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Sent: Wednesday, April 5, 2023 5:03 PM
To: Daliah Barrett <Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk>
Subject: FW: Maxxi Food & Wine, 42 Topsfield Parade APP7 D
Importance: High

From: Tim >
Sent: 16 March 2023 17:32
To: Licensing <Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk>
Subject: Maxxi Food & Wine, 42 Topsfield Parade

Hello,

I understand the licence for Maxxi Food and Wine may be up for review. I thought it would be helpful if I add my account of the situation. I'm one of the residents above the shop - I live at Topsfield Parade.

You'll be aware that the shop has been openly selling nitrous oxide canisters, which have been used openly in the area around the shop as a recreational drug. We get a lot of litter in the area because of this, including empty canisters, discarded balloons, and small bottles of alcohol which people have been drinking while inhaling the gas.

The flat I live in is one of the ones that you enter via the alleyway Topsfield Parade. The worst consequence of the shop selling these canisters has been lots of young individuals, often in crowds taking the balloons in the alleyway.

This creates a lot of mess, and is generally disturbing and intimidating for the people who live in the flats that you enter via the alleyway, as I have had to, on occasion, pass through a small crowd of people doing balloons and drinking in order to enter my home.

The most egregious thing for me though has been that people have been sitting on the stairs to my flat and doing this. This is a narrow, single person staircase, so obviously it creates an uncomfortable situation coming in and out of my home. It's also part of the property, so anyone doing this is taking drugs in public, but also trespassing.

On one occasion a man was sat there doing balloons (this was about 4.30pm on a Thursday), and made a point of not getting out of the way for a while, refusing to move and trying to intimidate me, before finally getting out of the way having embarrassed me a bit. This incident was the reason I went to my landlord about this problem as it represented an escalation that I believe we're going to need to act against.

The incidents of this happening have been slightly less during the colder months, but were very regular when it was warmer (at least once a week). I anticipate the problem being worse again as the weather improves if the shop is allowed to continue what it's doing.

I've also spoken to other people in my building about this, who agree that it's a problem that needs to stop.

I understand the shop has had its license suspended at one of its other locations for doing the same thing and causing the same problems. Yet they've continued at this location, going as far as to openly advertise the fact that they sell the canisters on their tik tok channel - i.e. a channel aimed at young people.

Evidently they haven't taken the suspension seriously - and indeed, have apparently made selling the canisters to young people and teenagers a deliberate part of their business model - so I would strongly recommend measures are taken against the business to let them know this isn't something they can keep doing.

I'm happy to speak to anyone at the council about this if they require more detail.

Best,
Tim

From: Daliah Barrett <Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk> **On Behalf Of** Licensing
Sent: Tuesday, April 4, 2023 4:46 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk>
Subject: FW: LATE DOCUMENTS

Dear Mr Sutherland,

Please see attached pictures submitted by a resident who has already made representation in support of the review. The pictures are late so their inclusion if at all will need to be agreed by The Chair once all parties have given their view on the matter.

Regards
Daliah Barrett

From: Tim
Sent: Tuesday, April 4, 2023 10:16 AM
To: Daliah Barrett <Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk>
Cc: Licensing <Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk>
Subject: Re: Procedure Summary: Licensing Sub-Committee for 4 April

Picture 1 is a shot taken on Elder Avenue of Maxi receiving a delivery of what appears to be about 5 boxes of nitrous oxide yesterday at about 5.20 pm.

Pic 2 is a shot of the number plate of the van.

I'll send the video as a separate email as it's uploading to Google drive.







From: Daliah Barrett <Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk> **On Behalf Of** Licensing
Sent: Tuesday, April 4, 2023 4:49 PM
To: Licensing <Licensing.Licensing@haringey.gov.uk>
Subject: FW: Procedure Summary: Licensing Sub-Committee for 4 April

Mr Sutherland, this I the footage also sent in today by the same resident.
Same considerations apply in relation to late evidence submission.

Regards
Daliah Barrett

From: Tim
Sent: Tuesday, April 4, 2023 10:33 AM

To: Daliah Barrett <Daliah.Barrett@haringey.gov.uk>
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Subject: Re: Procedure Summary: Licensing Sub-Committee for 4 April

Here's the
video: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RKAIkQxU3CZY6rzPs0ZILViT0u4j5vR7/view?usp=drivesdk>

I've taken a screen grab from it (attached) where you can see that the boxes being taken in are the ones from my other pic, as you can see the green and yellow symbols from the Fast Gas box (example also attached).

Best,



