

Resident 1

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: 11 June 2024 08:02

To: Premises Licensing <Premises.Licensing@manchester.gov.uk>

Subject: Souvlaki

I want to object to Souvlaki takeaway asking for a license to stay open later and serve alcohol, this would cause more noise from people and cars .

There is enough pubs and restaurants in Didsbury village if you want to eat and drink.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Resident 2

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: 10 June 2024 19:00

To: Premises Licensing <Premises.Licensing@manchester.gov.uk>

Subject: Representation objecting to license application ref 300851/CT4 for the Souvlaki Didsbury

To whom it may concern,

Please accept this email as my formal objection to the change in premises license for The Souvlaki Didsbury, 1 School Lane, M20 6SA reference 300851/CT4, on the grounds of prevention of crime and disorder, and the prevention of public nuisance.

This area of School Lane has been a residential area for over 125 years. Number 1 School Lane has been a takeaway that has never had a license to sell alcohol or stay open after 11pm.

I am very worried if this were to change there would be an increase in noise and antisocial behaviour from customers on the premises or as they arrive or leave the premises. [REDACTED]

People arriving and leaving in cars playing music loudly, car doors opening and closing would also add to the noise nuisance and antisocial behaviour.

The sale of alcohol and staying open after 11pm is inappropriate for this residential location. School Lane is a narrow road with terraced houses on either side. It is not a high street or in the city centre and therefore consideration must be given to people who live here. It is essential that the residential character of this area is protected.

An increase in noise and antisocial behaviour would lead to an increase in stress for residents, disruption to their sleep, causing deterioration in their physical and mental health and general quality of life.

I am relying on Manchester City Council premises licensing department to protect the well being of the residents in this area and therefore deny this application to sell

alcohol and not allow the premises to be open later than 11pm on any night of the week.

Yours sincerely,



Resident 3

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: 10 June 2024 17:33

To: Premises Licensing <Premises.Licensing@manchester.gov.uk>

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: Licence

To Whom It May Concern

Having lived in Didsbury since [REDACTED] joining a quiet community in School Lane, comprising of 2 Churches, 3 Schools, [REDACTED] and several small businesses. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] My neighbours and I are very concerned that by granting Souvlaki a licence to both stay open late and sell alcohol (something unheard of over the last 100 years in this area) we will run the risk of there being [REDACTED] disturbance of the peace, disorder and public nuisance through unruly behaviour, noise and lack of social care. We need to protect our quality of life and mental health. It is imperative to obtain uninterrupted sleep in order to function properly, and retain full capacity of performance during each day. This applies to young and old alike . Therefore I feel very strongly that this licence should not be granted.

Yours faithfully, [REDACTED]

Resident 4

From: [REDACTED]

Sent: 08 June 2024 12:11

To: Premises Licensing <Premises.Licensing@manchester.gov.uk>

Subject: Alcohol Licence for The Souvlaki 1, School Lane Didsbury.

I write to object to the granting of a Alcohol Licence to The Souvlaki 1, School Lane Didsbury. I feel it would be inappropriate to have licenced premises operating so close to suburban terraced houses. I find the proposed trading hours 12:00/23:00 deeply concerning as The Souvlaki is an open plan venue with outside seating on decking adjacent to School Lane. The inevitable noise from the drinkers would spill into the surrounding homes, which would I think be detrimental to local residents comfort and tranquility. Furthermore, granting a alcohol Licence to The Souvlaki would I feel add little if anything to this well established School Lane community. The Souvlaki is situated close by the Didsbury Scout Hall, and next to the Didsbury Baptist Church, a church which has been in operation since the Victorian era. The church operates a kindergarten five day per week, and the church hall is used for night classes by the community, as well as being polling station. The Beaver Rd Primary school is also in close proximity The Souvlaki. In the School Lane community there seems little appetite another alcohol outlet this time on School Lane, as it could herald anti social behaviour, late night noise, increase litter and street smoking out side The Souvlaki. All of which would add nothing to the community. Therefore I ask for the Alcohol Licence for The Souvlaki be rejected.

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