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Sent: 14 May 2021 22:24
To: LICENSING (Cheshire East)
Subject: Wilmslow Rugby Club Licence Application - Objection

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing in relation to the application for a whole site premises licence by Wilmslow Rugby Club on Kings Road, Wilmslow.

As it stands I object to the premises licence application in its entirety.

The reasons for me objecting are as follows:

- There would be a significant increase in risk of damage to houses, front gardens and cars on Kings Road, Broad Walk, Carrwood Road and Gorsey Road in the Pownall Park area. This would be caused by the hundreds, and on occasions, thousands, of people travelling to and from Wilmslow Rugby Club when events are held.
- An increase in anti-social and disruptive behaviour would result, most likely fuelled by alcohol. The Pownall Park area of Wilmslow is a family orientated neighbourhood.
- Damage to the roads and houses on Kings Road would result from the heavy goods vehicles servicing the events. Kings Road is a cul de sac and cannot accommodate such vehicles and the general increase in traffic.
- Public Health Issue - Air pollution would increase. Air quality would decrease, due to the significant increase in traffic.
- Road traffic accident risk on Kings Road would increase.
- Public Nuisance Issue - Anti social behaviour affecting residents on Kings Road, Broad Walk and Carrwood Road caused by the noise and potentially, lights, from the outdoor events held - and continuing late into the night and on occasions, into the early hours of the morning.
- Wilmslow Rugby Club doesn't have the capacity to accommodate vehicle parking for events for 5000 people. This will force on-street parking in neighbouring roads and congestion. This will also cause a public safety concern when crossing the road. Such events are also likely attract individuals from outside of the area who are likely to have less respect for the local environment. Such people who can't park within the perimeter of Wilmslow Rugby Club are more likely to park on the grass verges of the surrounding roads.
- A potential decrease in house values in the Pownall Park area due to anti-social behaviour and increase in road traffic.
- Environmental impact - the potentially negative impact on wildlife in the neighbouring River Bollin Valley area from noise and litter caused by people attending the outdoor events.

- Visitors to the Carrs Park will be impacted as people attending events at Wilmslow Rugby Club will likely park at the public Twinnies Bridge car park and take up the limited car park spaces for people wanting to enjoy the Carrs Park in the evenings.

I would be grateful if you could let me know the outcome of this objection.

Yours faithfully,

