

**Representation 1**

Comments were submitted at 05/05/2024 3:29 PM from REDACTED

Customer Details

Name: REDACTED

Email: REDACTED

Address: REDACTED

Comments Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer objects to the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 05/05/2024 3:29 PM Whilst I am generally supportive of music events such as festivals I am concerned with the lack of details supporting this application.

Having witnessed the various dog and whistle events over the years and the impact on the local community and resources. I have cause to object.

Whilst the timing of the events is acceptable the main concerns I have are:

1. Drug taking by attendees and impact on the local community
2. Concerns with safety of the event and people coming to the festival particularly through drink and drug driving and pedestrians on Brickendon Lane. Living so close to the venue I believe there is a risk of people bringing in their own alcohol and drugs and wanting to continue the party overnight.

There is no detail on overnight arrangements, capacity, security and welfare of attendees and a lack of engagement with the local community. I suspect that having been challenged to host the events in town this was the next logical choice.

The concerns with respect to violent behaviour etc are a big issue for us being not REDACTED from the entrance.

Thank you.

## **Representation 2**

Comments were submitted at 14/05/2024 8:49 PM from REDACTED.

### Customer Details

Name: REDACTED

Email: REDACTED

Address: REDACTED

### Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer objects to the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 14/05/2024 8:49 PM Thoroughly object to this event. No thought or regard for locals, residents or the community. This event is only a money making objective for the organiser.

The tickets on sale for the event are advertised until 11pm yet the license is only until 10pm

I have safety concerns for my family who REDACTED and there are no proposed safety protocols to ensure my family or my property are protected.

This company also have a history of organising events where the consumption of drugs is prevalent. Again a concern for my family's safety

### **Representation 3**

Comments were submitted at 21/05/2024 6:40 PM from REDACTED.

#### Customer Details

Name: REDACTED

Email: REDACTED

Address: REDACTED

#### Comments Details

Commenter Type: Neighbour

Stance: Customer objects to the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 21/05/2024 6:40 PM I object to the festival on the basis there has been no thought or regard for the residents who live on the site. I have serious safety concerns for my family who REDACTED and our property would be very exposed. There does not appear to be any proposed safety protocols to ensure my family and property are protected and little appetite to discuss these with us. We have also been made aware that the company organising the event has a history of organising events where the consumption of drugs is prevalent. Again a huge concern for my family's safety.

Kind regards

## **Representation 4**

Comments were submitted at 23/05/2024 9:54 PM from REDACTED

### Customer Details

Name: REDACTED

Email: REDACTED

Address: REDACTED

### Comments Details

Commenter Type: Member of the Public

Stance: Customer objects to the Licensing Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments: 23/05/2024 9:54 PM This event could have huge detrimental effects to wildlife & general landscape/nature. There are many/numerous rare plants and flowers on site, that grow in certain months - where high footfall traffic from such an event could damage the plants. There is a vast collection of native fish species and ornamental fish kept on site, with a value of approx £70,000. People under the influence falling/jumping in to the water, litter or foreign liquids/substances disposed of in to water could have huge impacts to livestock. On top of this, it poses huge health and safety risks to the attendees. The water is exceptionally deep and full of deep-rooted plants. Any liquids disposed of on local grasslands could enter the various soakaways and contaminate said water. How do you propose this is avoided? Various drain networks on site act as top ups for the moat to maintain levels - organisers will not be aware of the layout of drainage network.

There is also other livestock kept on site or in the neighbouring facilities such as horses and cattle, with value likely to run in to hundreds of thousands. How to ensure these are not at risk/suffer unnecessary stress.

Many grade 2 listed buildings/features on the site, that people under the influence could, although unintentional - cause damage to said buildings and / or features/structures. How do you plan to avoid this.

There are various residents on site, both commercial and residential - how will this affect other businesses trying to conduct business on proposed event days or general residential comfort? How will this event affect other road users with the backup of traffic, along a narrow single file country lane.

The proposed planning application/layout does not correspond with the layout being laid out/advertised on recent social media accounts.

On such a vast and expanse site, how to ensure people to do not "gate crash" event, or venture in to areas that are "out of bounds".

## **Representation 5**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Further to the above notice, we are writing regarding the two day festival applied for on the Brickendonbury Estate. Please note that we are not objecting outright to the licence being granted at this stage.

This email serves to raise our concerns as we live on site. Our address is REDACTED.

We are particularly concerned that we have not been consulted nor provided with any information or plan regarding the mitigation of any impact upon us, and so we hereby seek further information first on the points below.

Prevention of Crime and Disorder and Public Nuisance

We have not been provided with any information that allows us to feel that the prevention of crime and disorder has been considered and mitigated for our protection. We have chosen to live on a secure, private site. We would like to know what security measures will be in place for the protection of house and the surrounds from access both during the event and during set up/down.

We have personal items outside our home and in our garden REDACTED all of which can be easily accessed REDACTED by anyone once they have access to the site. At present, there is nothing preventing anyone, once on-site walking into our garden, looking through our windows and gaining access to our personal possessions REDACTED.

Over the weekend, we also have a number of commitments that require us to leave home and return a number of times via the main entrance. We have not been advised of any plan or restrictions to us doing so the weekend of the planned event.

The opening of the private site for a public access event for 'thousands' of people, according to event organisers ticket sales page, where there will be the sale of alcohol and considerable disturbance between the hours of the event, and also during the previous/post days set up and down that will occur if the event takes place, is in direct opposition to our rights as tenants on the site that will interfere with our rights to quiet enjoyment of both, particularly with the event being at the weekend.

Child/ren

Our private garden is open and unsecured. REDACTED. Our child/ren regularly plays outside in our garden and in the grounds daily, particularly at weekends, as we are allowed the use of the site for our leisure. There is no secure/fixed fencing or barriers to prevent them doing this during the festival to our knowledge. REDACTED.

In addition, we are also concerned that the social media video released on the Dog and Whistle instagram page clearly states 'a disco stage in the trees' REDACTED, which is well outside of the boundary limitation on the map they submitted with this application. We ask for clarification on this too please.

We look forward to hearing from you shortly.

Yours sincerely,

REDACTED

## **Representation 6**

To whom it may concern,

Re the above licence application.

I am a business tenant on the Brickendon Bury site and my business address is REDACTED.

We also occasionally work weekends and may need access to the office during the weekend of the planned festival. No information has been provided if we will be able to gain access to the site that weekend nor the office. Any planned noise and site disturbance will also be considerable, directly impacting the working environment if we need to work. Within the offices REDACTED is expensive equipment and security into the building is a minimal.

Also concerns that may need to be looked at - There are a number of trees on the site that have unexpectedly fallen as dead trees are to our knowledge not monitored to reduce any danger. Evidently, there is an extremely large tree in the front of The Moat House that unexpectedly fell recently, narrowly missing The Moat House building. There is also a large deep open moat in the centre of the planned event and poses a danger to all unless properly secured off.

Kind regards,

REDACTED