaison lead following the lodging of the application. The applicant will begin communication with residents 4 months prior to the first event date with a letter providing top level event information about the proposed event together with the applicants contact information. This communication will also invite the residents to a residents meeting no later than 3 months prior to the first event date so that local residents have chance to discuss the event with the applicant and specialist contractors such as security, noise management, traffic management and cleansing / waste management. A further letter will be sent to residents within 14 days of the event with more detailed information including live event times and contact details during the event. During the event the applicant stated they will monitor a designated resident hotline number which will link in directly with event control to ensure ease of instructions to contractors such as security, noise management and cleansing. The applicant stated they will work closely with the SAG to minimise impact upon the local community.

## 7. Consultation and Engagement

- 7.1. Premises Licence Applications are subject to a 28 day consultation period. During that period the application must be advertised in a newspaper circulating in the local area; advertised at or near the premises on a notice printed on light blue paper; as well as being advertised on the Council's website.
- 7.2. All of the above were complied with. The application was advertised in a local newspaper on 21<sup>st</sup> December 2022; blue notices were inspected by a Licensing Enforcement Officer on 9<sup>th</sup> January 2023; the application was also advertised on the Council's website for the 28 day consultation period.
- 7.3. Environmental Protection have agreed with the applicant that the following conditions be added to the Premises Licence:
- 7.4. *In order to protect the interest of local residents and ensure that the licensing objective of public nuisance prevention is upheld: all necessary steps shall be taken to ensure that any noise from the premises shall not be at a level which could cause a noise nuisance at the boundary of the nearest residential premises, therefore:*
- 7.5. *The services of a professional and suitably experienced noise management company will be engaged to produce a noise management plan for the approval of the environmental protection services and Safety Advisory Group.*
- 7.6. *Planning for the Event: The Noise Management Plan shall be produced no later than 8 weeks prior to the event and shall include details of predicted noise levels at nearest noise sensitive properties based on modelling or actual noise measuring. The noise level predictions shall only be based on the sound system to be deployed for the event. The NMP shall detail measures of how noise will be monitored and proactively managed during the event. The appointed noise consultant shall liaise between all parties; Environmental Protection Service, Production Manager, DPS, Sound System Suppliers, Sound Engineers, Licensing Authority on all matters relating to noise control prior to and during the event.*
- 7.7. *A traffic and transport management plan will be produced and included as a supplementary document to the Event Management Plan.*
- 7.8. *Travel details will be provided to attendees prior to the event.*
- 7.9. *A waste and litter management plan will be produced and included as a supplementary document to the Event Management Plan. This plan will include litter picking services and the removal and management of waste generated by the Event.*

- 7.10.** *Prior to the Event: A noise propagation test shall be undertaken prior to the start of the event in order to set the appropriate control limits at the mixer position. The sound system shall be configured and operated in a similar manner as intended for the event. The sound source used for the test shall be similar in character to the music most likely to be produced for the event.*
- 7.11.** *The noise consultant shall ensure that prior to the event during testing of equipment, minimum noise levels are emitted from the sound equipment to reduce to its lowest level any noise nuisance to local residents.*
- 7.12.** *During the Event: The noise consultant shall ensure that the noise is monitored at the perimeter of the site (or other appropriate noise sensitive locations) throughout the event and at least during each different artist.*
- 7.13.** *The noise consultant shall comply with any request made by a nominated officer of the Environmental Protection Service to reduce or remix sound emanating from the amplification system.*
- 7.14.** *After the Event: A compliance / evaluation report shall be produced within 6 weeks of the event detailing monitored noise levels during the event, compliance with agreed levels, number of complaints received and action taken as a result of complaints.*
- 7.15.** A copy of the above agreed conditions is attached at **Appendix 4**.
- 7.16.** No objection or response was received from Cheshire Constabulary.
- 7.17.** Licensing received 40 valid objections to the application during the consultation period. They relate to the Licensing Objectives ‘the prevention of crime and disorder’, ‘public safety’ ‘the protection of children from harm’ and ‘the prevention of public nuisance’.
- 7.18.** Copies of the objections can be found individually numbered at **Appendix 5**.

## **8. Implications**

### **8.1. Legal**

- 8.1.1.** The Sub Committee must determine this application in accordance with section 18 of the Licensing Act 2003. To do so otherwise would render its determination unlawful and invalid.
- 8.1.2.** In accordance with the provisions of section 18 (3)(b) of the Licensing Act 2003 the Licensing Authority Sub Committee must, having regard to the representations, made in this application take such steps (if any) as it considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives.
- 8.1.3.** Section 18 (4) provides that the authority may:

- a) Grant the licence subject to conditions as are consistent with the operating schedule accompanying the application, modified to such extent as the authority considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives and any mandatory conditions that must be included on the licence in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003
- b) Exclude from the scope of the licence any of the Licensable Activities to which the application relates
- c) Refuse to specify a person in the licence as the Premises Supervisor
- d) Reject the application

8.1.4. Members are reminded that should any conditions be added, they should be practical, enforceable and appropriate to promote the Licensing Objectives.

8.1.5. Members are also reminded of the statutory obligation placed on the Local Authority under section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 to through all of its various functions, and Licensing is one of those functions, to do all that it can to prevent Crime and disorder, Anti-social Behaviour, behaviour adversely affecting the environment and reoffending.

8.1.6. Members must give reasons for their determination and notice of it must be communicated to the parties to this application. If Members depart from the Statutory Guidance or the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy then their decision notice must set out the reasons for doing so.

## **8.2. Finance**

8.2.1. There are no financial implications

## **8.3. Policy**

8.3.1. The Licensing Authority has adopted a Statement of Licensing Policy in accordance with section 5 of the Licensing Act 2003.

8.3.2. The Licensing Authority must also have due regard to the guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003.

8.3.3. Members should provide reason(s) for any decision taken and should set out the reasoning where they determine to depart in any way from the Policy or Guidance.

## **8.4. Equality**

8.4.1. There are no equality implications

## **8.5. Human Resources**

8.5.1. There are no human resources implications

## **8.6. Risk Management**

- 8.6.1. The Licensing Sub-Committee will hear representations made on behalf of both the applicant and the 'relevant person' who has submitted their representation and will make a decision on the basis of the evidence presented to it. The Licensing Act 2003 makes provision for appeal to the Magistrates' Court of any decision made by the Licensing Authority

## **8.7. Rural Communities**

- 8.7.1. There are no implications for rural communities

## **8.8. Children and Young People/Cared for Children**

- 8.8.1. There are no implications for children and young people

## **8.9. Public Health**

- 8.9.1. There are no direct implications for public health

## **8.10. Climate Change**

- 8.10.1. There are no implications for climate change

<b>Access to Information</b>	
Contact Officer:	Richard Hellon, Licensing Enforcement Officer Licensing@Cheshireeast.gov.uk 0300 123 5015
Appendices:	Appendix 1 – Application form Appendix 2 – Plan Appendix 3 – Map Appendix 4 – Environmental Protection agreed conditions Appendix 5 – Objections
Background Papers:	<a href="#">Statutory Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003</a> <a href="#">Council's Statement of Licensing Policy published under section 5 of the Licensing Act 2003</a> <a href="#">Licensing Act 2003</a> <a href="#">The Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005</a>



**Cheshire East**  
**Application for a premises licence**  
**Licensing Act 2003**

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 Telephone: 0300 123 5015

\* required information

### Section 1 of 21

You can save the form at any time and resume it later. You do not need to be logged in when you resume.

System reference	<input type="text" value="Not Currently In Use"/>	This is the unique reference for this application generated by the system.
Your reference	<input type="text"/>	You can put what you want here to help you track applications if you make lots of them. It is passed to the authority.
Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No		Put "no" if you are applying on your own behalf or on behalf of a business you own or work for.

### Applicant Details

* First name	<input type="text" value="Kelli"/>	
* Family name	<input type="text" value="Graham"/>	
* E-mail	<input type="text" value="[REDACTED]"/>	
Main telephone number	<input type="text" value="[REDACTED]"/>	Include country code.
Other telephone number	<input type="text"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Indicate here if you would prefer not to be contacted by telephone		

Are you:

- ☒ Applying as a business or organisation, including as a sole trader  
☐ Applying as an individual

A sole trader is a business owned by one person without any special legal structure. Applying as an individual means you are applying so you can be employed, or for some other personal reason, such as following a hobby.

### Applicant Business

Is your business registered in the UK with Companies House?      ☒ Yes      ☐ No

Note: completing the Applicant Business section is optional in this form.

Registration number	<input type="text" value="2686954"/>	
Business name	<input type="text" value="SJM Limited"/>	If your business is registered, use its registered name.
VAT number	<input type="text" value="GB"/> <input type="text" value="[REDACTED]"/>	Put "none" if you are not registered for VAT.
Legal status	<input type="text" value="Private Limited Company"/>	

**Continued from previous page...**Your position in the business Home country 

The country where the headquarters of your business is located.

**Registered Address**

Address registered with Companies House.

Building number or name Street District City or town County or administrative area Postcode Country **Section 2 of 21****PREMISES DETAILS**

I/we, as named in section 1, apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in section 2 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003.

**Premises Address**

Are you able to provide a postal address, OS map reference or description of the premises?

☒ Address    ☐ OS map reference    ☐ Description
**Postal Address Of Premises**Building number or name Street District City or town County or administrative area Postcode Country **Further Details**Telephone number Non-domestic rateable value of premises (£)



**Section 3 of 21****APPLICATION DETAILS**

In what capacity are you applying for the premises licence?

- ☐ An individual or individuals
- ☒ A limited company / limited liability partnership
- ☐ A partnership (other than limited liability)
- ☐ An unincorporated association
- ☐ Other (for example a statutory corporation)
- ☐ A recognised club
- ☐ A charity
- ☐ The proprietor of an educational establishment
- ☐ A health service body
- ☐ A person who is registered under part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales
- ☐ A person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 in respect of the carrying on of a regulated activity (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England
- ☐ The chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales

**Confirm The Following**

- ☒ I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities
- ☐ I am making the application pursuant to a statutory function
- ☐ I am making the application pursuant to a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative

**Section 4 of 21****NON INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS**

Provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), give the name and address of each party concerned.

**Non Individual Applicant's Name**

Name

SJM Limited

**Details**

Registered number (where applicable)

2686954

Description of applicant (for example partnership, company, unincorporated association etc)

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Private Limited Company

**Address**

Building number or name

Street

District

City or town

County or administrative area

Postcode

Country

**Contact Details**

E-mail

Telephone number

Other telephone number

\* Date of birth

dd mm yyyy

\* Nationality

[Documents that demonstrate entitlement to work in the UK](#)

**Section 5 of 21****OPERATING SCHEDULE**

When do you want the premises licence to start?  /  /

dd mm yyyy

If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end  /  /

dd mm yyyy

Provide a general description of the premises

For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.

We are applying for a premises license to provide licensable activities for a maximum of 2 consecutive days during the months of May to August. The proposed date for this event is 8th July 2023 for up to 25,000 attendees each day. Admission to the event will be by ticket or staff/contractor accreditation only.

The premises will be secured enclosed site for a music concert within the grounds of Jim Evison Playing Fields, Wilmslow.

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The proposed site will have a stage structure, bar areas, toilets and food concessions within the fence line. Security will control entry, searching and 'blue light' access routes will provide access in case of emergency. No alcohol will be permitted to be taken offsite and security will be present at each exit point to enforce this.

If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, state the number expected to attend

**Section 6 of 21****PROVISION OF PLAYS**

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing plays?

☐ Yes

☒ No
**Section 7 of 21****PROVISION OF FILMS**

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing films?

☒ Yes

☐ No
**Standard Days And Timings**

MONDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

TUESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

WEDNESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

THURSDAY

Start

End

Start

End

FRIDAY

Start

End

Start

End

SATURDAY

Start

End

Start

End

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SUNDAY

Start End Start End 

Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both?

☐ Indoors
 ☒ Outdoors
 ☐ Both

Where taking place in a building or other structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.

State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

Music will be amplified and will be incidental to the provision of films.

State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of film

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

N/A

Non standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the exhibition of film at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

N/A

**Section 8 of 21****PROVISION OF INDOOR SPORTING EVENTS**[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing indoor sporting events?

☐ Yes
 ☒ No
**Section 9 of 21****PROVISION OF BOXING OR WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENTS**[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing boxing or wrestling entertainments?

☐ Yes
 ☒ No
**Section 10 of 21****PROVISION OF LIVE MUSIC**[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing live music?

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### Standard Days And Timings

#### MONDAY

Start

End

Start

End

Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

#### TUESDAY

Start

End

Start

End

#### WEDNESDAY

Start

End

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Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both?

☐ Indoors ☒ Outdoors ☐ Both

Where taking place in a building or other  
structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may  
include a tent.

State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

The performance of live music may be amplified and unamplified  
Soundchecks may take place from 10AM each day  
Performance of live music may take place from 4pm each day.

State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

We are applying for a license for a maximum of two constitutive events between the months of May and August with notification to the relevant authorities not less than six months prior to the date of the event.

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Provisional date is 8th July 2023.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the performance of live music at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

None

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### PROVISION OF RECORDED MUSIC

[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing recorded music?

☒ Yes

☐ No

#### Standard Days And Timings

MONDAY

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Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

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Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both?

Where taking place in a building or other structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.

☐ Indoors
     
 ☒ Outdoors
     
 ☐ Both

State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

The provision of recorded music will be amplified and sound checks may take place from 10AM each day.  
 The provision of recorded music may take place from 4PM each day.

State any seasonal variations for playing recorded music

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

We are applying for a license for a maximum of two constitutive events between the months of May and August, with notification to the relevant authorities not less than four months prior to the event date.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the playing of recorded music at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

None

**Section 12 of 21****PROVISION OF PERFORMANCES OF DANCE**[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing performances of dance?

☒ Yes
     
 ☐ No
**Standard Days And Timings**

MONDAY

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Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
 (e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
 of the week when you intend the premises  
 to be used for the activity.

TUESDAY

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Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both?

☐ Indoors ☒ Outdoors ☐ Both

Where taking place in a building or other structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.

State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the performance of dance at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.



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**Section 13 of 21****PROVISION OF ANYTHING OF A SIMILAR DESCRIPTION TO LIVE MUSIC, RECORDED MUSIC OR PERFORMANCES OF DANCE**[See guidance on regulated entertainment](#)

Will you be providing anything similar to live music, recorded music or performances of dance?

☒ Yes☐ No**Standard Days And Timings**

## MONDAY

Start End Start End Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

## TUESDAY

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## WEDNESDAY

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## THURSDAY

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## FRIDAY

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## SATURDAY

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## SUNDAY

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Give a description of the type of entertainment that will be provided

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Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both?

☐ Indoors      ☒ Outdoors      ☐ Both

Where taking place in a building or other structure tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.

State type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.

State any seasonal variations for entertainment

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for entertainment at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

**Section 14 of 21****LATE NIGHT REFRESHMENT**

Will you be providing late night refreshment?

☐ Yes      ☒ No

**Section 15 of 21****SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL**

Will you be selling or supplying alcohol?

☒ Yes      ☐ No

**Standard Days And Timings**

MONDAY

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TUESDAY

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Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

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Will the sale of alcohol be for consumption:

- ☒ On the premises ☐ Off the premises ☐ Both

If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises select on, if the sale of alcohol is for consumption away from the premises select off. If the sale of alcohol is for consumption on the premises and away from the premises select both.

State any seasonal variations

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

N/A

Non-standard timings. Where the premises will be used for the supply of alcohol at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

N/A

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

*Continued from previous page...***Name**First name Family name Date of birth **Enter the contact's address**Building number or name Street District City or town County or administrative area Postcode Country Personal Licence number  
(if known) Issuing licensing authority  
(if known) **PROPOSED DESIGNATED PREMISES SUPERVISOR CONSENT**

How will the consent form of the proposed designated premises supervisor be supplied to the authority?

- ☐ Electronically, by the proposed designated premises supervisor
- ☒ As an attachment to this application

Reference number for consent form (if known) 

If the consent form is already submitted, ask the proposed designated premises supervisor for its 'system reference' or 'your reference'.

**Section 16 of 21****ADULT ENTERTAINMENT**

Highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, or other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children

Give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups etc gambling machines etc.

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Give timings in 24 hour clock.  
(e.g., 16:00) and only give details for the days  
of the week when you intend the premises  
to be used for the activity.

**TUESDAY**Start End Start End **WEDNESDAY**Start End Start End **THURSDAY**Start End Start End **FRIDAY**Start End Start End **SATURDAY**Start End Start End **SUNDAY**Start End Start End 

State any seasonal variations

For example (but not exclusively) where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.

N/A

Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises to be open to the members and guests at different times from those listed in the column on the left, list below

For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.

N/A

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### LICENSING OBJECTIVES

Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e)

List here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.

The applicant is applying for a time limited Premises License to provide Licensable Activity for two consecutive nights between the months May and August with notification to the relevant authorities not less than six months prior to the date of the event.

Provisional date is 8th July 2023.

Notice of the proposed event dates will be provided to the licensing authorities and responsible authorities not less than 6 months prior to the first event day or such other period as may be agreed by the licensing authority.

The applicant will provide a draft Event Management Plan to the Safety Advisory Group at least 4 months prior to the first event day. The Safety Advisory Group will be provided with details of planning for the event and will be a forum to scrutinize the plans.

A final Event Management Plan will be submitted to the Safety Advisory Group no later than 28 days prior to the first event day.

The Event Management Plan shall compromise but not be limited to:

- Event Safety Management Plan
- Event Risk Assessment
- Site Schedule
- Site Plan
- Site Safety Plan
- Emergency Plan (Including Emergency Evacuation Plan & Show Stop Procedures)
- Security and Stewarding Plan (Including ingress and egress plans, searching as agreed with the local police authority and deployment plan).
- Noise Management Plan (including residents hotline information and designated off site monitoring locations as agreed with local environmental health team)
- Fire Safety Assessment & Plan
- Adverse Weather Plan
- Medical Needs Assessment & Medical Management Plan
- Concessions Management Plan
- Alcohol Management Plan
- Transport and Traffic Management Plan
- Construction Phase Plan and Risk Assessment
- Sanitation Plan
- Waste and Litter Management Plan (including litter management and offsite/residential as agreed with the Safety Advisory Group)
- Welfare plan including detailing a safe space for vulnerable persons.

The applicant will manage the operation of the Event in accordance with the Event Management Plan with involvement from the Event Liaison Team (ELT). Any changes to the Event Management Plan, during the event, shall be made with the consent of the ELT.

We will proactively promote a positive message to ticket purchasers outlining some of the points detailed below prior to the event to include; zero tolerance to drugs, under 14's with an adult, travel details and challenge 25.

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No alcohol will be served in glass and all bottled drinks/canned drinks will be opened prior to service. No alcohol will be permitted to take off site from the event into a public area.

The applicant will appoint a resident liaison lead following the lodging of this application. The applicant will begin communication with residents 4 months prior to the first event date with a letter providing top level event information about the proposed event together with the applicants contact information. This communication will also invite the residents to a residents meeting no later than 3 months to the first event date so that local residents have chance to discuss the event with the applicant and specialist contractors such as security, noise management, traffic management and cleansing / waste management. A further letter will be sent to residents within 14 days of the event with more detailed information including live event times and contact details during the event. During the event we will monitor a designated resident hotline number which will link in directly with event control to ensure ease of instructions to contractors such as security, noise management and cleansing. The application will work closely with the SAG to minimize impact upon the local community.

**b) The prevention of crime and disorder**

Suitable and experienced security and crowd management contractors will be appointed and will provide a security and crowd management plan which will be included as a supplementary document to the Event Management Plan.

A security presence will be on site during the Event Period. The deployments will be agreed with Cheshire Police / SAG and will include Security response teams. Security will be placed off site to assist with the dispersal of attendees as agreed with the Safety Advisory Group and Cheshire Police.

A search regime will be implemented on entry to the Event to search for prohibited items such as weapons and illegal substances. Note - we will operate a zero tolerance policy to drugs. Amnesty bins will be provided at the entrance points alongside private areas for indepth searching and detaining (if required)

We will operate a strict challenge 25 policy at all bars.

We will actively promote a positive message to ticket purchasers detailing the zero tolerance to drugs, challenge 25 policy and that all under 14's must be accompanied by an adult.

No drinks will be served in glassware and all bottled/canned drinks will be opened prior to service.

**c) Public safety**

A suitably experienced and qualified Health & Safety Consultant will be appointed to undertake Risk Assessments and produce appropriate method statements which will be included as supplementary documentation to the Event Management Plan.

The security and crowd management plan will include measures on how to monitor crowd movement and promptly and effectively identify crowd control issues. It will also over see safe ingress and egress to and from the event.

A Major Incident plan will be included within the Event Management Plan to provide details of coordination with the emergency services and evacuation to agreed rendezvous points.

The application will appoint a suitably and experienced medical and first aid contractor to provide services at the event. This contractor will undertake a medical assessment and produce a medical risk assessment and plan.

The applicant is responsible for sanitation at the site and facilities will include the provision and servicing of adequate numbers of toilets, urinals and accessible toilets.

The Event Risk Assessment, Fire Safety Assessment, Management of LPG, Pyrotechnics and Special Effects will also be included in the Event Management Plan for scrutiny and approval by the Safety Advisory Group.

**d) The prevention of public nuisance**

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The services of a professional and suitably experienced noise management company will be engaged to produce a noise management plan for the approval of the environmental protection services and Safety Advisory Group.

Planning for the Event:

- The Noise Management Plan shall be produced no later than 8 weeks prior to the event and shall include details of predicted noise levels at nearest noise sensitive properties based on modeling or actual noise measuring. The noise level predictions shall only be based on the sound system to be deployed for the event. The NMP shall detail measures of how noise will be monitored and proactively managed during the event. The appointed noise consultant shall liaise between all parties; Environmental Protection Service, Production Manager, DPS, Sound System Suppliers, Sound Engineers, Licensing Authority on all matters relating to noise control prior to and during the event.
- A traffic and transport management plan will be produced and included as a supplementary document to the Event Management Plan.
- Travel details will be provided to attendees prior to the event.
- A waste and litter management plan will be produced and included as a supplementary document to the Event Management Plan. This plan will include litter picking services and the removal and management of waste generated by the Event.

Prior to the Event:

- A noise propagation test shall be undertaken prior to the start of the event in order to set the appropriate control limits at the mixer position. The sound system shall be configured and operated in a similar manner as intended for the event. The sound source used for the test shall be similar in character to the music most likely to be produced for the event.
- The noise consultant shall ensure that prior to the event during testing of equipment, minimum noise levels are emitted from the sound equipment to reduce to its lowest level any noise nuisance to local residents.

During the Event:

- The noise consultant shall ensure that the noise is monitored at the perimeter of the site (or other appropriate noise sensitive locations) throughout the event and at least during each different artist.
- The noise consultant shall comply with any request made by a nominated officer of the Environmental Protection Service to reduce or remix sound emanating from the amplification system.

After the Event:

- A compliance / evaluation report shall be produced within 6 weeks of the event detailing monitored noise levels during the event, compliance with agreed levels, number of complaints received and action taken as a result of complaints.

e) The protection of children from harm

The event will operate on the basis anyone under 14 must be accompanied by an adult 18+. This will be clearly stated on all tickets and at the point of purchase.

Any child entering with an adult will be offered a wristband and the accompanying adults telephone number written on it in case they become separated during the event.

A welfare provision will be situated on site who will lead on safeguarding and will liaise closely with Cheshire East Safeguarding officers.

All bars will operate a strict challenge 25.

The Welfare Plan will be included as a supplementary document to the overall Event Management Plan.

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### NOTES ON DEMONSTRATING ENTITLEMENT TO WORK IN THE UK



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**Entitlement to work/immigration status for individual applicants and applications from partnerships which are not limited liability partnerships:**

A licence may not be held by an individual or an individual in a partnership who is resident in the UK who:

- does not have the right to live and work in the UK; or
- is subject to a condition preventing him or her from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

Any premises licence issued in respect of an application made on or after 6 April 2017 will become invalid if the holder ceases to be entitled to work in the UK.

Applicants must demonstrate that they have an entitlement to work in the UK and are not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity. They do this in one of two ways: 1) by providing with this application copies or scanned copies of the documents listed below (which do not need to be certified), or 2) by providing their 'share code' to enable the licensing authority to carry out a check using the Home Office online right to work checking service (see below).

**Documents which demonstrate entitlement to work in the UK**

- An expired or current passport showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as the child of the holder, is A British citizen or a citizen of the UK and Colonies having the right of abode in the UK [please see note below about which sections of the passport to copy].
- An expired or current passport or national identity card showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as the child of the holder, is a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Registration Certificate or document certifying permanent residence issued by the Home Office to a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Permanent Residence Card issued by the Home Office to the family member of a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A **current** Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the Home Office to the holder indicating that the person named is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A **current** passport endorsed to show that the holder is exempt from immigration control, is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, has the right of abode in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A **current** Immigration Status Document issued by the Home Office to the holder with an endorsement indicating that the named person is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK or has no time limit on their stay in the UK, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A birth or adoption certificate issued in the UK, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A birth or adoption certificate issued in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or Ireland **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A certificate of registration or naturalisation as a British citizen, **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.

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- A **current** passport endorsed to show that the holder is allowed to stay in the UK and is currently allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A **current** Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the Home Office to the holder which indicates that the named person can currently stay in the UK and is allowed to work relation to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A **current** Residence Card issued by the Home Office to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights or residence.
- A **current** Immigration Status Document containing a photograph issued by the Home Office to the holder with an endorsement indicating that the named person may stay in the UK, and is allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity **when produced in combination with** an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A Certificate of Application, **less than 6 months old**, issued by the Home Office under regulation 18(3) or 20(2) of the Immigration (European Economic Area) Regulations 2016, to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence.
- Reasonable evidence that the person has an outstanding application to vary their permission to be in the UK with the Home Office such as the Home Office acknowledgement letter or proof of postage evidence, or reasonable evidence that the person has an appeal or administrative review pending on an immigration decision, such as an appeal or administrative review reference number.
- Reasonable evidence that a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence in exercising treaty rights in the UK including:-
  - evidence of the applicant's own identity – such as a passport,
  - evidence of their relationship with the European Economic Area family member – e.g. a marriage certificate, civil partnership certificate or birth certificate, and
  - evidence that the European Economic Area national has a right of permanent residence in the UK or is one of the following if they have been in the UK for more than 3 months:
    - (i) working e.g. employment contract, wage slips, letter from the employer,
    - (ii) self-employed e.g. contracts, invoices, or audited accounts with a bank,
    - (iii) studying e.g. letter from the school, college or university and evidence of sufficient funds; or
    - (iv) self-sufficient e.g. bank statements.

Family members of European Economic Area nationals who are studying or financially independent must also provide evidence that the European Economic Area national and any family members hold comprehensive sickness insurance in the UK. This can include a private medical insurance policy, an EHIC card or an S1, S2 or S3 form.

**Original documents must not be sent to licensing authorities.** If the document copied is a passport, a copy of the following pages should be provided:-

- (i) any page containing the holder's personal details including nationality;
- (ii) any page containing the holder's photograph;
- (iii) any page containing the holder's signature;
- (iv) any page containing the date of expiry; and
- (v) any page containing information indicating the holder has permission to enter or remain in the UK and is permitted to work.

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If the document is not a passport, a copy of the whole document should be provided.

Your right to work will be checked as part of your licensing application and this could involve us checking your immigration status with the Home Office. We may otherwise share information with the Home Office. Your licence application will not be determined until you have complied with this guidance.

**Home Office online right to work checking service**

As an alternative to providing a copy of the documents listed above, applicants may demonstrate their right to work by allowing the licensing authority to carry out a check with the Home Office online right to work checking service.

To demonstrate their right to work via the Home Office online right to work checking service, applicants should include in this application their 9-digit share code (provided to them upon accessing the service at <https://www.gov.uk/prove-right-to-work>) which, along with the applicant's date of birth (provided within this application), will allow the licensing authority to carry out the check.

In order to establish the applicant's right to work, the check will need to indicate that the applicant is allowed to work in the United Kingdom and is not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

An online check will not be possible in all circumstances because not all applicants will have an immigration status that can be checked online. The Home Office online right to work checking service sets out what information and/or documentation applicants will need in order to access the service. Applicants who are unable to obtain a share code from the service should submit copy documents as set out above.

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**NOTES ON REGULATED ENTERTAINMENT**

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In terms of specific **regulated entertainments** please note that:

- **Plays:** no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
- **Films:** no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.
- **Indoor sporting events:** no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
- **Boxing or Wrestling Entertainment:** no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports – defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts – are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
- **Live music:** no licence permission is required for:
  - o a performance of unamplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, on any premises.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
  - o a performance of amplified live music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
- **Recorded Music:** no licence permission is required for:
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
  - o any playing of recorded music between 08:00 and 23:00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

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- Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
- Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
  - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
  - o any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;
  - o any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
  - o any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.

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This fee must be paid to the authority. If you complete the application online, you must pay it by debit or credit card.

Premises Licence Fees are determined by the non-domestic rateable value of the premises.

To find out a premises non domestic rateable value go to the Valuation Office Agency site at [http://www.voa.gov.uk/business\\_rates/index.htm](http://www.voa.gov.uk/business_rates/index.htm)

Band A - No RV to £4300 £100.00

Band B - £4301 to £33000 £190.00

Band C - £33001 to £8700 £315.00

Band D - £87001 to £12500 £450.00\*

Band E - £125001 and over £635.00\*

\*If the premises rateable value is in Bands D or E and the premises is primarily used for the consumption of alcohol on the premises then you are required to pay a higher fee

Band D - £87001 to £12500 £900.00

Band E - £125001 and over £1,905.00

There is an exemption from the payment of fees in relation to the provision of regulated entertainment at church halls, chapel halls or premises of a similar nature, village halls, parish or community halls, or other premises of a similar nature. The costs associated with these licences will be met by central Government. If, however, the licence also authorises the use of the premises for the supply of alcohol or the provision of late night refreshment, a fee will be required.

Schools and sixth form colleges are exempt from the fees associated with the authorisation of regulated entertainment where the entertainment is provided by and at the school or college and for the purposes of the school or college.

If you operate a large event you are subject to ADDITIONAL fees based upon the number in attendance at any one time

Capacity 5000-9999 £1,000.00

Capacity 10000 -14999 £2,000.00

Capacity 15000-19999 £4,000.00

Capacity 20000-29999 £8,000.00

Capacity 30000-39000 £16,000.00

Capacity 40000-49999 £24,000.00

Capacity 50000-59999 £32,000.00

Capacity 60000-69999 £40,000.00

Capacity 70000-79999 £48,000.00

Capacity 80000-89999 £56,000.00

Capacity 90000 and over £64,000.00

\* Fee amount (£)

8,100.00

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**DECLARATION**

\* I/we understand it is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to level 5 on the standard scale, under section 158 of the licensing act 2003, to make a false statement in or in connection with this application.

Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership] I understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15).

The DPS named in this application form is entitled to work in the UK (and is not subject to conditions preventing him or her from doing work relating to a licensable activity) and I have seen a copy of his or her proof of entitlement to work, if appropriate (please see note 15).

☐ Ticking this box indicates you have read and understood the above declaration

This section should be completed by the applicant, unless you answered "Yes" to the question "Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?"

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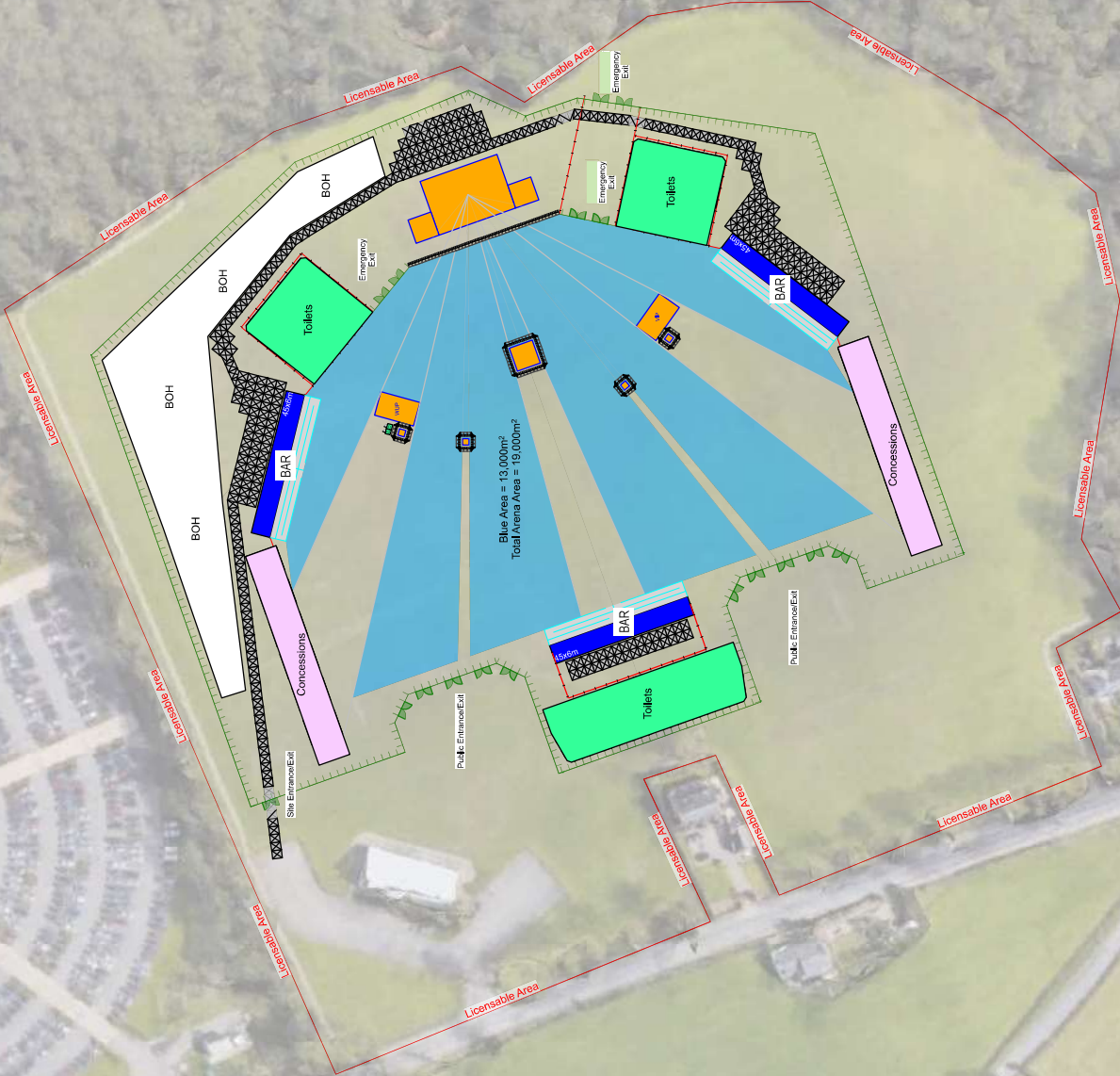
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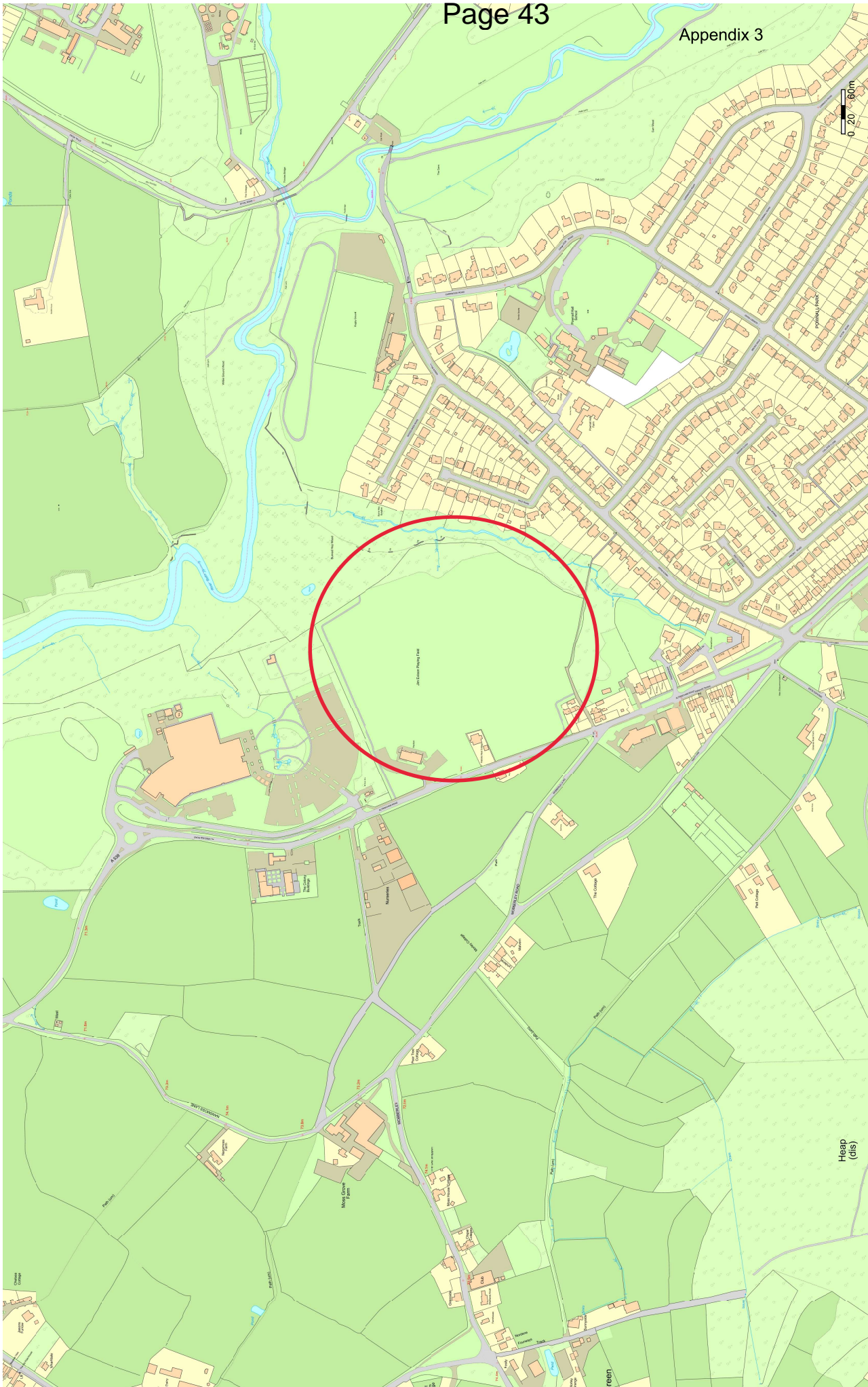


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# LICENSING ACT 2003

## Environmental Health Consultation

### Response



*Working for a brighter future together*

EP Ref: ELL/078052

Date Received: 15 December 2022

Name of Applicant: Jim Evison Playing Fields

Address to which application relates: Altrincham Road, Wilmslow, Cheshire East, SK9 4LY

Conversion: ☐ Variation: ☐ New: ☒

<input type="checkbox"/>	Approve
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Approve with Conditions
<input type="checkbox"/>	Object to Section(s)

#### LICENSING OBJECTIVE: PREVENTION OF PUBLIC NUISANCE

In order to protect the interest of local residents and ensure that the licensing objective of public nuisance prevention is upheld: all necessary steps shall be taken to ensure that any noise from the premises shall not be at a level which could cause a noise nuisance at the boundary of the nearest residential premises, therefore:

The services of a professional and suitably experienced noise management company will be engaged to produce a noise management plan for the approval of the environmental protection services and Safety Advisory Group.

#### Planning for the Event:

- The Noise Management Plan shall be produced no later than 8 weeks prior to the event and shall include details of predicted noise levels at nearest noise sensitive properties based on modeling or actual noise measuring. The noise level predictions shall only be based on the sound system to be deployed for the event. The NMP shall detail measures of how noise will be monitored and proactively managed during the event. The appointed noise consultant shall liaise between all parties; Environmental Protection Service, Production Manager, DPS, Sound System Suppliers, Sound Engineers, Licensing Authority on all matters relating to noise control prior to and during the event.
- A traffic and transport management plan will be produced and included as a supplementary document to the Event Management Plan.
- Travel details will be provided to attendees prior to the event.
- A waste and litter management plan will be produced and included as a supplementary document to the Event Management Plan. This plan will include litter picking services and the removal and management of waste generated by the Event.

#### Prior to the Event:

- A noise propagation test shall be undertaken prior to the start of the event in order to set the appropriate control limits at the mixer position. The sound system shall be configured and operated in a similar manner

as intended for the event. The sound source used for the test shall be similar in character to the music most likely to be produced for the event.

- The noise consultant shall ensure that prior to the event during testing of equipment, minimum noise levels are emitted from the sound equipment to reduce to its lowest level any noise nuisance to local residents.

During the Event:

- The noise consultant shall ensure that the noise is monitored at the perimeter of the site (or other appropriate noise sensitive locations) throughout the event and at least during each different artist.

- The noise consultant shall comply with any request made by a nominated officer of the Environmental Protection Service to reduce or remix sound emanating from the amplification system.

After the Event:

- A compliance / evaluation report shall be produced within 6 weeks of the event detailing monitored noise levels during the event, compliance with agreed levels, number of complaints received and action taken as a result of complaints.

## **INFORMATIVES**

### **PLANNING PERMISSION**

- It is your responsibility to obtain other consent/planning permission/approvals which may be required in addition to the necessary Premises Licence.
- There are sometimes circumstances where planning conditions have been set which may impact on your activities. If the Planning Permission and the Premises Licence differ; for example where the Planning Authority have set a terminal hour which is earlier than those conditioned by the Premises Licence; you must abide by the earlier time otherwise you leave yourself open to enforcement action.

### **FOOD BUSINESS OPERATIONS**

- Anyone starting a new food business must register with the Council **at least 28 days before** you start any food operations. You can register your food business online via GOV.UK. If you have premises in more than one local authority area, you must register with each authority separately.

**Signed:**            **Mark Vyse | Environmental Health Officer | Environmental Protection**

**Dated:**            **19 December 2022**

Direct Dial:

Email:



## Relevant Representations

1	Received on	From
	21/12/2022	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madame</p> <p>I wish to object to the premises licence application made by SJM Ltd for the Jim Evison playing fields which was made 15th December 2022. As a resident whose XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX and one of the public accesses, I believe the application would cause a public safety issue due to congestion on Altrincham road. This danger is currently very apparent especially on Saturday and Sunday when many vehicles park on pavements and alongside the main road while attending football/rugby games that are played on the fields. I don't believe that the playing field should be used for commercial events and that the selling and use of alcohol will add to anti-social behaviour, crime and disorder that already exists especially during summer months. I already regularly pick up large amounts of litter and on occasions human excrement and can only imagine that commercial events of the nature included in the application will add to this. Please consider my objection to this application.</p>	

2	Received on	From
	21/12/2022	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Hi</p> <p>I have seen the planning application for live music and performance of dance on the Jim Evison playing fields.</p> <p>The back of my house looks on to the fields and I feel strongly about this application as it would impact me and my family and I would like to stop this from being granted.</p> <p>I have young children and dogs, and the noise would certainly disrupt our lives, not in a good way.</p> <p>We purchased the house for the location and outlook, we certainly did not buy the house expecting a music venue in the garden. It doesn't feel safe.</p> <p>It would be good to hear more information as and when anything happens.</p> <p>Thank you</p>	

3	Received on	From
	22/12/2022	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>I would like to object to the application by SJM Limited for use of the Jim Evison Playing fields, Altrincham road, Wilmslow SK9 4LY made on the 15th December 2022.</p> <p>These are sports fields and the use of them for licensed events cannot be conducive to their ongoing use by adults and children for sporting activities.</p> <p>The field also backs onto multiple residences and residential areas all of which will be heavily disturbed by the noise of events into the evening.</p> <p>Finally the area does not have enough suitable parking for its intended use as a sporting venue and this already spills dangerous parking onto the road. The parking need for the events listed on the application will be much greater and the area absolutely does not have the space to support it.</p> <p>Thank you</p>	

4	Received on	From
	03/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam</p> <p>We were appalled to read the notice regarding the above company's application to establish a form of music &amp; liquid sales on the Jim Everson land on Altringham Road, Wilmslow. This should be REFUSED without question!</p> <p>Let us consider the problems – 1) Probable loud music on Fridays &amp; Saturdays, disturbing the local property residents with unwanted noise.</p> <p>2) The likely erection of a unit to house the entertainers. This could have a serious impact on the current land used by sporting clubs for the benefit of children and their health and pleasure.</p> <p>3) The strong risk of the paying individuals to walk on and damage the land used by the current sporting clubs on Fridays &amp; Saturdays.</p> <p>4) There will undoubtedly be a vast number of vehicles attending, for which there is very limited genuine parking spaces. This would leave such vehicles parking on the roadside, and thus creating a danger to passing motorists.</p> <p>5) Interesting to note that SJM Holdings Ltd. Is a company owned by a company in Macau, Hong Kong.</p> <p>6) A survey by you with local people would undoubtedly produce a "NO".</p> <p>We are sure that you will fully appreciate the complaints from the local people and refuse this application.</p> <p>Yours truly</p>	

5	Received on	From
	09/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam</p> <p>We are writing with regard to the above licensing application. XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX directly on to the playing fields. Our objections are as follows:</p> <p>1) Concern over the noise made by these events. We note that the company applying organises large events.</p> <p>2) Frequency of events. How is this controlled? Major disruption to life and traffic each time event held.</p> <p>3) Parking is inadequate. We often get parking on the verges along Altringham Road and on footpaths when football matches are on, making it dangerous to drive or walk along the road.</p> <p>4) Litter. Not just on the playing field but on the paths and roads surrounding the field.</p> <p>5) Trespassers. We have experienced people using our land (eg travellers) as a toilet. We are concerned that this may be considered a an option should facilities not be adequate at an event.</p> <p>Yours sincerely</p>	



## Appendix 5

6	Received on	From
	10/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam</p> <p>I would like to voice my objection to the above proposed application for a premises license. As a resident XXXXXXXXXXXX Jim Evison playing field this application fills me with horror. I am particularly concerned regarding the proposed capacity for 25,000 people. I object on the following grounds:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Such a large public meeting will cause alcohol induced revelling and will need adequate policing and health and safety provision. This provision will be excessive and costly for 25,000 people. Furthermore, the necessary diversion of the policeforce from the local area to attend events at the Jim Evison represents a threat to the prevention of crime and disorder in other areas and therefore a threat to public safety.</li> <li>2. The noise and crowds of people represent a nuisance to the surrounding community.</li> <li>3. Rubbish/glass/ plastic bottle/cigarette stubs littering the ground and its surroundings will potentially cause harm/injury to local residents who use the field, as it was intended, as a sports facility. It is currently used regularly by the local community for sport/ exercise/dog walking/picnics and meetings. Rubbish left on the field will cause injury to young footballers and young children who play on the field.</li> <li>4. The potential problems caused by traffic and parking for the proposal represents a threat to public safety. It is likely that people will park on pavements, on the zigzags near the crossing and any other small space they can find. This is already a slight problem at the weekends. One can only imagine the chaos and risk to public safety caused by 25,000 people arriving to 'party' on the playing field.</li> </ol> <p>I do hope you realise what a terrible prospect this proposed project is for local residents and sports and recreational users of the field. I implore you to deny the application.</p> <p>Yours faithfully</p>	

7	Received on	From
	10/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>I wish to lodge my objection to the licence application by SJM Limited for the use of the Jim Evison playing fields on the grounds of;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>. Noise and nuisance to neighboring properties (including mine which is XXXXXXXXXX of the Jim Evison Playing Fields) and the many other properties on XXXXXXXXXX.</li> <li>. inadequate parking facilities with narrow or no pavements in surrounding area causing unsafe conditions for the public and traffic</li> <li>. Traffic congestion on an already very busy A road</li> <li>. The playing fields which have inadequate drainage could be severely damaged by any temporary structure and heavy vehicles having access onto the playing fields</li> <li>. broken bottles etc, to be a danger to the people using the playing fields for sporting activities, especially children.</li> </ul>	

<b>8</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	11/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Licencing</p> <p>I have been contacted by several concerned residents about this and object to the application as it currently stands.</p> <p>An event of this scale has never been staged at Jim Evison Playing Fields before and I am concerned that the application refers to key documents that are not yet present. These are the Event Management Plan and the Transport Plan. Therefore, without these key documents, I am concerned there will not be due scrutiny on the application to judge its merits.</p> <p>While I am in general support of this event, I think a Licencing Hearing would help all parties. It would help to allay the residents fears and for the full implementation plan to be presented, so that a far more informed decision can be made.</p> <p>Best regards</p>	

<b>9</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	11/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam,</p> <p>I am surprised and disappointed to see this application. As someone who walks on this field every Friday and Saturday this would significantly impact my access to open air and countryside. I am very concerned about the noise, litter and traffic disruption impacting the main access road between Wilmslow and the M56.</p> <p>I feel the short notice and lack of publicity regarding the application demonstrates the applicants are aware how unpopular and unwanted their proposals are. It seems this inappropriate development is aimed to attract additional visitors from outside the area to private events, not run for the benefit or needs of Wilmslow residents. Instead these same residents would lose facilities and experience significant noise and traffic disruption.</p> <p>We already have similar events, such as the cinema on the Carrs. These are well attended by local people who can walk to the events. These events work well because they are located in the town centre and are organised by the council for the benefit of local residents. There are plenty of car parks and bus and train links in the town centre. There is no demand for these events to be bigger or require more facilities (they are never over subscribed). If this is the case in the town centre then there clearly is no demand for bigger events on the outskirts of the town.</p> <p>The private events proposed for Jim Evison Fields appear to be much larger (for 25 000 people!). In addition the site is too far from the centre of Wilmslow for many people to walk; there is no public transport infrastructure to support such a development; and insufficient space for parking. The existing sports events at Jim Evison already overflow the limited car parking and cause congestion even though they take place during normally quiet commuting times. These proposed events will take place during times when this road is already congested. If people are unable to use this route to access or leave Wilmslow this will detrimentally effect the businesses and residents of the town.</p> <p>I am also concerned that this licence will pave the way for future development of the site, adding buildings and facilities. There appears to be a plan to erect a wall around the site to restrict access to paying visitors and restricting access to the current users of the site.</p> <p>I am therefore worried this is a stepping stone development to declassify the site as green space. Once this happens, the developers will announce there is no demand for their white elephant leisure development and will apply for the now brown field site to be redeveloped as airport parking, housing, whatever?</p> <p>Please do not allow this licence to proceed. It is in the wrong place and the developers are keeping it secret because they know it is not wanted by the local residents. We already</p>	

	have a lovely, thriving town. This application will be detrimental and undermine other successful elements of our town. Yours sincerely

10	Received on	From
	11/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>This email is with regards to the licensing application made for Jim Evison playing fields, Altrincham Road, Wilmslow, SK9 4LY.</p> <p>I am a resident and homeowner of the XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX, which is, located XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX. I would like to make the following comment on the submitted application.</p> <p>My primary concern in relation to the license application is the resultant impacts on our residential amenity, as close neighbours we will be subjected to noise disturbance, way beyond that which is considered acceptable, and potentially indecent light disturbance.</p> <p>Secondly, the increased number of visitors these live events will attract, will result in the displacement of vehicles onto the main road which is dangerous and affects highways amenity and safety, especially in light of fast moving vehicles along Altrincham Road which has limited or no speed enforcement measures in place. The football activities that take place on the Jim Evison fields, at the weekends, already attract too many extra vehicles. These vehicles not only block the road, but also block the pavement, causing problems for both pedestrians and road users.</p> <p>Thirdly, I have major concerns as to the potential anti social behaviour due to the supply of alcohol at these events.</p> <p>I would like to strongly object to the application above and have set out my reasons for refusal, the primary being highways safety and residential amenity. I believe my concerns form consideration.</p> <p>Thank you for taking the time to read my email</p>	

11	Received on	From
	11/01/2023	XX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam,</p> <p>I have just been made aware of the proposed development of the Jim Evison playing fields into a concert venue.</p> <p>Our current parking and infrastructure and road system in Wilmslow does not allow for additional 25,000 people to access the Jim Evison playing fields without causing further gridlock to the A538.</p> <p>We strongly object to this development and welcome more details as to how this proposal could even be considered?</p> <p>We have extensive wild life and walk pathways in the area that will no doubt be disrupted and left littered.</p> <p>We urge you to decline this proposal.</p> <p>Sincerely,</p>	

12	Received on	From
	11/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Good evening</p> <p>I wish to submit an objection to the above licence application. I object to the licence based on the following concerns:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· The location is extremely close to quiet family residential housing and mature woodland (containing lots of wildlife).</li> <li>· Serving alcohol and hosting noisy live events until late at night is not compatible with this location.</li> <li>· Where alcohol is involved, the possibility for inappropriate behaviour is increased.</li> <li>· Jim Evison field backs on to woodland, the Bollin river and private houses. Hosting live events and serving alcohol would: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o disturb local wildlife in the woodland (including a colony of bats situated near Waters)</li> <li>o disturb residents backing on to Jim Evison Fields and residents situated on surrounding roads within Pownall Park (noise pollution and intoxicated people venturing beyond the field perimeter)</li> <li>o people who are perhaps not be in control of their faculties due to alcohol will be in close proximity and have access to steep woodland drops and open water. This factor poses a significant risk to safety and life.</li> </ul> </li> <li>· Insufficient provision of off-road parking for mass gathering events for this location. This will result in significant parking issues and disruption to residents of Altrincham Rd, Kings Rd, and the surrounding Pownall Park area. Altrincham Road is an extremely busy main thoroughfare into Wilmslow. Excess parking will cause traffic and safety issues. There is an access path between Kings Rd and Jim Evison field, and so Kings Rd in particular will become heavily used for parking and this will cause further issues and disruption for residents. Also, directly in front of the access path from Kings Rd to Jim Evison fields there is weakness in the underlying road structure, 2 sinks holes developed last year and a 3rd sink hole has appeared this week. Creating a further abundance of parking and traffic on this road could be detrimental and create further safety issues.</li> <li>· People consuming alcohol will use the access point from Kings Rd to Jim Evison fields which is in close proximity to quiet family housing. Live music events and alcohol consumption would create noise and disturbances for local residents, and there is potential for anti-social behaviour in the local area due to alcohol consumption.</li> <li>· Jim Evison field should be reserved for daytime sporting events that serve the local community. Serving alcohol and hosting intoxicated people will damage the field and create waste and mess. How can it be guaranteed that there won't be any rubbish, sharp items, or human waste left behind on this site after it has hosted events with alcohol? There is a possibility that it won't be safe or clean for the sporting events to take place following music/live events and alcohol distribution. Children play sports on this field so the condition and safe use of the field is extremely important.</li> </ul> <p>Regards</p>	

<b>13</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>I am writing to object to the plans for the Jim Evison project in Wilmslow.</p> <p>I was surprised at this application, and will be shocked and strongly contest if this does get permission based on following:-</p> <p>Public safety</p> <p>I fear the close proximity to woodlands, with such events would create an uncontrollable risk to the public.</p> <p>Public nuisance</p> <p>Excessive Noise in a residential area.</p> <p>Increase Traffic</p> <p>Volume of People too close to residential gardens in the garden</p> <p>Protection of Children</p> <p>As per the public nuisance point, there is a significant risk for Children.</p> <p>Increased traffic, as per public nuisance point.</p> <p>Prevention of crime and disorder</p> <p>Close proximity to housing, and an awareness of this for people not from the area.</p> <p>Attached photo from my garden as evidence of proximity of residential houses</p>	

<b>14</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Apologies- this was send yesterday but bounced back for some reason.</p> <p>Good Morning,</p> <p>I am writing on behalf of local residents who have contacted me in relation to the above licensing application. Whilst the application refers to a two day music festival, it also talks about films being shown; there is nothing to indicate how those two things are compatible. I am concerned that the applicant has not actually fully assessed the site in relation to their ambition to told a two day event with 25,000 attending each day.</p> <p>There is virtually no adjacent parking available and certainly nothing like sufficient for that number of visitors. Even if an arrangement can be made with a local landowner, it seems likely that that parking will be across the road; which is the main access into the town from the motorway. Guests will then have to navigate that busy road onto site. That seems less than satisfactory both from a safety and a congestion perspective. There is nothing in the proposal that indicates this issue has even been thought about, never mind addressed.</p> <p>Currently the site is congested and the road difficult to navigate when all the pitches are in use but residents accept that is a fact on weekend mornings. It is difficult to imagine that involves more than 500 people; this proposal involves many more people than that, one of the days on a weekday and at dusk. None of that feels safe. Should there be any sort of need to evacuate the site, the only way to do that is to have people come out of the front, again onto the main road where you would presumably also be trying to get emergency vehicles into the site. Two sides of the field are privately owned and the land behind is a large steep sided valley in woodland which is not safe as an emergency exit point, even if guests hadn't been drinking.</p> <p>The Jim Evison playing fields are an extremely well used facility for the playing of sport during daylight hours (given there is no floodlighting on site). Given the sensitivity that Cheshire East Council have in relation to sports fields getting</p>	

	<p>damaged, it is hard to imagine how this application is compatible with that concern. Sport is regularly cancelled on there because the pitches are too wet to be playable; how can that be reconciled with the significant infrastructure that will need to be driven onto site and erected? How will CEC rectify the playing surfaces not much more than a month before the start of the new season?</p> <p>In addition, how will the grass be safeguarded to ensure there is nothing left that can damage players? Will it, for instance, be a glass-free event? The application does not say that.</p> <p>I am not aware that there has ever been an event with amplified music on the Jim Evison playing field (with or without 25,000 people a day attending) and that is a very different proposition to the sports events that happen there now. This will have a significant effect on the amenity of local residents, who live on three of the 4 sides of the site. Whilst the event is scheduled from 4.30-10.30 each day, there will be soundchecks from 10am on both the Friday and Saturday. That is significantly different from occasional unamplified shouting on a sports pitch and very rare use of a speaker making announcements at sports festivals.</p> <p>Whilst understanding that the event may bring people into the town, given its location on the edge of the town adjacent to the motorways and the likely congestion caused by the event on that road into Wilmslow, it seems much more likely that people will head back towards the motorway to eat or stay locally (if they aren't heading straight home).</p> <p>I would urge the committee to reject the application on the grounds of highways and site safety, amenity of the ground for that number of people and the effect on local residents.</p> <p>As a secondary point, I am concerned that this consultation has been conducted over the festive period and that at least one of the notices on the field has been removed. A significant number of residents have told me that they aren't aware of the application.</p> <p>Kind Regards</p>
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15	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Hello</p> <p>As a resident on XXXXXXXXXXXX I am writing to express my concern about the proposed development on the Jim Evison playing fields.</p> <p>The space is currently enjoyed by the local community - childrens games, dog walkers, runners all enjoying the green space. Allowing live music events for up to 25,000 people or even 1,000 people would be at huge detriment to the local area, residents, wildlife for a number of reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Unclear as to how people would arrive and leave the site, but already with approx 200 people playing football at weekends on the site the main road is congested with inadequate parking facility, dangerous pavement parking and people parking on Kings Road to cut through. There is inadequate facility on what is already a very busy road.</li> <li>- Noise affecting residents and wildlife</li> <li>- Loss of accessible green space for local residents</li> </ul> <p>I can't fathom how such an application could even be considered so close to a residential area and hope the committee will consider my concerns.</p>	

## Appendix 5

16	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>I am writing to object to the planning application made by SJM to build a 25000 capacity music arena on the Jim Evison pitches in Wilmslow. This is a ridiculous proposal for the following reasons:</p> <p>1) there is not the infrastructure/parking/road network to support this site. Wilmslow gets gridlocked once a year for the Half marathon at which c5000 people attend, this is 5x that amount. This would cause absolute chaos and could not work.</p> <p>2) there is not the commercial demand for this site, there is already a 21000 capacity arena 12 miles away in central Manchester, there doesn't need to be another one. I can't think of anywhere else in the UK that has two &gt;20k seater non-sporting venues within such a small radius.</p> <p>3) I manage a local football team that plays on those playing fields and this includes my son. Playing fields are already in short supply and therefore the team removal of this community asset risks damaging the health and well being of our children.</p> <p>In short, this is a preposterous application, lacking any merit and should be most rigorously rejected.</p> <p>Kind regards</p>	

17	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Sirs</p> <p>I note from social media that there is a proposal for a conversion of this site to an events venue for c 25,000 people.</p> <p>This seems a ludicrous idea given the road congestion on the A538 is already not supportive of that level of traffic.</p> <p>Furthermore, the establish public rights of way would be adversely affected.</p> <p>I believe that both from a common sense perspective let alone the environmental damage such a venue would cause to the local area with Noise, pollution disruption to local flora and fauna would make this non-viable in the current climate.</p> <p>Kind regards</p>	

18	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sirs</p> <p>As a resident of XXXXXXXXXXXX, I wish to register my objection to the above licence application.</p> <p>The Jim Evison playing fields is a much valued and frequently used local amenity. It is used every weekend by local sports teams and during the week by local people for walking and recreation.</p> <p>It is situated on a road which is already very busy as a main route to the motorway and the airport.</p> <p>I consider that the activities proposed, should the licence be granted, would be constitute a public nuisance and would be detrimental to the area. My main areas of concern are;</p> <p>The influx of people attending the events would cause an increased risk of litter and vandalism. In particular there would be a risk of alcohol-fuelled anti-social and disruptive behaviour when people are leaving the events late at night.</p> <p>The activities could cause an unmanageable increase in road traffic leading to increased air pollution and road safety concerns. This would occur not just when the events are taking place but presumably for days before and after when facilities are being set up and dismantled.</p>	

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	<p>There are inadequate parking facilities at the site, so during the events there would inevitably be overspill parking on Kings Rd and the Pownall Park area in general. This would cause congestion, nuisance to residents and safety issues. Pownall Park is a family area with a large number of children. An increase in road traffic would increase the risk of accidents to those children.</p> <p>It would cause excessive noise in a quiet suburban residential area, particularly at night, taking away residents' entitlements to peaceful enjoyment of their homes and surroundings. It would interfere with the local sports groups' ability to hold sporting fixtures and rob local people of a much loved local amenity. As many of the sports fixtures involve children, this would have a detrimental affect on the health and well-being of those children.</p> <p>In summary, I do not consider that the licensing application satisfies the licensing objectives of Cheshire East Borough Council and, as it stands , I object to the premises licence application in its entirety.</p>
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19	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Proposals for this site seem worrying.</p> <p>A huge concert?</p> <p>Fencing? Stands?</p> <p>Have only just heard of these plans and the cut off day for replies is today!</p> <p>Please ensure that all these plans are properly investigated before permission is granted.</p> <p>Sincerely</p>	

20	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Hi,</p> <p>I would like to formally object to the proposed development on Jim Evison fields.</p> <p>This development would take away vital playing space and safety for local children, and would create public nuisance in the form of noise pollution to nearby residents.</p> <p>Thank you</p>	

21	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Licensing team</p> <p>I have been made aware of the following application. I would like to raise an objection to this. There are 3 clear reasons for this:</p> <p>1) This is one of the very few sports facilities that has clear, drawn out pitches and adequate provision for local teams, both kids and adults. Damage to grounds would mean that this may not recover. Should a concert be put on even in the Summer, if the weather is bad, this may impact game play. We are experiencing many cancellations at the moment due to poor weather, so the ground is already being affected.</p> <p>2) There are two other venue locations already in Wilmslow that are not used as kids sports venues. These could provide alternate solutions.</p> <p>a. The Carrs is a big, beautiful park in Wilmslow that has had events on it in the past, such as outdoor cinemas etc. The impact of this has not been felt on kids facilities and the set-up there does not disturb neighbours due to the size and scale of the park.</p>	



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	<p>b. The Carnival fields has hosted Halloween and Fairground events in the past. This could serve as a smaller option. The impact on traffic and on neighbours. This is REALLY close to Pownall Park, which will impact neighbours there. There is also a woeful amount of parking, so if this is to be used a concert venue there would likely be a lot of incoming traffic from wider afield, which would create huge congestion along Altrincham road, an already badly congested part of town</p>
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22	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear all</p> <p>I am writing in respect of the above application for licensed premises.</p> <p>I have a number of concerns about the planning application, that I believe need to be taken into consideration when reviewing.</p> <p>Permanent or temporary licensing</p> <p>There is no indication on the overview if this is for a permanent licence or a one-off event. Please could you clarify?</p> <p>It is highly relevant in terms of the local community understanding what impact that this application would have on the surrounding area.</p> <p>Infrastructure</p> <p>There is no existing infrastructure on the site apart from the toilet block for the playing fields,</p> <p>what is the proposal for the premises to support this license application? Is this permanent or temporary?</p> <p>Access</p> <p>Jim Evison fields sit next to the main access road into Wilmslow from the M56 and Manchester Airport. Construction, events, and allowance for parking would cause huge disruption to the local community and impact traffic as there isn't an alternative route which would mean huge traffic jams in both directions.</p> <p>Use of the fields for community sport</p> <p>The fields are currently used for community sports by both the local football and rugby clubs.</p> <p>If this is a permanent application what will happen to the playing field?</p> <p>If this is a temporary application what provisions are being made to return the playing fields to a suitable condition for the teams to be able to play on them?</p> <p>Please could you respond, addressing my concerns, or provide more information?</p>	

23	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Sirs,</p> <p>With reference to an application by SLM Ltd., Stockport for a Premises Licence at the above address for hosting a public concert/business event during the coming summer.</p> <p>The proposed event is grossly oversized/ambitious and fundamentally unsafe. It will generate unacceptable levels of noise, disruption, traffic and pedestrian congestion on a major road(s) - the A538/Altrincham Road and environs - and to the surrounding predominately residential area.</p> <p>For the above reasons I strongly object to the application</p>	

<b>24</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>To: Cheshire East Licensing  Re: Application for a Premises Licence, Jim Evison Playing Fields, Altrincham Road, Wilmslow</p> <p>Wilmslow Town Council expresses strong concerns regarding the above Licence application with reference to Public Safety and the Prevention of Public Nuisance.</p> <p>Public Safety  The Town Council is concerned that the lack of official visitor parking is likely to lead to onstreet parking and has concerns regarding the movement of vehicles entering and exiting the site to and from this major highway.</p> <p>The Prevention of Public Nuisance  The site is located on the major access route into Wilmslow and a large event would likely cause gridlock for traffic moving within Wilmslow and passing through Wilmslow. The Town Council would request to be consulted on any individual events planned within this licence application.</p>	

<b>25</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam</p> <p>I wish to register my objection to the proposed licensing to SJM Ltd of the Jim Evison Playing fields in Wilmslow on grounds of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Increased traffic congestion, vehicle exhaust pollution and problem parking</li> <li>2. Prevention of local residents to retain the peaceful enjoyment of their homes</li> <li>3. Significantly increased potential for damage to local homes and vehicles</li> <li>4. Increased risk of accidents</li> </ol> <p>1. Jim Evison field is located on the already busy main road leading from Wimslow to the motorway M56. Parking is not allowed on the road and there is only an extremely small parking area on the Jim Evison plot. XXXXXXXXXXXXX is the first road after the Jim Evison plot and will inevitably get used for parking as well as a walking route back to the town centre. This already happens when there is a football match during day time on the fields but that is to accommodate around 100 people. The license could open the fields to thousands or even tens of thousands of people for concerts etc and so the congestion and pollution on Kings Road and surrounding Pownall Park residential area would be horrendous. Even if buses are arranged for dropping off attendees to the fields many will opt to park on Kings Road and Pownall Park estate in general. There is also a concern that large lorries delivering staging and scaffolding etc to the fields would also park either on Kings Road or at the Rugby Club at the end of Kings Road. Heavy vehicles like coaches and delivery vehicles to the Rugby Club have already caused disruption on a few occasions and Kings Road which is designated "10T for Access Only" is already suffering from sink holes and subsidence. Pownall Park is a quiet residential area not suited to a large concert venue.</p> <p>2. The Jim Evison fields back onto Pownall Park residential area. The noise from concerts and rowdy behaviour as people arrive and leave late at night will completely prevent residents right to peaceful enjoyment of their homes. Assuming alcohol is permitted at the events, late night drunken revellers will be a constant concern for the residents and there is unlikely to be sufficient</p>	

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	<p>policing to control crowds outside the Jim Evison plot.</p> <p>3. The increased risk to residents' homes, cars and gardens will increase significantly if thousands of people leave the fields late at night singing and shouting in a drunk state through Pownall Park and especially on Kings Road. I emphasise again this is a quiet residential area in very close proximity to the fields which have always been intended for local football and rugby and amateur sporting events for local teams.</p> <p>4. With increased traffic, bad parking and high spirited and drunk people late at night comes a significant potential for both road traffic accidents and personal accidents eg falls, glass bottles and cans hitting people etc. I do not consider that the application meets the requirements of Cheshire East's licensing objectives and, as it stands, I object to the premises licensing application in its entirety</p>
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26	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>We thoroughly reject the above application on the following grounds- This is a quiet family neighbourhood and the noise will be detrimental to all nearby housing. The traffic and parking as well as the queues to access the Playing fields will be dangerous. People already park on the side of the road making it very dangerous to drivers and pedestrians.</p> <p>The granting of an alcohol license will cause unruly behaviour as well as undesirables to a quiet neighbourhood. Load loutish behaviour and the potential for drug abuse will ensue. There will be a huge problem to the environment with litter and waste being left behind. The roads leading to and from the Playing fields will not cope with additional traffic and the consequences will cause congestion to the whole of Wilmslow.</p> <p>A similar application was made at Wilmslow Rugby Club and rightly rejected. I trust common sense will prevail and the application be rejected.</p> <p>Regards</p>	

27	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>To whom it may concern</p> <p>I strongly oppose to SJM limited's application to hold a license at Jim Evison's playing fields. I live at XXXXXXXXXX and work all week and don't want to be kept awake at weekends worrying about drunks outside my house.</p> <p>Also massive issue regarding parking.</p> <p>Also didn't buy a million pound house in Wilmslow to have these issues.</p> <p>Kind regards</p>	

28	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>We wish to register our objection to this application, notice of which we spotted earlier today pinned to fencing adjacent to the Jim Evison Playing Field close to the A538. No notices, as far as we are aware, have been displayed on residential roads adjacent to the site. As a consequence there is little or no knowledge of this application in our locality. We also consider that the period for registering objections spanning as it does the Christmas/New Year holidays to be totally inadequate.</p> <p>During the thirty years we have lived in property XXXXXXXXXX it has only been used for sport related activities and therefore this application would be a fundamental and</p>	

	unwelcome change of use. The activities envisioned would inevitably create noise and other inconveniences ( additional traffic and parking) to local residents. Please reject this application or at the very least extend the consultation period

29	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>As it stands I object to the premises licence application in its entirety</p> <p><b>Prevention of crime and disorder</b></p> <p>I have serious concerns regarding crime and disorder to the local area should this application be approved, there is a risk to damage to houses and gardens nearby to the site during the outdoor events. There would be an increased risk of litter and damage to cars, houses and gardens in Pownall Park generally. Anti-social and disruptive behaviour fuelled by alcohol as people leave events late at night is not an acceptable for the residents of this quiet residential area.</p> <p><b>Public safety</b></p> <p>Should this licence be approved, there is an increase to the public safety of local residents, There is the risk of accidents due to the large number of vehicles along Altrincham Road and in the Pownall Park area , potential damage to the already damaged Road surfaces.Increased air pollution from the high traffic levels before and after the events. Pownall park is a very quiet residential estate with mostly maximum 20 mile per hour speed limit and speed bumps.</p> <p><b>Prevention of Public Nuisance</b></p> <p>This licence application if successful would create excessive noise for local residents, from Live music especially late at night from outdoor events. High intensity outdoor lighting causing light pollution and nuisance for local residents and nearby wildlife that are found on this field (bats, rabbits, birds foxes etc) Significant increased traffic and parking issues in residential roads. At present this is an extremely quiet area with only a handful of resident's cars travelling up / down the road in the evening, particularly at the weekends.</p> <p>The Wilmslow Marathon, which is once a year and has approximately 4,000 extra people to the area causes significant disruption to the area. However, this is a once a year Sunday morning event for charity which has been in place for many many years. What is proposed is far larger than this and more regularly than a once a year Sunday morning charity event. This field is used regularly for childrens sports practise, if the field is used for the events as applied fo,r this field will be damaged and full of litter and unsuitable for Sunday morning sports after a Saturday night event.</p> <p>East Cheshire Council move travellers on after only a few days and know how much disruption a dozen or so travellers can cause yet you are going to allow thousands and thousands of people on a sports field in a residential area playing music and drinking alcohol late on a Saturday Night</p> <p><b>Protection of Children from Harm</b></p> <p>Children from the local area need the protection from harm, there is the risk of accidents from the increase in traffic. There is the increase "stranger danger" to children from the influx of people from outside the area and the potential for inappropriate entertainment e.g. performance of dance in a residential area.</p> <p>There is a risk to children on a Sunday morning playing Sports the morning after a late night event due to any rubbish that may have been left</p> <p>Any outdoor events would need large lorries to deliver / collect marquees, lighting and sound systems, stages, scaffolding, food and drink. There would also inevitably be extra traffic from people attending the events. After the events, typically very late at night, there will be a lot of people, many under the influence of alcohol and where alcohol is involved, the possibility for inappropriate behaviour is increased.leaving the site;</p>	

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	As a resident of XXXXXXXXXXXX I strongly object to the Licence Application made for the Jim Evison Playing Fields Regards

30	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Hi</p> <p>Today I have been made aware of a potential premises license application for a huge venue on Jim Evison playing fields despite there being no information on the Cheshire East website</p> <p>As a local resident, I find it absurd this is even considered on so many levels. Firstly, Wilmslow (particularly that area) struggles with parking as it is during children’s sporting games at the weekend and the infrastructure simply couldn’t handle it.</p> <p>Secondly, this is one of very few areas in the locality for children to play sport - where would this be moved to if this was a feasible idea?</p> <p>I find the whole proposal ludicrous and surely cannot go ahead? Please let me know</p> <p>Thank you</p> <p>Regards</p>	

31	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	As residents near this field we feel very strongly that there is not sufficient road links to support 25,000 people to attend a concert on this field. Please do not grant this license. Altrincham Road has huge traffic issues already, there are numerous near misses due to double parked cars by people who want to avoid paying for car parking in Wilmslow. Should this concert license be granted it would be a very poor decision.	

32	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear sirs</p> <p>I would like to register an objection to this application which I understand has a deadline of tonight to submit objections.</p> <p>The suggested capacity is listed as 25,000 spectators and the area road network cannot possibly cope with that volume of traffic and the area is residential. Plus inevitable damage to the field and habitats in the area through heavy footfall / traffic.</p> <p>Regards</p>	

<b>33</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam,</p> <p>Re - Altrincham Road - Licensing Application For a Premises Licence.</p> <p>We would like to register OUR FIRM OPPOSITION for this application.</p> <p>We are residents of XXXXXXXX, which is a side road off Altrincham Road, and our garden backs on to Jim Evison Fields, which is the site for this proposed application.</p> <p>Our reasons for the opposition are:</p> <p>1. Why were we not informed of such a planning application that will directly affect our lives? I have been told that this has been advertised in local</p>	

	<p>newspapers but we do not buy or have access to these newspapers. Surely, we should have been informed by post or e-mail rather than rely on 'word of mouth' from some well informed neighbours!!!!</p> <p>2. This site is not suitable for up to 25,000 people attending for Concerts, Festivals etc.</p> <p>3. Parking - no offsite parking available. Presently, on a Saturday and Sunday for football and rugby games, Altrincham Road is littered with cars and the road is dangerous. Local side roads will also be dumping grounds for parking. This will have added danger to local families and children.</p> <p>4. Rubbish and litter - although there will be clean ups after the events, the local roads, houses and woods will see excess litter.</p> <p>5. Access - there is only one road in and one road out of the site. This road is narrow and unsuitable for heavy numbers of vehicles.</p> <p>6. Noise - inevitable. This is a quiet neighbourhood.</p> <p>I note that The Jim Evison Fields are regularly flooded and unplayable during the winter months and we would support the long term development of these Fields with appropriate drainage and general maintenance etc., but this development is not in keeping with the rest of the local area and puts local residents at danger.</p> <p>Best wishes</p>
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34	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sirs</p> <p>I would like to make a representation regarding the premises licences application for:</p> <p>The Jim Evison Playing fields</p> <p>Wilmslow.</p> <p>SK9 4LY</p> <p>I object to the proposed licence on the following grounds:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. there will be significant impact on residential amenity in the surrounding areas from the absence of parking. The site cannot even accommodate weekend amateur football games without cars parked dangerously on the main road, and this is for far fewer numbers of people.</li> <li>2. there is no public transport that serves the site. At a time of climate emergency, how can a site be marketed for large scale events that has NO public transport option?</li> <li>3. there will be significant impact on residential amenity in the surrounding areas from the noise and disturbance that will be caused, not only by the events themselves, but also by people travelling to and from the event.</li> <li>4. I am also concerned that the application is not listed on your website, despite speaking to the licencing team today, who assured me it was a glitch, and it would be available shortly. That was at 3.20pm this afternoon. It is still not available at 8pm. I would therefore challenge the application's validity, and ask that the consultation period be extended.</li> </ol> <p>And finally a general point - I question the inaccessibility of having to travel, in person, to Crewe, to view any details of the application. Planning applications have been available to view online for many years now, and I am perplexed and frustrated as to why major licence applications are not available to view online. At the very least, information should be available in a local Council office/building, such as Wilmslow library.</p> <p>I look forward to a response on the last point</p>	

<b>35</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir, Madam</p> <p>In reference to the application from SJM Limited for a premise alcohol license can you please provide more information relating for what purpose?</p> <p>I am shocked that this would even be a consideration for the council. Aside from an event causing significant damage to the playing fields area, the noise pollution and potential impact on surrounding wildlife this is not a venue to host anything other than amateur sport games. Not a green space for crowds to congregate and drink, not least we don't have the infrastructure to support.</p> <p>For an area like Wilmslow we are happy for ad-hoc parish events and fairs but a 25,000 concert is suited to a city centre or similar. SJM has contracts with many venues of this size therefore we do not accept their greed to embark on the precious environment we have within our community.</p> <p>Lastly, having recently spent significant money on improving the playing fields I would expect this investment is wasted due to the impact an event would have.</p> <p>I think we all as residents would appreciate a public consultation to discuss or alternatively involve local media to raise the awareness.</p> <p>Kind regards</p>	

<b>36</b>	<b>Received on</b>	<b>From</b>
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>Dear Sir/Madam,</p> <p>I wish to register an objection against the premises licence application for Jim Evison Playing Fields, Wilmslow, SK9 4LY.</p> <p>The application is unclear about whether this is for once a year, every weekend? The licensing application does not seem to have been publicised much, when it would affect so much of the towns population.</p> <p>My objection is on the grounds of the following:</p> <p>Public safety</p> <p>The road next to the site is the main through route into wilmslow. It's very busy and not particularly wide. A public gathering of this scale associated with this licence application would cause significant congestion and the safe passage of visitors would be a major cause for concern. The pavement is only one one side of the road and it is narrow.</p> <p>There are also 2 schools in close proximity which I would also have concern for the pupils getting home safe with so much additional traffic. There also appears to be parking provision for an event of 25000 spectators. With such limited detail about the licence requirements and event schedule it's very concerning for public safety.</p> <p>Public nuisance</p> <p>Live music at this venue would cause significant nuisance to local residents and wildlife. The site is very close to Lindow common - SSSI and LNR.</p> <p>The site is very close to a densely populated residential area therefore causing noise pollution and disturbance to many of Wilmslows residents.</p> <p>In addition to the noise generated after the licensing ends when 25000 festival goers make their way to the train station or into wilmslow town centre to continue their night out.</p> <p>Protection of Children</p> <p>As previously mentioned the proximity to 2 schools is cause for concern as well as the additional traffic generated by 25000.</p> <p>The licence is requested to commence 4pm on Fridays when schools are still open for after school clubs. Traveling home from school next to an event of this scale gives cause for</p>	

	<p>concern for children's safety.</p> <p>Prevention of crime and disorder</p> <p>Such a large gathering with alcohol on sale is likely to bring with it and increase in crime and disorder. Particularly when so close to an affluent residential area.</p> <p>There has already been an increase in burglary in the area. Events such as this are likely to see it increase further.</p> <p>There are many other fields in Cheshire East that are not adjacent to residential areas that would be better suited for this type of licensing for an event of this size.</p> <p>Yours faithfully</p>
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37	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>To whom it may concern,</p> <p>I have been made aware (albeit recently) of a premises licence application for the Jim Evison playing fields. As a resident of XXXXXXXXXX I whole heartedly object to the application for the following reasons:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Public Safety - the playing fields are not set up to hold or host an event that will expect attendance from 2500 people. The fields are prone to flooding and there is located on a busy main road making it unsafe for event goers to arrive or leave the venue safely. There is currently no security around the perimeter of the playing fields. If this is fenced off as proposed to help public safety it is at the detriment of the local residents who access and use the fields from all sides. If it's not fenced off then the attendees will be at risk from exiting the fields and falling down the considerable drop to Piggenshaw Brook - the tributary river that runs to the Bollin.</li> <li>2. Public nuisance - this is a quiet residential neighbourhood that is not set up nor expecting to play host to 2500 event attendees. There are limited parking facilities at Jim Evison which will drive attendees to park in the surrounding residential areas as well as on the Altrincham Road. This road sees speeding traffic (coming from the motorway) that doesn't slow down until nearer to town as this would be exacerbated with an event of this size. Every year during the half marathon that starts on Kings Road traffic chaos ensues with cars abandoned and parked in unsuitable areas so we are already aware of the problems and issues that it will cause.</li> <li>3. Protection of children - Jim Evison is located on the edge of Pownall Park - a safe residential area of Wilmslow where the local children are given a sense of freedom with parents safe in the knowledge that the children are relatively safe. 2500 people attending an event will need to move through this residential area to access any kind of public transport to get to and from the venue. In addition, the fields are used by kids and their families for football and rugby fixtures through out the year. It's also used by families on a casual basis. None of these will be possible if the proposal goes ahead.</li> <li>4. Prevention of crime and disorder - as with any event of this size located in a venue that was not built or designed to contain this number of people, a certain amount of disorder is guaranteed. Given its close proximity to a residential area and attendees parking will likely result in both crime and disorder (however petty) occurring.</li> </ol> <p>I would also like to point out that the application has not been made publicly available and the notice of application has been placed in a very inconspicuous place. As many local residence access the playing fields from one of the wooded sides, we were not made aware of the application until really late in the process.</p> <p>I would be grateful if you can acknowledge my email and let me know if the planning application is successful</p>	

38	Received on	From
	12/01/2023	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
	<p>To all concerned,</p> <p>I write to express deep concerns over the plans I have only just seen this evening for the music venue on the beautiful Jim Evison fields.</p>	



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	<p>My kids love playing here, I am a XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX. They won't be able to play there anymore if this goes ahead looking at the sheer scale of the development.</p> <p>The noise is going to be a nuisance for all the neighbours that live close by.</p> <p>It will attract a lot of traffic to the area and sadly the roads are not suitable for extensive parking. The road surfaces are pot holed and in very poor condition in places.</p> <p>This is a recreation ground used by football clubs, rugby clubs, dog walkers, runners, walkers, teenagers, families all old and young. Please do not throw it away on our behalf for a little bit more council revenue.</p> <p>Kind regards</p>
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	<p>Dear Cheshire East Council</p> <p>I am writing to you to express concern and (without access to full information in a timely manner) objection to the application for premises licence for Jim Evison playing fields by SJM Limited.</p> <p>I only learnt of the application late this afternoon. I am a life long Wilmslow resident who uses the Altrincham Road past Jim Evison multiple times on a daily basis and has family members in the near vicinity who we regularly visit. I am very concerned, my initial feedback is:</p> <p>1) The timing of the application over the the festive period and the tight timeframe deadline of 12th January, plus what appears to be the lack of wider publicity regarding the application given said tight deadline.</p> <p>2) Public safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the road in front of Jim Evison is a busy and relatively narrow single carriageway. Parked cars and high volume of traffic and pedestrians would be a serious safety issue.</li> </ul> <p>3) Public nuisance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the A538 is a key route in and out of Wilmslow which would be impacted significantly during events to the detriment of all Wilmslow residents</li> <li>- the disruption and nuisance for more local residents of Pownall Park and beyond would be significant, including but not limited to the noise, the high volume of parked cars and the foot traffic. Partially intoxicated and drunk concert goers would walk back into Wilmslow via numerous routes along and off Altrincham Road and create a public nuisance.</li> </ul> <p>These are my initial concerns and objections and I would appreciate further details being provided on the planning portal with a fair timeframe for review.</p> <p>Yours Faithfully</p>	

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	<p>Hi</p> <p>I am writing to you with regards to the application for a premises license at Altrincham Road's Jim Evison Playing Fields, Wilmslow including the provision of live music and the supply of Alcohol.</p> <p>I wish to object to this application for a couple of reasons as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· This is a residential area backing onto the park and surrounding roads all in close proximity to Jim Evison playing fields. The noise carry's due to the open space and would therefore impact the whole of Pownall Park.</li> <li>· There is insufficient parking to cater for such an event in the surrounding area</li> <li>· This would cause traffic problems on Altrincham Road and the surrounding area. This is a major road in/out of Wilmslow and when there are issues on this</li> </ul>	

	<p>road it causes a knock on effect to other key routes into Wilmslow (ie via Styal)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>· Wilmslow 10k races which operate in the same area limit the attendees to 5,000. This is due to parking and other limitations with the area. This event is proposing 25,000 people.</li><li>· A recent application for a similar license at Wilmslow Rugby club only a short distance from Jim Evison Playing field was recently rejected. This location had the same concerns as Jim Evison so this application should also be rejected.</li></ul> <p>Many thanks</p>