

Representations - Supporting

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To whom it may concern,

I would like to add my support to organising team of the "Campo Sancho" Festival.

As a small local community interested company the annual income forms a vital part of my summer business and not only the team that work with me at the festival but also a much wider team behind the scenes.

As a parent my child's and that of children on site is of the uttermost importance, the strong professional and presence the friendly security team are a great comfort.

As a local resident (within 2miles almost direct line of site) I am attuned to noise levels which have not been intrusive.

(Unlike The concerts at Knebworth and other local festivals if happy to mention if required)

Please do not hesitate to contact me via details below, to discuss any facts further.

Best wishes

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Church Farm Ardeley (CIC)

Tel:- XXXX

From: **XXXX**
Sent: 11 May 2023 16:12
To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection
Subject: [External] Campo Sancho

This festival is totally family friendly accessible to all with tickets. It's artistically clever, creative and above all else good harmless fun. Local food suppliers and very well organised.

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From: **XXXX**
Sent: 11 May 2023 21:00
To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection
Cc: **XXXX**
Subject: [External] Walkern Hall Campo Sancho license application

To whom it may concern

I wrote earlier on the above subject but failed to mention I was a resident and am completely content with this taking place.

I cannot emphasise enough how much pleasure this gives to so many people and in such a safe and secure place environment.... Security is tight. It is so well organised and carried out with consideration for the environment as well... great care is shown all round for this family festival.

Kind regards
XXXX Resident

From: XXXX

Sent: 11 May 2023 22:37

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection <Community.Protection@eastherts.gov.uk>

Subject: [External] Support of application for Campo Sancho Festival

Good evening,

I am writing this email in support of the Campo Sancho Festival. It is a great festival that spans a beautiful space, ensuring safety, and makes for a peaceful and entertaining family-friendly event.

I have attended the festival for three years in a row with friends and family. It appears to be helpful for the local community economically, very well-organised, and I am not aware of any issues previously associated with the event. I highly support Campo and am looking forward to many more years of this wonderful festival.

Kind regards,

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From: XXXX >

Sent: 11 May 2023 22:20

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection

Subject: [External] Support of application for Campo Sancho Festival

Hello

I have been attending Campo Sancho for a few years and have always have a very positive experience.

It's a great asset to the local community bringing in local suppliers to serve the festival as well a great event to have on our doorstep.

Myself and my family are big fans of the festival and always look forward to it and spending a weekend with great people in a gorgeous location.

Many thanks,

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From: XXXX

Sent: 11 May 2023 22:03

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection

Subject: [External] Support of application for Campo Sancho Festival

Hello,

Myself and my friends love attending Campo Sancho every year, it's a lovely family festival with a great atmosphere and superb staff!

We've always felt very well looked after and safe within the space, all the staff on site from the security to bar staff help make the festival what it is.

We all look forward to this every year and are excited to attend many more!

Many thanks,

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From: HERTFIELDS - The Hertfordshire Events Co. **XXXX** >

Sent: 11 May 2023 21:53

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection

Subject: [External] In support of Campo Sancho Festival

To Whom it May Concern,

I operate a couple of local pubs and run the bar at the Campo Sancho Festival at Walkern Hall.

I believe the Council and wider SAG group know this to be a safe, well organised and well run local festival. We are proud of the amount of attendees who remark just how different this event is from other festivals - that it has a very friendly, relaxed, clean and safe atmosphere. It really is a special gem amidst a sea of other generic, more commercial festivals.

This type of event is vital for the many small local businesses who are involved in it - everything from sound production to catering. It is evident how it also brings trade to the local area who visit nearby pubs, shops and other businesses before, during and after the event.

We all welcome your support in granting the licence to keep this special event alive.

Kind regards,

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HERTFIELDS

From: **XXXX** >
Sent: 11 May 2023 21:46
To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection
Subject: [External] Campo Sancho (Walkern)

Dear Sir / Madam,

It has been brought to my attention that a licensing application has been made for the hosting of the 'Campo Sancho' music festival in the village of Walkern, Hertfordshire next year (2024).

I would just like to offer my support of this event. I am in my late 40's and do not generally attend music festivals due to distance normally required to travel and sheer volume of people. Campo Sancho is very much a family affair and a very laid back enjoyable event. I have family in London who have previously travelled to stay with me (in Hertfordshire) to attend this event. I have a young niece who also came with us to the event which not only was a brilliant experience for her but one that we could all enjoy and have very fond memories of.

I am very much looking forward to being able to attend again with my friends and family to give us some more wonderful memories.

Many thanks.

Best wishes,

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From: XXXX

Sent: 11 May 2023 20:42

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection <Community.Protection@eastherts.gov.uk>

Subject: [External] Campo Sancho Festival

Dear Sir, Madam,

We are sending this email in support of one the key events on the Walkern village social calendar, the Campo Sancho festival at Walkern Hall. Our collective disappointment at this years postponement would only be compounded if this great family event was not to return for 2024.

This truly is a friendly, particularly family friendly festival, they go out of their way to provide a large number of number of creative and entertaining attractions and activities for children to participate in. Our 10 year son and his friends from the village have a great time in this extremely safe idyllic woodland setting.

We have attended for several years and the facilities and infrastructure provided by the organisers makes this a real treat for all visitors. No massive queues for toilets, drinks or food, and although we have never witnessed any negative or anti social behaviour, there are friendly security on hand to assist wherever necessary. From our perspective of both local residents as well as customers this is a very professionally run event that has nothing but a positive impact on the greater Walkern area both culturally and economically.

We would be happy to provide further feedback should you require it.

kind regards

XXXX XXXX Froghall Lane, Walkern, SG2 **XXX**

From: **XXXX**

Sent: 11 May 2023 20:24

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection **XXXX**

Subject: [External] Campo Sancho license application

Dear Community Protection Team

We wanted to lend our family support to the Campo Sancho license application. I am a local resident who has taken all my family to this event. It is a wonderful family event which is greatly supported by the local community which also benefits economically. I am not aware of any previous issues and therefore happy to provide full support for this application. If you require any further questions to be answered please don't hesitate to contact me on **XXXX**.

Best regards **XXXX**

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Clothall

Herts SG7 **XXX**

From: XXXX

Sent: 11 May 2023 20:18

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection

Subject: [External] Camp Sancho support

I know Camp Sancho to be a safe and peaceful family friendly event, it helps the local community economically, it's well organised, not aware of any issues previously, we support Campo

Regards,

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From: XXXX Sent: 11 May 2023 17:37
To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection
Subject: [External] Campo Sancho

Hi there,

I gather there have been some objections to the Campo Sancho licence and I just wanted to write in to give the other side of the story!

This weekend is one of the highlights of my year; it brings together all generations and everyone smiles from when they arrive until when they leave. There is always a sense of community and I believe that it helps the local community economically as well. I have not come across any issues in the past when I have been there and find it to be a truly family-friendly love filled weekend.

If you want any more information from me on the weekend then I would be happy to provide it.

Thanks

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Mobile Phone: **XXXX**

Email: **XXXX**

From: David Boscawen **XXXX**

Sent: 11 May 2023 17:33

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection <Community.Protection@eastherts.gov.uk>

Subject: [External] Campo Sancho

To whom it might concern

We have visited this event every year since it moved to Walkern with our family. We live locally to the event and have always felt it is a safe, family friendly event for everyone. Never have we felt anything else. I also want to stress it is good for the whole community economically and socially. It's the highlight of the year for all of us. Not only for the enjoyment it brings but also the way it is organised. It's always peaceful and happy and clearly everybody feels the same way as families re-visit year after year.

I hope you take all of the above into consideration

Kind regards

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From: **XXXX**

Sent: 11 May 2023 17:20

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection

Subject: [External] Campo Sancho Walkern

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I hope you take all of the above into consideration

Kind regards

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From: XXXX

Sent: 11 May 2023 16:58

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection <Community.Protection@eastherts.gov.uk>

Subject: [External] Campo

Dear community

I have attended this event a few times and it's been a fantastic experience. I took both my children aged 14 and 12. The experience was so enriching for them. They learnt lots of new skills as well as making new friends.

The event was peaceful, fun and very creative. They were very sympathetic to the surrounding environment as well as being curious to the community.

Once we were on the site very few people left until it was over therefore not creating any nuisance to the surrounding villages.

I believe that the people (especially after covid) need to express creativity in nature. It improves mental health and wellbeing.

Regards

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From: XXXX

Sent: 11 May 2023 16:57

To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection

Subject: [External] Campo Sancho Festival

I would like to show my support for the Campo Sancho festival. It is an amazing, fun, music festival with families in mind. There are a lot of children's activities over the weekend, it is such fun, all the children love it. The atmosphere is electric, its exclusive forest location adds to the excitement. I am a resident on the Walkern Hall Estate, I live 600 yards away from the main event and have nothing but admiration and love for the two guys who organise the event. They take great care to please residents, the music is not loud and has its own soundproof 'wall' of hay bales, this reduces the impact of the music to the point that I cannot hear anything from where I live 600 yards away. I look forward to the event every year, it is a lovely, family orientated, fun event that I completely support.

Kind regards

XXXX - Walkern Hall Estate Farm resident

From: XXXX
Sent: 11 May 2023 16:35
To: Housing & Health Services - Community Protection
Cc: XXXX
Subject: [External] Camp Sancho Festival

Dear Sir/Madam,

I'm writing in to express our support for the Camp Sancho festival held at Walkern Hall every year,

It's an extremely family-orientated event, which caters to the local community and serves as a great way of bringing local villagers and communities together for a weekend of fun, music, and festivities.

I have been attending the event for several years now with my children, and it's a staple within the community calendar - I've never witnessed or heard of any trouble or bother from the event and have enjoyed immensely the event along with hundreds of other friends from Walkern, Bennington, Aston, and surrounding areas. It's very well run, with plenty of security, marshalls, assistants, and amenities.

I'm sure it provides a boost to the local community, in terms of pubs, taxis, food outlets, etc, and know that it's a valued and loved event that we, as a community, need in the current times!

Please do keep the event in the social calendar!

Kind regards

XXXX
Moors Ley, Walkern, Hertfordshire, SG2 xxx

Comments were submitted at 11/05/2023 2:31 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: Walkern Hall Clay End Road Walkern Hertfordshire SG2 7HZ

Proposal: Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

Case Officer: [REDACTED]

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED] Beachampton Milton Keynes MK19 [REDACTED]

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 11/05/2023 2:31 PM Campo Sancho is a well-run, family friendly event that is greatly appreciated by a respectful audience across all ages. It is widely supported by the local community and for the one weekend each year that it takes place, it provides a welcome reminder of the joys of live entertainment.

Following the difficulties faced by the hospitality industry during Covid times, Campo Sancho's rebirth and good health should be celebrated by all, as well as us all being immensely grateful to those who have worked so hard to get there.

A community asset to be treasured.

Kind regards

Comments were submitted at [REDACTED]

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Proposal: Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

Case Officer: [REDACTED]

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED] Walkern Road Benington SG2 [REDACTED]

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 11/05/2023 3:01 PM I am writing to support the campo festival. It is a fun, family friendly festival. It seems to be well organised and I am not aware of any issues at the previous events. I hope it will continue to be a regular annual event.

Kind regards

Comments were submitted at 11/05/2023 3:41 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: Walkern Hall Clay End Road Walkern Hertfordshire SG2 7HZ

Proposal: Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

Case Officer: [REDACTED]

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED] Jeffreys Road Stockwell London SW4 [REDACTED]

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 11/05/2023 3:41 PM Campo Sancho is a family orientated, friendly festival which I thoroughly enjoy attending. It is very peaceful and provides a setting where people can enjoy each others company. It is safe and has no disorderly behaviour. I support Campo Sancho wholeheartedly and hope the festival can remain in the calendar going forward. I'd be more than happy to discuss this further. Thank you very much.

Kind regards

Comments were submitted at 11/05/2023 3:46 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: Walkern Hall Clay End Road Walkern Hertfordshire SG2 7HZ

Proposal: Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

Case Officer: [REDACTED]

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: Walkern Hall Walkern Stevenage SG2 [REDACTED]

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 11/05/2023 3:46 PM Campo Sancho is truly a gem among local festivals and it would be a crying shame for it not to continue. Its family-orientated atmosphere makes it a perfect weekend getaway for people of all ages and the numerous activities during the day are simply amazing, providing endless entertainment and fun.

Also, the incredible DJs that grace the stage bring a vibrant energy to the event and whether you are a music enthusiast or just someone who loves to dance, the lineup never disappoints. Why would you want to put a stop to it?

Campo Sancho has become an annual tradition for myself as well as hundreds of others and for good reason. Losing such a festival and beloved event would be a profound loss.

Kind regards

Comments were submitted at 11/05/2023 4:05 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

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| Address: | Walkern Hall Clay End Road Walkern Hertfordshire SG2 7HZ |
| Proposal: | Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003) |
| Case Officer: | Tracy Matthews |

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Customer Details

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| Name: | [REDACTED] |
| Email: | [REDACTED] |
| Address: | [REDACTED] Matilda st London N1 [REDACTED] |

Comments Details

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| Commenter Type: | Member of the Public |
| Stance: | Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application |
| Reasons for comment: | |
| Comments: | 11/05/2023 4:05 PM Amazing festival, always a great group of people, sense of belonging - a real representation of British festivals and summertime |

Kind regards

Comments were submitted at 11/05/2023 4:18 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: Walkern Hall Clay End Road Walkern Hertfordshire SG2 7HZ

Proposal: Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

Case Officer: [REDACTED]

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: 14 Glebe View Walkern SG2 7PQ

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 11/05/2023 4:18 PM I fully support the campo festival in walkern. This festival is a pleasure to attend. It is fun for all of the family, it safe for the kids and brings our community together. It would be a great shame for this not to go ahead. I live in walkern and there has never been any issues when it is on.

Kind regards

Comments were submitted at 11/05/2023 4:47 PM [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: Walkern Hall Clay End Road Walkern Hertfordshire SG2 7HZ

Proposal: Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

Case Officer: [REDACTED]

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED] Kents lane Ware Sg11 [REDACTED]

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 11/05/2023 4:47 PM This is a highly anticipated event with a wonderful following. Bringing a lovely crowd from across the uk as well as locally. Safe and fun for all ages. It would be a real shame for this not to carry on and make use of the special location. It brings the area a great name and creates a lot of lovely memories for everyone who attends it. I appreciate there might be concerns about noise but for this to be the only reason would not hold up in my opinion as the benefits of holding this particular event heavily outweigh any negatives. It would be a shame to let this move to another location as I know it means a lot to many of the locals and draws positive attention to this special area

Kind regards

Comments were submitted at 11/05/2023 4:51 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address: Walkern Hall Clay End Road Walkern Hertfordshire SG2 7HZ

Proposal: Premises Licence (Licensing Act 2003)

Case Officer: [REDACTED]

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Customer Details

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Address: [REDACTED] Walkern Hall Stevenage SG [REDACTED]

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer made comments in support of the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 11/05/2023 4:51 PM Campo Sancho has always been an incredibly friendly and welcoming festival enjoyed by a broad range of people, including many families with young children, and many more. It is a well managed event with activities for all. I completely support the continuation of this festival over future years.

Kind regards