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25th July 2017

The Licensing Department
Kettering Borough Council
Bowling Green Road
Kettering
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NN15 7QX

REF: Wicksteed Park Ltd - Premises Licence Variation under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003

Dear Sir/Madam

I write to place an objection to the above application. I have lived at the above address for 22 years, which overlooks the park. During this time I have seen various events which cause a high level of noise. Whilst I wish to support the local park I do not feel that increasing the length of time that alcohol is sold and music is played will improve the park.

The hedge in front of our house belonging to Wicksteed Park is vandalised in several places where people go through into the park or exit the park.

My concerns would be the policing of alcohol and the noise level in a large area where young families come and play, dogs are walked daily, the wildlife surrounding the park for example the swans, birds, pony's etc. I do not believe that there is a need for increasing the hours that alcohol is sold, and music is played.

The park was left in trust to the people of Kettering to enjoy the gardens, walks and wildlife, for the children to play and have fun, not for adults to drink alcohol and play loud music.

Yours faithfully

Sue Blount