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28 th April 2024	Objector 3

To whom it may concern,

I'm writing with regards to Bollington Brewery Co Ltd's application for a licence at Brook Mill, Parker street.

I write to object to the licence.

I have lived at this address (own the property) for 17 years and it has always been a quiet house and peaceful area for my children and I to live.

I am very concerned about a tap room with a licence to alcohol to open until 11pm (even on week nights) next door to our house.

I have a number of concerns.

They are as follows.

1. Noise and disturbance- I feel the tap room and outdoor area which is only a number of metres from my two childrens bedroom windows will be a noise and disturbance. With a posssible chance of people smoking, so smoke drifiting when their bedroom windows are open in the summer. Using louder voices when drinking. My son has ADHD and he has not dealt with the building noise well at all. The licence may add to his acts of anger and impulsivity. He cannot cope with noise and his bedroom is his calm place. The tap room licence will disturb this peace for him. When I told him that the Brewery were applying for a licence to sell alcohol he said to me that he is worrried about drunk people getting lost and coming in to our garden as our garden gate backs into the Brewerys yard. This is a fair point and something I hadn't even thought of.

I am also concerned about the noise people will make when returning to their vehicles on or after 11pm when the tap room closes. Customers chatting outside our house (front and back), etc could keep my children and I awake. We go to bed early as I am a teacher and my children both have school (up at 6am). My son has his GCSE's next year so its a very important time for him academically. I feel that a tap room selling alcohol opening next door to our house would disturb my childrens chance to focus and get the right number of hours sleep. It would be a massive disturbance.

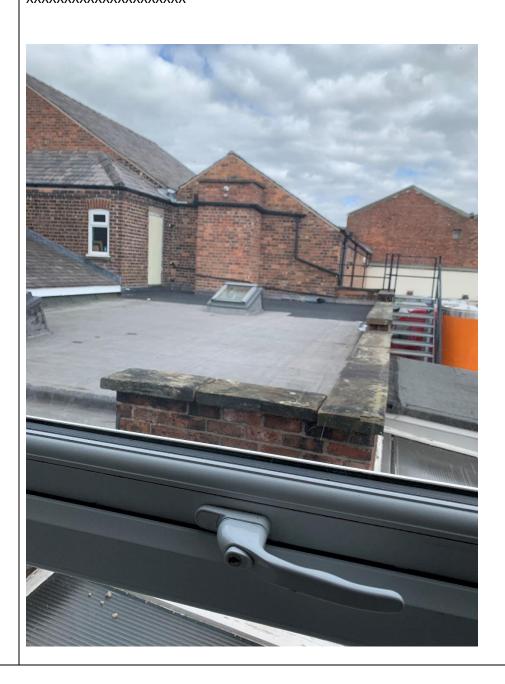
2. Traffic generation/adequacy of parking/highway safety issues- Customers coming to the mill to drink will bring traffic and possibly leave their cars parked on our small street or even in front of my house, overnight or even longer if they do not return the next day. This is due to drinking and not being able to drive home. The streets are narrow (cobbled) and recently due to people parking their cars on both sides an ambulance couldn't get through for an emergency. It was simply awful to see. If the brewery was to get a licence this would only add to the problem. More custom for drink, more drivers who need to park. We as residents will be left with little or no space to park.

Appendix 3

We do not wish Bollington Brewery to obtain a licence, we are objecting to their application.

Kind regards

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