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BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL

MEETING OF THE LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

MONDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2025 AT 11.00 A.M.

PARKSIDE SUITE, PARKSIDE, MARKET STREET, BROMSGROVE, WORCESTERSHIRE, B61 8DA

MEMBERS: Councillors A. M. Dale, P. M. McDonald and B. McEldowney

Reserve Member: To be confirmed

<u>AGENDA</u>

LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE HEARING PROCEDURE (Pages 5 - 8)

- 1. Election of Chairman for the meeting
- 2. To receive apologies for absence and notification of substitutes
- 3. Declarations of Interest

To invite Councillors to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests or Other Disclosable Interests they may have in items on the agenda, and to confirm the nature of those interests.

- 4. Application for the Grant of a Premises Licence in respect of Thornborough Events, Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road, Kings Norton, Worcestershire, B38 9EH (Pages 9 116)
- 5. To consider any urgent business, details of which have been notified to the Assistant Director of Legal, Democratic and Procurement Services prior to the commencement of the meeting and which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstances, considers to be of so urgent a nature that it cannot wait until the next meeting.

J. Leach Chief Executive

Parkside Market Street BROMSGROVE Worcestershire B61 8DA

10th September 2025

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If you have any questions regarding the agenda or attached papers, please do not hesitate to contact the officer named above.

Notes:

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LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE (Premises)

HEARING PROCEDURE

- 1. The Chairman will open the hearing and ask Members of the Sub-Committee and officers present to introduce themselves.
- 2. The Chairman will ask all parties to the proceedings to introduce themselves.
- 3. The Chairman will ask all parties if they are satisfied with the hearing procedure to be followed. Any variation to the hearing procedures will be at the discretion of the Chairman.
- 4. The Technical Officer (Licensing), Worcestershire Regulatory Services will present the report.
- 5. The Chairman will invite Members of the Sub-Committee and all parties to the proceedings to put any relevant questions to the Technical Officer.
- 6. The Chairman will invite the Applicant and/or their representative to present their case and call any witnesses. A total of 15 minutes will be allowed.
- 7. The Chairman will invite Members of the Sub-Committee and all parties to the proceedings to put any relevant questions to the Applicant and/or their representative.
- 8. The Chairman will invite the Responsible Authorities to present their representations. A total of 15 minutes will be allowed.
- 9. The Chairman will invite Members of the Sub-Committee and all parties to the proceedings to put any relevant questions to the Responsible Authorities.
- 10. All Other Parties to the proceedings will be invited to present their representations or elect a spokesperson to speak on their behalf.

 A total of 15 minutes will be allowed.
- 11. The Chairman will invite Members of the Sub-Committee and all parties to the proceedings to put any relevant questions to the Other Parties.
- 12. The Responsible Authorities will be invited to sum up. A total of 5 minutes will be allowed.
- 13. The Other Parties will be invited to sum up. A total of 5 minutes will be allowed.

Appendix

- 14. The Applicant and/or their representative will be invited to sum up. A total of 5 minutes will be allowed.
- 15. The Chairman will ask the Legal Advisor if there is any legal advice to be given.
- 16. The Chairman will close the Hearing so that the Sub-Committee can reach its decision in private.
- 17. The Sub-Committee's decision will be confirmed in writing to the Applicant and those parties who made representations within 5 working days.
- 18. If any party to the proceedings wishes to appeal against the Sub-Committee's decision an appeal must be commenced by the appellant giving a notice of appeal to the designated officer for the magistrates' court within a period of 21 days beginning with the day on which the appellant was notified by the licensing authority of the decision which is being appealed.

NB

In considering any representations or notice made by a party the Sub-Committee may take into account documentary or other information produced by a party in support of their application, representations or notice either before the hearing or with the <u>consent</u> of all other parties at the hearing.

Appendix

Please Note:

- 1. Each application coming before the Licensing Sub-Committee will be treated on its own merits, and the Sub-Committee will take its decision based upon:
 - a) the promotion of the four licensing objectives, as given by the Licensing Act 2003, namely:
 - the prevention of crime and disorder;
 - public safety;
 - the prevention of public nuisance; and
 - the protection of children from harm;
 - b) Bromsgrove District Council's Statement of Licensing Policy;
 - c) guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003; and
 - d) the Licensing Act 2003.
 - e) The report presented to the Sub-Committee by the Technical Officer, and all relevant written and oral representations.



BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE 22 SEPTEMBER 2025

LICENSING ACT 2003

APPLICATION FOR THE GRANT OF A PREMISES LICENCE

THORNBOROUGH EVENTS

| | PUBLIC HEARING |
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| Director: | Head of Worcestershire Regulatory Services |
| Contact Officer: | Sarah Royall Technical Officer (Licensing) enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk |
| Ward(s) affected: | Barnt Green And Hopwood |
| Appendices: | Appendix 1 – Application Form Appendix 2 – Representations from other parties in opposition Appendix 3 – Representations from other parties in support |

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

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2.1. To consider and determine an application for grant of a premises licence in respect of

Thornborough Events Thornborough Farm Redhill Road Kings Norton Worcestershire B38 9EH

2.2. A copy of the application is attached at Appendix 1.

3. BACKGROUND

3.1. On 21 July 2025 an application was received from RB Retail and Licensing Services Ltd on behalf of Mr Kenneth Frederick Moore & Mrs Sarah Louise Moore for grant of a premises licence in respect of Thornborough Events

- Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road, Kings Norton, Worcestershire, B38 9EH.
- 3.2. The application contained all the requisite documentation including the fee and a plan of the premises.
- 3.3. It can be confirmed that the application has been advertised in accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003 and associated regulations and that the application has also been served on all responsible authorities.
- 3.4. The applicant is applying for the following licensable activities:

| Activity | Days | From | То | Indoors/Outdoor |
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| | | | | s |
| Performance of Dance | Friday - Sunday | 12:00 - | 18:00 | Outdoors |
| Performance of Live Music | Sunday | 12:00 - | 22:00 | Outdoors |
| Performance of Live Music | Friday - Saturday | 12:00 - | 23:00 | Outdoors |
| Late Night Refreshment | Friday - Saturday | 23:00 - | 00:00 | Outdoors |
| Playing of Recorded Music | Sunday | 12:00 - | 22:00 | Outdoors |
| Playing of Recorded Music | Friday - Saturday | 12:00 - | 23:00 | Outdoors |
| Sale of Alcohol | Sunday | 12:00 - | 22:00 | On Premises |
| Sale of Alcohol | Friday - Saturday | 12:00 - | 23:00 | On Premises |

3.5. The application has also proposed the following Non-Standard Timings:

A privately booked event such as a wedding etc and utilising one or more of the licensing activities applied for within this application could be held on any day of the week. Guest numbers will be limited to 200 persons.

This event will be included within a 28 days per year from 1st May to 30 September proposed to a limit.

- 3.6. The designated premises supervisor identified in the application is Mr Kenneth Frederick Moore.
- 3.7. Office records indicate that several previous events involving the sale of alcohol, regulated entertainment and late night refreshment have taken place at this site address which were authorised by way of Temporary Event Notices. The details of the Temporary Event Notices authorised for the site address are as follows:
 - 2021 Two TENs
 - 2022 Two TENs, one TEN was withdrawn prior to the event.
 - 2023 Six TENs
 - 2024 Thirteen TENs,
 - 2025 Ten TENs

- 3.8. Office records further indicate that there were two complaints regarding the levels of noise at the premises received by the council in June 2024.
- 3.9. Between June 2021 and August 2025 eighteen complaints have been logged by local residents with the Environmental Health noise pollution team regarding noise levels emanating from the premises.

4. REPRESENTATIONS RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITIES

- 4.1. The application has been forwarded to all responsible authorities prescribed under the Licensing Act 2003.
- 4.2. In response, Worcester Fire and Rescue Service submitted a representation requesting the following:

Receipt of the above application is acknowledged and from the information provided the Fire Authority has no objection to the grant of the premises licence, **providing an Event Management Plan is submitted to the relevant authorities and advisory group.**

- 4.3. The authorised applicant agent has since agreed for the additional condition to be included on the licence when issued.
- 4.4. Environmental Health have also submitted a representation, and having assessed the application have requested for additional conditions to be attached to the licence. These cover the number and spacing of events to address concerns relating to public nuisance, the conditions requested are as follows:
 - Number of events with between 201 and 4000 attendees be limited to 11 days in total, not on consecutive weekends and a maximum of two consecutive days and only on one of the two Bank weekends in May to include the Bank Holiday Monday.
 - 2. Number of events with attendees up to and including 200 (referred to in the application as weddings) to be limited to 5 days in total, no more than one day per month during the period requested in the application, to be held during the week (as indicated on the application).
 - 3. That for each event expecting 201 to 4000 attendees that an Event Management Plan be submitted to and agreed by WRS (acting on behalf of Bromsgrove District Council) at least 3 months beforehand.
 - 4. That a noise management plan is to be prepared and agreed with WRS and implemented for the site to cover all events.

- 5. No category F3 and F4 Fireworks to be used on site.
- 6. That the sections of the application for the provision of late night refreshment is not granted as this would encourage attendees to remain on site after the entertainment stops with the potential to cause noise nuisance.
- 7. That the section covering recorded music and live music is clarified and if the application is in effect for 24 hours between Monday and Friday that this is limited to 12:00 to 23:00.
- 4.5. The above conditions have been agreed with the applicant via the authorised agent, should a licence be granted these conditions will be included on any premises licence issued.

OTHER PERSONS

- 4.6. In responses to the public consultation and site notice, a total of 49 representations were received by the council in relation to the application. 28 representations were received from persons opposing the application and 21 representations were received from persons in support of the application.
- 4.7. Of the representations received objecting to the grant of a premises licence, concerns were raised of the potential for public nuisance, crime and disorder and public safety. A copy of these representations are attached at **Appendix 2.**
- 4.8. Video evidence has also been submitted by one of the objectors, highlighting the impact of noise levels from music events on nearby residential properties. A copy of the videos will be made available at the hearing.
- 4.9. Of the representations received supporting the grant of a premises, individuals stated that based on previous events held on site the applicant has demonstrated that they would actively promote the licensing objectives, by managing events responsibly. A copy of these representations are attached at **Appendix 3.**
- 4.10. It should be noted that 5 further representations were received by the council in support of the application. However, upon review of these submissions, 4 of the representations were deemed not to be valid and 1 letter was submitted with illegible name and contact details.

5. LOCAL POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

5.1. The Sub-Committee should have regard to the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy under the Licensing Act 2003.

5.2. The Council's Statement of Licensing Policy is available to download from the Council's website or to request a hard copy, contact Worcestershire Regulatory Services on 01905 822799 or email enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk

6. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

- 6.1. The Sub-Committee is obliged to determine this application with a view to the promotion of the licensing objectives which are:
 - the prevention of crime and disorder;
 - public safety;
 - the prevention of public nuisance;
 - the protection of children from harm.
- 6.2. In making its decision, the Sub-Committee is also obliged to have regard to the guidance issued by the Secretary of State under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 and the Council's own Statement of Licensing Policy.
- 6.3. The Sub-Committee must also have regard to the representations made and the evidence it hears.
- 6.4. The Sub-Committee must take such of the following steps as it considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives:
 - (a) Grant the application as requested
 - (b) Modify the conditions of the licence, by altering or omitting or adding to them.
 - (c) Reject the application in whole or in part.
- 6.5. The Sub-Committee is asked to note that it may not modify the conditions or reject the whole or part of the application merely because it considers it desirable to do so. It must actually be appropriate in order to promote the licensing objectives.
- 6.6. All parties to the hearing will be notified of the Sub-Committee's decision in writing within five working days of the conclusion of the hearing.
- 6.7. Any party aggrieved by a decision taken by the Sub-Committee may appeal against the decision to a Magistrates' Court within 21 days of being notified of the decision in writing.
- 6.8. The hearing should be conducted in accordance with the agreed procedure.

7. FOR DECISION

7.1. The Sub-Committee must consider and determine the application.



Application for a premises licence to be granted under the Licensing Act 2003

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

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Part 3 Operating Schedule

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Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1)

THE PREMISES CONSISTS OF AN OPEN FIELD ON GROUND UNSUITABLE FOR CROPS OR GRAZING (EXCEPT DURING THE WINTER MONTHS).

THE FIELD HAS HAD GRANTED IN EXCESS OF 40 TEMPORARY EVENT NOTICES (TEN's) SINCE THE SUMMER OF 2021. THE APPLICANTS WISH TO REGULARISE THE POSITION TO REMOVE UNCERTAINTY REGARDING FUTURE EVENTS AND INCREASE POTENTIAL VISITOR NUMBERS TO A MAXIMUM OF 4000 PERSONS.

THE EVENTS INVOLVE VARIOUS MUSIC FESTIVALS, FAMILY FUN DAYS, VINTAGE MOTOR RALLYS AND OTHER GATHERINGS OF A SIMILAR NATURE. THE EVENTS WILL ONLY TAKE PLACE BETWEEN MAY AND SEPTEMBER AND LAST ONE DAY OCCASIONALLY TWO/THREE DAYS WITH AN OVERSPILL FIELD PROVIDING SPACE FOR VISITORS TO ERECT THEIR TENTS, SUFFICIENT TOILETS, A SHOWER TRAILER, CAR PARKING AS WELL AS OTHER FACILITIES MADE AVAILABLE ADJACENT TO THE OVERSPILL FIELD.

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EVENTS NORMALLY FINISH AT 23.00 HOURS. LOCAL AUTHORITY STAFF/POLICE REGULARLY VISIT THE SITE ON EVENTS DAY AROUND CLOSING TIME TO CHECK ON THE EVENT AND HAVE FOUND NO ISSUES.

TICKETS TO THE EVENTS ARE PURCHASED ONLINE IN ADVANCE AND THERE IS NO ADMITTANCE ON THE DAY. NUMBERS ARE CONTROLLED WITH A COUNTING DEVICE AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE SITE.

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ONLY ONE EVENT WILL BE PERMITTED DURING THE COURSE OF A WEEKEND.

VISITOR CARS PULL OFF THE REDHILL ROAD THROUGH THE FIRST SET GATES AND MANAGED VIA THE GRAVEL TRACK WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF TRAFFIC MARSHALLS TO ACCESS THE MAIN CAR PARK AREA TO AVOID ANY TRAFFIC CONGUESTION ON THE MAIN HIGHWAY.

PERMITTED DEVELOPMENT ALLOWS THE TEMPORARY USE OF THE PROPOSED FIELD FOR ANY PURPOSE FOR UP TO 28 DAYS PER YEAR.

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| b) | films (if ticking yes, fill in box B) | |
| c) | indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C) | |
| d) | boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D) | |
| e) | live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E) | X |
| f) | recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F) | X |
| g) | performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G) | X |
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State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as designated premises supervisor (Please see declaration about the entitlement to work in the checklist at the end of the form):

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Hours premises are State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 5) open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7) Day Start Finish Mon Tue Wed Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on Thur the left, please list (please read guidance note 6) FOR SMALL PRIVATE EVENTS SUCH AS WEDDINGS Fri 12.00 24.00 THE PREMISES MAY BE OPEN FOR ONE DAY EVENTS ON ANY DAY DURING WEEKDAYS OR WEEKENDS. I.E. MONDAY TO SUNDAY 12.00 HOURS 12:00 24:00 TO AGREED TERMINAL HOUR. ONLY ONE EVENT Sat WOULD BE RUN ON ANY ONE SINGLE DAY AND THEN WITHIN THE 28 DAY OFFERED LIMIT FROM $1^{\rm ST}$ MAY UNTIL $30^{\rm TH}$ SEPTEMBER EACH YEAR. 12:00 22:00 Sun

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M Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 10)

- The Premises Licence Holder shall ensure that all staff employed at the premises whose duties include the sale or supply of alcohol shall undertake and complete a relevant programme of internal training prior to them being authorised to sell or supply alcohol.
- 2. The premises licence guidance manual will be the basis of alcohol sales training.
- 3. Records of the training programme shall be maintained and made available to Authorised Officers upon request.
- 4. The Premises Licence holder shall provide a "refresher" training session to all relevant staff members as and when deemed necessary on a case-by-case evaluation, but as a minimum requirement the refresher training session shall be provided to all staff on at least one occasion every twelve months.
- 5. The CCTV policy shall incorporate the following basic requirements:
 - Be switched on and fully operational when the licensable activities are being carried out.
 - Record for a minimum rolling period of 31 days
 - Have a means of copying any footage to another medium as evidence if requested by the Police.
- 6. CCTV cameras will be located in consultation with the Police or crime prevention officer prior to the event but as a minimum, cameras will be located within the bar lorry, and on the music lorry, the marquee and on an appropriate external toilet location all aimed towards the seated and standing areas around the bar and music lorries. The CCTV monitor and hard drive will be located within the bar lorry.
- 7. Warning notices advising visitors that CCTV cameras will be recording around the event field.
- 8. All members of staff at the premises shall seek "credible photographic proof of age evidence" from any person who appears to be under the age of 25 years and is seeking to purchase alcohol for consumption on/off the premises. Such credible evidence will include a passport, photographic driving licence, or a Proof of Age card carrying a "PASS" logo.
- 9. A refusal log will be kept at the bar and be maintained to record the refusal of alcohol beverages to underage or intoxicated persons. The details collated will include a description of the individual refused, the date and time, the details of the product refused, the reason for refusal and the name of the staff member
- 10. Prominent, clear notices shall be displayed at all exit points to advise customers to respect the needs of local residents and of acceptable behaviour in public spaces and when leaving the premises field and area to do so quietly.
- 11. An appropriate number of SIA registered Door supervisors shall be on duty for the length of the event and until the dispersal policy is completed for any event that a risk assessment deems it to be necessary and appropriate.
- 12. Local taxi firm information is to be available at the premises.
- 13. There will a half hour drinking up time following the each days stated terminal

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hour for the provision/sale of alcohol to permit the consumption of alcohol on the premises field. This half hour is included within the one hour winding down time prior to the closure of the premises.

- 14. Live and recorded music will cease by 23:00 hours on a Friday or a Saturday and by 22.00 hours on a Sunday.
- 15. Where regulated entertainment is provided, the premises licence holder (PLH) or designated premises supervisor (DPS) or a responsible person (RP) nominated in writing will regularly monitor noise recorded or live music emanating from the premises to ensure that noise levels are reasonable and unlikely to become a nuisance and will make necessary adjustments to reduce volumes or bass where necessary.
- 16. A written record shall be kept on the premises detailing the name of the person carrying out the monitoring, the monitoring locations, the date and time of the monitoring and the result obtained. The records shall be made available without delay to an officer of a responsible authority or the Police.
- 17. A noise limiter will operate at an agreed set volume at all times music is being played and in addition the PLH or DPS or RP shall immediately comply with a request to adjust noise levels/frequency spectra by an Officer of a responsible authority or the Police.
- 18. All alcohol to be consumed on the premises will be provided from a bar area. There will be no self-service of any alcohol. Visitors will not be permitted to bring their own alcohol into the events field for consumption on the premises.
- 19. Appropriately sized signage stating no consumption of alcohol not purchased on site is permitted. These notices will be displayed prominently on the Event field site, at the entrance to the site from the highway (Redhill Road) and at the alcohol point of sale as well as the overspill field (when used).
- 20. A risk assessment otherwise known as an Event Management Plan (EMP) will be made prior to an event to identify measures required for the safety of staff and patrons. This will include emergency medical care, sufficient toilets to cater for anticipated event attendance, lost child facilities, traffic wardens, security staff, marked visitor parking with parking staff to guide visitors, separate disabled parking area, litter patrol, dedicated refuse storage area & visitor help desk. The risk assessment will be provided at least 3 months before the event to the Bromsgrove safety advisory group (Police, EH & Licensing) or if the event is arranged at shorter notice no later than 4 weeks before the event.
- 21. A dispersal policy will be included with the risk assessment.
- 22. A zero tolerance to drugs policy will apply particularly to any events that include use of the overspill field for overnight stays.
- 23. A single named point of contact (PC) plus telephone number will be publicised on the event website, so that local residents can report any noise issues or other complaints directly to the organisers. All calls will be logged by time by the PC. Details of the caller will be requested by the PC to include their location/address and contact number. The log will include a note of the remedial action taken. The log will be kept on the premises and be made available upon request for inspection by an officer of a responsible authority or a Police Officer.
- 24. Between 1st May and 30th September each year there will be no more than 28 days of event activities. Events will be limited to just Friday to Sunday except for small privately booked events such as a wedding reception etc which would

| be limited to 200 persons. These would still be included within the 28 day limit |
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Checklist:

Please tick to indicate agreement

| • | I have made or enclosed payment of the fee. | Y |
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| • | I have enclosed the plan of the premises. | X |
| • | I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable. | X |
| • | I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable. | X |
| • | I understand that I must now advertise my application. | X |
| • | I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected. | X |
| • | [Applicable to all individual applicants, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership, but not companies or limited liability partnerships] I have included documents demonstrating my entitlement to work in the United Kingdom | |
| | (please read note 15). | X |

IT IS AN OFFENCE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION. THOSE WHO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT MAY BE LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE OF ANY AMOUNT.

IT IS AN OFFENCE UNDER SECTION 24B OF THE IMMIGRATION ACT 1971 FOR A PERSON TO WORK WHEN THEY KNOW, OR HAVE REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THEY ARE DISQUALIFIED FROM DOING SO BY REASON OF THEIR IMMIGRATION STATUS. THOSE WHO EMPLOY AN ADULT WITHOUT LEAVE OR WHO IS SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS AS TO EMPLOYMENT WILL BE LIABLE TO A CIVIL PENALTY UNDER SECTION 15 OF THE IMMIGRATION, ASYLUM AND NATIONALITY ACT 2006 AND PURSUANT TO SECTION 21 OF THE SAME ACT, WILL BE COMMITTING AN OFFENCE WHERE THEY DO SO IN THE KNOWLEDGE, OR WITH REASONABLE CAUSE TO BELIEVE, THAT THE EMPLOYEE IS DISQUALIFIED.

Part 4 – Signatures (please read guidance note 11)

Signature of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (see guidance note 12). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

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| Declaration | • [Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership] I understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15). |
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| | • The DPS named in this application form is entitled to work in the UK (and is not subject to conditions preventing him or her from doing work elating to a licesable activity) and I have seen a copy of his or her toof of entitlement to work, if appropriate (please see note 15) |
| Signature | |
| Date | 31 st JULY 2025 |
| Capacity | AGENT |

For joint applications, signature of 2nd applicant or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

| Signature | | |
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| Date | | |
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Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 14)

RICHARD BAKER

RB RETAIL & LICENSING SERVICES LIMITED

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| Post town | PORTSMOUTH | | Postcode | PO13 8GE |
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| Telephone number (if any) | | 07771 540066 | | |
| If you would | • | spond with you by e-mail, | your e-mail address (| optional) |

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Notes for Guidance

- Describe the premises, for example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
- 2. In terms of specific regulated entertainments please note that:
 - Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - Films: no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by age classification ratings.
 - Indoor sporting events: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
 - Boxing or Wrestling Entertainment: no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
 - Live music: no licence permission is required for:
 - o a performance of unamplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises.
 - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
 - o a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
 - Recorded Music: no licence permission is required for:
 - any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
 - any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser

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- gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
- o any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
- Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
- Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
 - any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
 - any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;
 - any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
 - any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.
- Where taking place in a building or other structure please tick as appropriate (indoors may include a tent).
- 4. For example the type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.
- 5. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
- 6. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.
- 7. Please give timings in 24 hour clock (e.g. 16.00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.
- 8. If you wish people to be able to consume alcohol on the premises, please tick 'on the premises'. If you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises, please tick 'off the premises'. If you wish people to be able to do both, please tick 'both'.
- 9. Please give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups or the presence of gaming machines.
- 10. Please list here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.
- 11. The application form must be signed.
- 12. An applicant's agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
- 13. Where there is more than one applicant, each of the applicants or their respective agent must sign the application form.
- 14. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application.

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15. Entitlement to work/immigration status for individual applicants and applications from partnerships which are not limited liability partnerships:

A licence may not be held by an individual or an individual in a partnership who is resident in the UK who:

- does not have the right to live and work in the UK; or
- is subject to a condition preventing him or her from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

Any premises licence issued in respect of an application made on or after 6 April 2017 will become invalid if the holder ceases to be entitled to work in the UK.

Applicants must demonstrate that they have an entitlement to work in the UK and are not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity. They do this by providing with this application copies or scanned copies of the following documents (which do not need to be certified).

Documents which demonstrate entitlement to work in the UK

- An expired or current passport showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as
 the child of the holder, is a British citizen or a citizen of the UK and Colonies having the
 right of abode in the UK [please see note below about which sections of the passport to
 copy].
- An expired or current passport or national identity card showing the holder, or a person named in the passport as the child of the holder, is a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Registration Certificate or document certifying permanent residence issued by the Home Office to a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A Permanent Residence Card issued by the Home Office to the family member of a national of a European Economic Area country or Switzerland.
- A current Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the Home Office to the holder indicating that the person named is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A current passport endorsed to show that the holder is exempt from immigration control, is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK, has the right of abode in the UK, or has no time limit on their stay in the UK.
- A current Immigration Status Document issued by the Home Office to the holder with an
 endorsement indicating that the named person is allowed to stay indefinitely in the UK or
 has no time limit on their stay in the UK, when produced in combination with an official
 document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their name
 issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A full birth or adoption certificate issued in the UK which includes the name(s) of at least
 one of the holder's parents or adoptive parents, when produced in combination with an
 official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance number and their
 name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.

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- A birth or adoption certificate issued in the Channel Islands, the Isle of Man or Ireland
 when produced in combination with an official document giving the person's
 permanent National Insurance number and their name issued by a Government agency or
 a previous employer.
- A certificate of registration or naturalisation as a British citizen, when produced in
 combination with an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance
 number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A current passport endorsed to show that the holder is allowed to stay in the UK and is currently allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A current Biometric Immigration Document (Biometric Residence Permit) issued by the
 Home Office to the holder which indicates that the named person can currently stay in the
 UK and is allowed to work relation to the carrying on of a licensable activity.
- A current Residence Card issued by the Home Office to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights or residence.
- A current Immigration Status Document containing a photograph issued by the Home
 Office to the holder with an endorsement indicating that the named person may stay in the
 UK, and is allowed to work and is not subject to a condition preventing the holder from
 doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity when produced in
 combination with an official document giving the person's permanent National Insurance
 number and their name issued by a Government agency or a previous employer.
- A Certificate of Application, less than 6 months old, issued by the Home Office under regulation 17(3) or 18A (2) of the Immigration (European Economic Area) Regulations
 - 2006, to a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence.
- Reasonable evidence that the person has an outstanding application to vary their
 permission to be in the UK with the Home Office such as the Home Office
 acknowledgement letter or proof of postage evidence, or reasonable evidence that the
 person has an appeal or administrative review pending on an immigration decision, such
 as an appeal or administrative review reference number.
- Reasonable evidence that a person who is not a national of a European Economic Area state or Switzerland but who is a family member of such a national or who has derivative rights of residence in exercising treaty rights in the UK including:-

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- evidence of the applicant's own identity such as a passport,
- evidence of their relationship with the European Economic Area family member – e.g. a marriage certificate, civil partnership certificate or birth certificate, and
- evidence that the European Economic Area national has a right of permanent residence in the UK or is one of the following if they have been in the UK for more than 3 months:
- (i) working e.g. employment contract, wage slips, letter from the employer,
- (ii) self-employed e.g. contracts, invoices, or audited accounts with a bank,
- (iii) studying e.g. letter from the school, college or university and evidence of sufficient funds; or
- (iv) self-sufficient e.g. bank statements.

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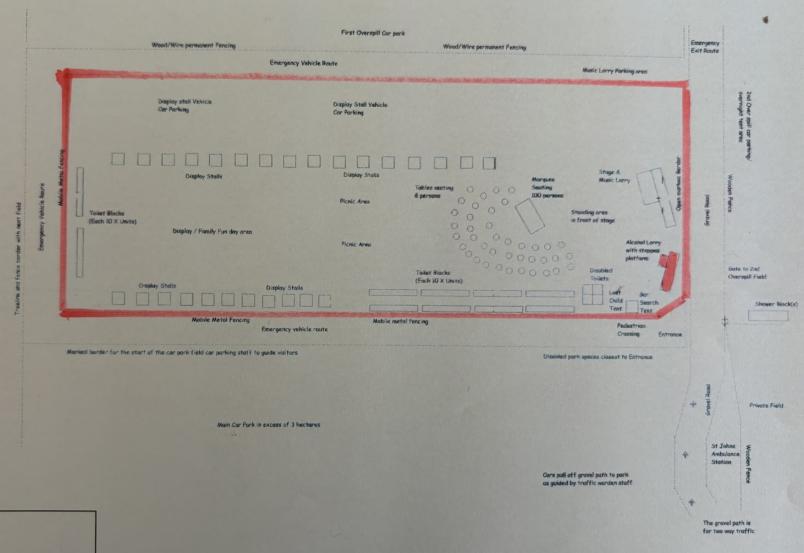
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- (iii) any page containing the holder's signature;
- (iv) any page containing the date of expiry; and
- (v) any page containing information indicating the holder has permission to enter or remain in the UK and is permitted to work.

If the document is not a passport, a copy of the whole document should be provided.

Your right to work will be checked as part of your licensing application and this could involve us checking your immigration status with the Home Office. We may otherwise share information with the Home Office. Your licence application will not be determined until you have complied with this guidance.





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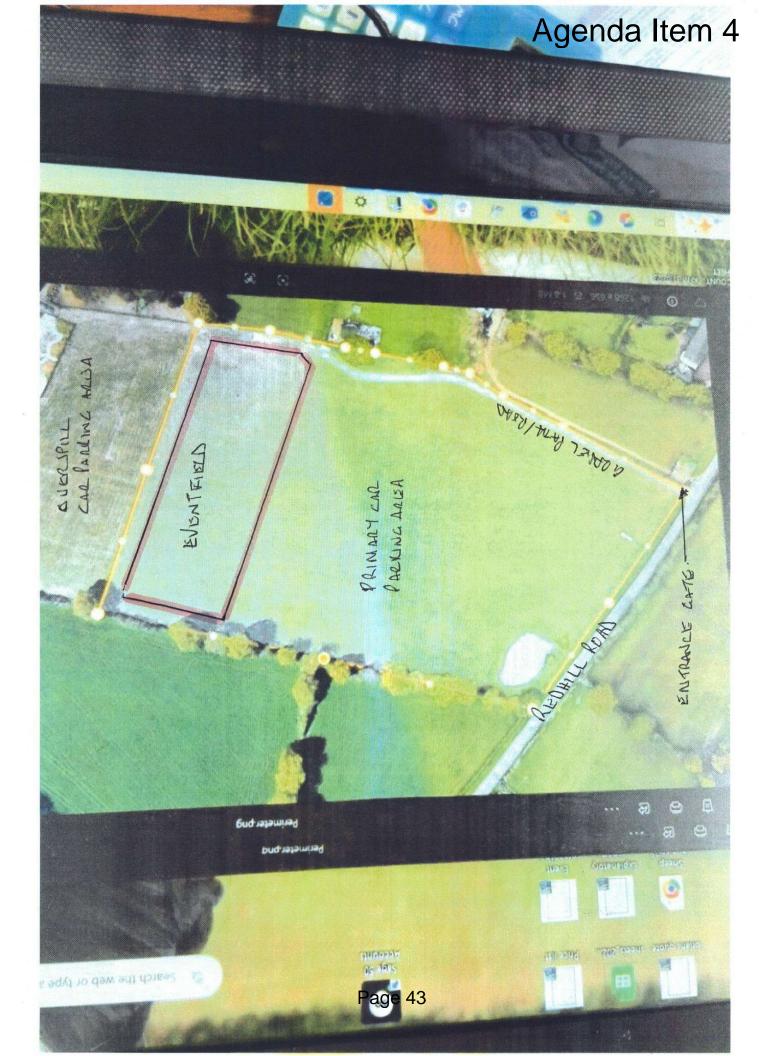
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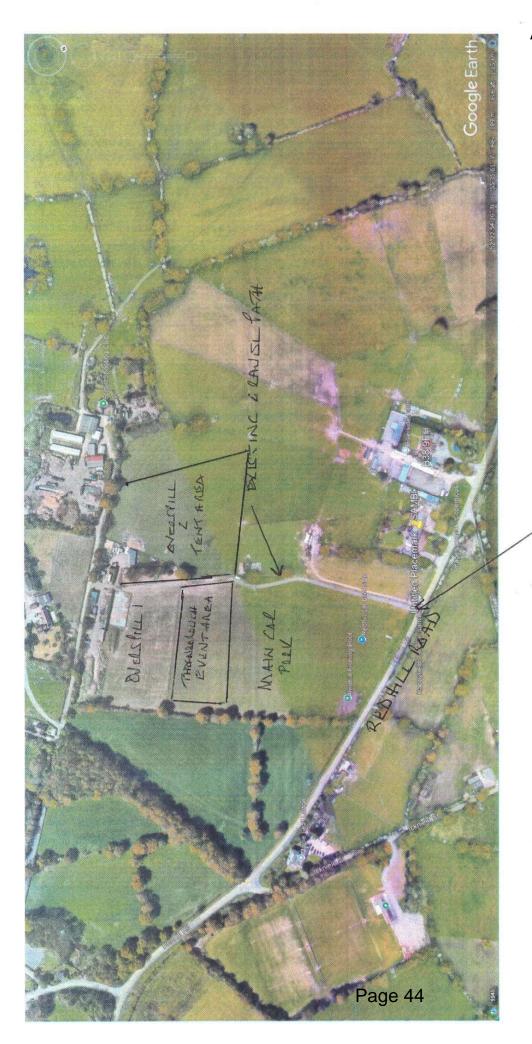
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From: Sent: 31 July 2025 21:40

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Objection 25/03508/PREMLI

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Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to formally object to the planning application for Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road, Kings Norton, B38 9EH (REF 25/03508/PREMLI) which proposes to convert the site into a ongoing entertainment venue potentially operating regularly on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, with extended hours until midnight!

As a nearby resident, I already experience significant disruption from the eight or so events currently held at the venue each year. Many local households complain each time these occur, and it's surprising even those events are still allowed to operate due to the disruption.

On each occasion, loud music and amplified sound travel directly towards our property and continue until at least 11pm, severely impacting our ability to enjoy our home and get adequate rest.

The proposal to make this a regular occurrence, increasing the frequency and extending the hours, raises serious concerns. The cumulative effect of weekly events, especially running until midnight, will substantially increase noise pollution and disturbance to the local community. The rural character of the area is not suited to this level of commercial entertainment activity.

I strongly urge the planning authority to consider the impact on local residents' wellbeing and reject this application on the grounds of noise disturbance and loss of residential amenity.

My Neighbour was the person that brought this to our attention, and if this had slipped under the radar it would have been a travesty. I'm concerned we've not been formally notified.

Yours faithfully,



From ____

Sent: 04 August 2025 11:17

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road

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Hi

I am writing to voice my concerns about the pending licence application for alcohol and entertainment at this site.

I live in

My contact number is.

I strongly object to this venue obtaining permission. Previously the noise levels from events have kept my family awake all night. Having people who have been drinking added to the mix will only make matters worse.

I am concerned about the security implications to all the surrounding residents and the litter that will follow such events.

Traffic will obviously increase during the weekends when we are at home wanting to enjoy a peaceful time in our gardens. This is definitely going to impact everyone in the surrounding area and will affect property prices because of our proximity to this venue.

I strongly appose any license at this venue. I have already complained previously about the noise levels and disruption. I really hope that the council will take residents views into consideration. Destroying the peace and quiet of our homes and rural green belt can't surely be in anyone's interests other than the few who benefit from this venue as a business.

Kind regards

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| Dear Sir, Regarding the application for alcohol & entertainment licen | |
| Thornbough Farm. I have recently bought and moved into a property very close by. The reason for moving here was for the peace | |
| countryside. We have already heard one instant with loud music ,the thought of having | |
| this as a regular occurrence is very disturbing. So we are definitely agobtaining any further licences. | Regards |

From:

Sent: 04 August 2025 14:20

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Cc:

Subject: Subject: Objection to Premises Licence Application: 25/03508/PREMLI

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Dear Licensing Team,

I am writing on behalf of myself and my daughter (who will be moving in with me on 8th August) to formally object to the recent application for a premises licence under consideration by Bromsgrove District Council, relating to Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road, Kings Norton, Worcestershire, B38 9EH.

My address is which is in close proximity to the proposed premises. Our primary concern relates to the prevention of public nuisance, which we believe is one of the four licensing objectives under the Licensing Act 2003.

The proposed activities, which we understand include the provision of alcohol and entertainment, have the potential to generate significant noise, particularly during the evening and late-night hours. Given the residential nature of the area, this is likely to cause substantial disturbance to local residents, including myself and my daughter and also my Autistic Grandson who stays with us on a regular basis.

Our home is situated within direct hearing distance of the premises therefore any amplified music, particularly thumping/vibration from the music could severely impact our quality of life—especially at night when noise travels more readily and can disrupt sleep.

In addition to noise from entertainment, we are also concerned about general noise associated with increased visitor numbers, such as shouting, cheering, car doors slamming, and potential anti-social behaviour, especially as alcohol is now likely to be involved.

While we appreciate the need for local businesses and venues, we believe that this particular location is unsuitable for this type of licence due to its close proximity to residential homes. We respectfully request that this application be refused or, at the very least, be subject to strict conditions to control hours of operation and limit noise emissions.

Thank you for considering our objection.

Yours sincerely



Sent from my iPhone

From:

Sent: 04 August 2025 18:24

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk > **Subject:** 25/03508/PREMLI Thornborough Farm Redhill Road

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Dear Sir

I would like to strongly object to the application, over the past few months the activities on the site have been a real nuisance to the local community with noise going on past their deadline we are local to the site and have become very disturbed on several occasions.

As we understand this site is designated as an Agricultural field in Greenbelt and cannot understand how this activity is being allowed.

Can you please take into account the following

Security issues

excess litter

General disruption from the site

Detriment to the local peace and quiet for the local people

Destroying the openness of our local Greenbelt

Regards



From: <>

Sent: 05 August 2025 08:43

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: 25/03508/PREMLI

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Ref: 25/03508/PREMLI

To whom it may concern,

Since Thornburgh Farm Redhill road was dubiously granted permission to hold events on numerous occasions we have been subject to significant noise pollution beyond the permitted hours of operation that have been granted. We live on weatheroak hill and I know that this is significantly worse for neighbours who are unfortunate enough to live closer to this venue.

I can only see that granting further permissions including a permanent licence will only make the current situation worse which having spoken to many locals is a common feeling in this area.

As such my wife and I object to the granting of such a licence accordingly.

Regards,

From:

Sent: 06 August 2025 22:09

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Objection to Premises Licence Application – Thornborough Farm, Red Hill

Road

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Date: 6th August 2025

To:

Licensing Department
Worcestershire Regulatory Services

Subject: Objection to Premises Licence Application – Thornborough Farm, Red Hill Road

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to formally object to the application for a Permanent Premises Licence for Alcohol and Entertainment at Thornborough Farm, Red Hill Road.

As a local resident, I have serious concerns about the negative impact that this licence would have on our community and the peaceful rural character of the area. Recent events held on this land have already caused significant disturbance and upset to those living nearby.

My specific concerns are as follows:

1. Excessive Noise

Events at the site have involved loud music and amplified sound carrying on late into the night. This has disrupted the peace and quiet that we expect and value as part of living in a rural area. On more than one occasion, it has felt as though a festival is taking place, with noise travelling a considerable distance and making it impossible to relax or sleep in our own homes.

2. Security Issues

The events do not appear to have proper security arrangements in place, which raises concerns about the safety of both attendees and nearby residents.

3. Litter

There has been a noticeable increase in rubbish and waste in the surrounding area following events, which is unsightly and harmful to the environment.

4. Traffic

The increased volume of vehicles on narrow rural roads poses a danger to both drivers and pedestrians. These roads are not designed for high traffic volumes, particularly during events.

5. Anti-Social Behaviour

There have been incidents of rowdy behaviour, drunkenness, and loud shouting which have made the area feel unsafe and unpleasant for residents.

6. General Disruption

The activity associated with these events—music, traffic, groups of people, and lighting—represents a significant intrusion in what should be a quiet, countryside setting. It is unfair to expect local residents to tolerate such disruption on a regular basis.

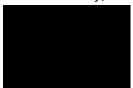
7. Negative Impact on Property Values

The ongoing disturbances and change in the character of the area may devalue local properties and make the area less desirable for future buyers.

In light of the above, I strongly object to the granting of a permanent premises licence for alcohol and entertainment at Thornborough Farm. The rural nature of the site and the impact on local residents must be given due consideration. I respectfully urge Worcestershire Regulatory Services to refuse this application.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Yours faithfully,



From:

Sent: 07 August 2025 14:07

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: 25/03508/PREMLI Thornborough Farm

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Good afternoon

Please find attached our representation in relation to the above Premises Licence application.



Sent from my iPad

We object for the following reasons

- 1. Over the past three years, the applicants have proven to have a complete disregard with no consideration for residents in the surrounding area. We have been subjected to unpredictable outbursts of noise. An Outdoor cinema, football match screenings, circus, car boot, 12.45am "soundcheck" and festivals/loud outdoor music events on a frequent basis
- 2. With events that took place on TENS licences throughout 2024 the applicants did not comply to the parameters outlined within the TENS granted (substantiated), which demonstrates an irresponsible licence holder in not adhering to the curfews granted in the TENS and playing music above 80DB.
- 3. In 2024, we were subjected to FOURTEEN loud events, a total of NINETEEN full day and nights disruption. (Two events on the adjoining Happyfields, same landowner). We've spent the last three summers praying for rain, in the hope events would be cancelled.
- 4. Using the history of behaviour as a guideline I.e. the noise and disruption from this site, with and without the TENS permits, it would suggest that the applicants are not suitable candidates to hold a Premises licence. In addition and relation to this Premises application, on Monday 4 August 2025, I contacted various parties as the applicants had not displayed the Application from 1 August 2025 on site as required by law. Later that day, the Application was displayed in the corner of the field, on the opposite side to the entrance, in scrub and brambles where it was barely visible to the public. Tuesday 5 August 2025, the applicants were more transparent and have displayed the application on the main gate.

- 5. Currently due to the frequency of "events" granted on TENS the site is causing significant stress, destroying our lives, to the point of needing to sell the house which we've worked so hard for, we are essentially being driven out of our home.
- 6. This is an OUTDOOR venue which means there is nothing in place to block the excessive noise, coupled with it being a rural area, there are no buildings to buffer the noise away from our homes.
- 7. For over five months of the year (summer months), we cannot enjoy our garden or home and go to bed every weekend listening to somebody else's music. We try to avoid staying here at weekends, which is unacceptable, especially when we have animals and land to look after. This application is to include working weekdays May-September, this will now encroach on our working week and affect the performance of our jobs
- 8. It has impacted our mental health, our quality of life, our lifestyle and that of friends, family and neighbours.
- 9. Friends and family no longer wish to spend weekends at our home, due to the frequency of festivals and having to listen to someone else's music whilst visiting.
- 10. On occasions we and other neighbours have been so desperate for the noise to abate, we have contacted the police.
- 11. We purchased in this Greenbelt area mainly for the purpose of peace and quiet. We did not choose to buy a house next to a loud entertainment venue.
 - 12. A permanent venue would impact the openness of the Greenbelt
 - 13. It is a Change of Use from an Agricultural field without permission.
- 14. The owner has continually flouted Planning regulations and TENS guidelines (substantiated).
- 15. The entrance/exit is located on a national speed limit road. We have witnessed taxis pulling onto the verge, arriving and leaving the field disrupting the flow of traffic in a dangerous manner. This is an unsuitable location in the interest of Public Safety.
- 16. Previous actions and activities on this agricultural field have not fallen within Permitted development rights or any Planning rights exceptions, this has shown a complete disregard for Planning laws. It is now mainly used for entertainment purposes.
- 17. We initially complained about disruption from this site over THREE years ago, on 20 April 2022 to Dale Birch Bromsgrove District council. I have since sent numerous emails and evidence of disruption to WRS (mainly Dave Etheridge)
 Bromsgrove Planning, Councillors, Wythall Parish Council, West Mercia Police, Bradley Thomas MP, North Worc. Licensing and have also along with other neighbours contacted 101 in a desperate attempt to make the noise abate.
- 18. PC Stuart Head has been my main contact at West Mercia Police and is fully aware along with others, of the upset this site has caused over the years.
- 19. We already have an existing Sports club in the immediate area that have increased their outdoor social events in the past three years, if another venue is allowed to go ahead we will have no respite from noise and music throughout the whole year. It is currently relentless.
- 20. We have two local pubs, although this venue proposal would also offer entertainment in addition to alcohol, it would potentially take trade from an already declining industry, pubs are currently closing at an average of six per week.

- 21. Other than financial gain for the owners, I see no benefit to the local area, local business' or the Greenbelt.
- 22. The applicants have taken advantage of the system and outdated legislations for many years

The activities on this field are unreasonable and substantially interfere with the use and enjoyment of our home, to the extent of affecting our health. Given the disruptive nature of this site over the years and the unpredictability of the applicant, the site has proven to be a Public Nuisance, therefore we would deem this site and candidate unsuitable to be considered for a permanent entertainment venues and Premises licence.

From

Sent: 10 August 2025 19:49

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: ref: 25/03508/PREMLI

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Dear Sirs

I am writing to object to the premises licence being applied for at Thornborough Farm.

I own an apartment at which I rent out and my tenant is very unhappy about the noise that is coming from Thornborough Farm field, when they hold any of their events and he is also complaining that the hot water taps don't work first thing in the morning, due to the lack of water pressure when these events are going on.

If they do get a permanent licence I believe that my tenant will leave and I will probably struggle to get a new tenant if they become aware of the noise and general disruption from the site, after all most tenants I have had have moved into the apartment to be away from all the noise that a town or city brings.

Regards

From:

Sent: 10 August 2025 12:30

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Permanent premises licence objection

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reference: 25/03508/PREMLI

Hi,

I wish to object to the permanent premises license application for alcohol and entertainment at Thornborough farm, redhill road. My main concerns are noise, traffic, and security. They currently hold a lot of events as it is, and are very disrupting. The music is on late and there are always people walking around at late hours of the night and no area around here is well lit up. I think this will be a very big disruption to our community.

I am writing on behalf of residents at

From:

Sent: 13 August 2025 09:48

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Fwd: Re 25/03508/PREMLI

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From:

Date: 12 August 2025 at 16:54:14 BST **To:** enquiries@worscregservices.gov.uk

Cc:

Subject: Fw: Re 25/03508/PREMLI

Dear Sir or Madam,,

I am emailing with reference to the attached licence request for the Thornborough Farm Events. I live at and have lived here for 11 years. I wish to object to the proposed licence application on the grounds that this presents a nuisance and the venue, which I believe to be classed as agricultural land is not an appropriate venue for such activities.

Background

We became aware of the increased use of temporary notice event licences issued to the above venue in 2023 and during the summer of 2024 lodged numerous complaints regarding the frequency of events and the noise level during the summer months. I was in regular contact with your office during last summer and had contact with Toby Hardman Dodd and Dave Etheridge from your office.

One of the issues was the number of events when the venue was booked by different organisations which meant that TENS were issued for the same property which I expect made it difficult to track the actual number granted. This meant that there were events over most weeks in the summer.

Our property has no natural sound barriers such as trees or hills to break the sound and as such are probably more impacted than most properties in the area. We have a garden terrace directly behind our wall which we wish to sit out and enjoy in the summer, however this is disrupted by music on many occasions. It sounds like the music is in our own garden. During 2024 there were at least 14 events at the venue and these were on weekends when we would normally expect to be able to enjoy our garden during the daytime. In the night the licences were granted on some occasions beyond the 11pm curfew.

We frequently have young grandchildren staying with us, afternoon naps and bedtimes are affected if this coincides with an event.

I question if this application indicates a change of use and needs to be reviewed by the planning department. The temporary nature of the infrastructure installed for the summer I am sure complies with regulations and I note that the fields do have animals in during the other months. However, it has to be questioned if this is really an acceptable and appropriate use of rural agricultural land.

The attached licence is for 28 days over a period of 5 summer months, and restricted in the main to weekends, this means that out of 48 days a large proportion of them may be affected by noise disruption. This also is a vast increase on the current level of usage.

In 2014 we moved from Moseley to our current property, choosing to pay a premium to live in the peaceful countryside and greenbelt and to accept the restrictions this has on any planning applications we would make, it seems unreasonable that we are now faced with the possibility of a licenced festival venue with up to 14 weekends out of 22 with noise disruption. This may also be extended to midweek private events.

During 2024 I had a number of text exchanges with Sarah Moore (all available if needed) 2nd June 2024 regarding an external letting event which went on to 1 am 20th July sent at 27 minutes past 12 am which related to a sound check

I have copied and pasted information from the venue website below which indicates the intention to host events for a few thousand but the requested licence is for 200 for private events.

The impact of the growth of this venue has directly affected my mental health and that of my neighbours, as we are a very small community and unlikely to be able to mount a significant campaign I believe those of us who have been affected have been unable to date to prevent the expansion and inappropriate use of this site.

In addition to the noise disruption I am concerned about the rise in traffic and safety on a busy stretch of the Redhill Road, with extra traffic from Birmingham likely to use Icknield Street as a short cut. These lanes are not designed to cope with such usage.

The sale of alcohol at such events and the potential for drug abuse is also a concern, we witness drug exchanges on the lanes already and with the possibility of potential 'customers' attending festivals in the vicinity we can only assume this will also rise.

I would appreciate an acknowledgement of receipt of this email. Thank you

SEE BELOW:

Evidence of Disruption

- 1. Copy of email to Toby Hardman Dodd
- 2. I have videos from July 2024 which I sent to Toby by whatsapp and can provide them if needed they indicate a breach in curfew and also sound levels that go beyond reasonable
- 3. A copy of complaint made on 3rd June 2024 at 12.59 am when a live event was still in progress. Plus your reply
- 4. Toby has sound recordings made after equipment was installed at my property but they were late in the season and not as disruptive as the July events.
- 5. Website advertising The Venue | Thornborough Events

Begin forwarded message:

From: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Date: 4 June 2024 at 13:32:03 BST

To:

Subject: Thornborough Farm - 24/05143/NCP



Many thanks for the update, it has been added to your casefile 24/05143/NCP for the officer investigating your complaint.

A warning letter was sent yesterday to the organisers reminding them of the noise levels and being respectful of their surroundings.

Kind Regards

Wendy

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From: noreply < noreply@worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Sent: Monday, June 3, 2024 12:59 PM

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: The Form 'Nuisance - SR' was submitted

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Worcestershire Regulatory Services Forms An online form has been submitted for you to process. Please see informatic below. Do not reply to this email. Form Results Name **Address** Postcode Tel. No. E-mail What is the issue Thornborough Events owned by Ken and Sarah Moore, located on Redhill Road, Birmingham B38 9EH 07775336417 info@thornboroughevents.com Furter to the form I submitted on 2.6.24 I an now aware that there are 7 more events planned where there is to be live music both during the day and into the evenings at the address of this business. This amounts to 11 days between 31/5 to 31/8 where there will be loud music and over a period where the local community would normally expect to be in their gardens listening to the birds. I believe that the busines have been issued with licences for these events and that your office have do

this. I am sure that this is not acceptable and constitutes a noise nuisance. may be 8 events in the year however they are concentrated over the summe weeks and are only 3 weeks in the summere when there is not an event planned.

Please provide details of person/address causing the issue Is it affecting other people

Yes other neighbours are concerned and some have contacted you too If you were not able to contact your neighbour, please give the reason.

I have spoken with Sarah Moore who says they are licensed to run these eve and there is nothing we can do to stop it

Upload any supporting files:

Upload 1

Upload 2

Upload 3

Upload 4

Consent for storing submitted data

True

From: <

Sent: Monday, July 8, 2024 1:56 PM

To: Dave Etheridge < <u>Dave.Etheridge@worcsregservices.gov.uk</u>>; Toby Hardman-Dodd

<Tk>

Subject: Thornborough Farm Events

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Dear Toby,

I have been given your e mail address by my neighbour because I gather you are looking into the noise disturbance we are experiencing as a result of the expansion of activities by Thornborough Farm Events.

I live on directly in line of the sound which carries over the 2 fields separating our property to Thornborough. I have previously been in touch with Dave who I have copied in to this email.

My concern is the frequency of events licenced under Temporary Events Notices and the the noise level of these events. On Saturday I recorded 2 video's which demonstrate both volume and excessive sound after published curfew of 10pm. These are available to you although I am struggling to attach them to this email. Can you give me a mobile number I can send them to via whatsapp. There seems to be a discrepancy between published event times and actual licence agreement. As local residents are not

consulted, we have no information other than the web site to be guided by and so are frequently surprised when events appear to overrun.

I am also concerned by the regular disruption during the daytime which now is impacting on our enjoyment of the peace in our garden. We are sparsely populated and as such our greenbelt neighbourhood is unlikely to be able to mount a huge number of complaints. However the impact of the expansion of this once agricultural land to a permanent music venue is surely not compatible with the health and wellbeing of our community.

I would welcome noise recording equipment at my address so the level can be monitored more accurately and for a full investigation to the use of this land and issuing of licenses that enable this activity to continue.

Kind Regards

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From: <>

Sent: 18 August 2025 15:22

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk > Subject: Re: Re 25/03508/PREMLI- Thornborough Farm

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Dear WRS,

I have sent video evidence to whats app number as requested and include screen shots of website and link <u>Outdoor Venue Hire</u>, <u>In Birmingham | Thornborough</u>

Events

Video's were taken 17/9/24 @14.52, <u>20/7/24@13.39</u>, <u>20/7/24@00.24am</u>, 6/7/24 @22.48pm and <u>6/7/24@21.25pm</u>

Regards

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From:

Sent: 11 August 2025 19:32

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Ref: 25/03508/PREMLI

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Please find attached an objection to the licence application for Thornborough Farm. The main objections are as follows:

Redhill Road is, at present, a dangerous road. The speed limit is 60mph, and there have been numerous accidents in the near vicinity of the proposed venue. There are no pavements, and the nearest public transport drops off 1 mile away. This is also a rural area. There are many agricultural vehicles, cyclists and horses. An increase in pedestrians and general traffic will introduce further hazards.

We have had cars spun round in our drive, going through the fence opposite (close to Thornborough) and a recent RTC where a speeding driver was overtaking on a blind bend (the police said there was also an incident near Kings Norton golf club the same night which is the same distance the other side of Thornborough). An RAC driver was nearly killed when a driver came round the bend and drove into the vehicle he was unloading.

Safety is the primary concern, but there is also a serious issue with litter and noise - the verges are already full of bottles, cans and fast food wrappers. Late night drinking and events can only make that worse.

The noise from the events is already disruptive, and music can be clearly heard from our house. Each event being 2 days (minimum), including camping, means that the whole weekend is spoiled. We would also be interested in the child safeguarding plans in place for the family fun days that are currently advertised.

Kind regards

From:

Sent: 04 August 2025 20:29

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Reference 25/03508/PREMLI

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I am writing to you regarding a Permanent Premises Licence Application for Alcohol & Entertainment by Thornborough Farm

My name is and I live with my husband at no and we STRONGLY OBJECT to this proposal.

I have lived at my home for over 19 years and have enjoyed living in this peaceful, beautiful location and have never felt threatened in the area.

Since these venues have been going on at Thornborough Farm there have been noticeable changes around this area.

NOISES

The noise from these events that have taken place so far HAVE been disruptively loud and although this has tried to be addressed, music still travels and peoples screaming and shouting cannot be turned down.

ALCOHOL

Providing people with alcohol will only make matters worse. People get aggressive on alcohol which leads to violence and fighting which can escalate involving the surrounding area and Emergency Services. Considering funds are low using the Emergency Services would contribute to more expense than the Council needs.

SAFETY TO SURROUNDING RESIDENTS.

There is also a safety risk for residents. When these Events finish what is stopping people from wandering around the area.

I have already witnessed seeing people really late of a night (near to midnight) walking up the lane towards the back of Thornborough Farm with torches, singing or staggering bypassing our private lane.

People shouting, walking across the fields shining the light everywhere in the next field next to ours again late of a night.

This is a private gated property and is quite hidden so inviting these people to our area for camping and venues opens us up to being noticed.

ROAD SAFETY

Congestion of traffic going into and out of the event causes a problem especially when there is a long queue in the road which is a safety issue because of the speed of the lane.

Litter is another big problem as there are no signs of any bins provided anywhere so people will use the lane as a rubbish tip.

We the Residents around Forhill and the area deserve to continue a quiet, peaceful life. Making money over people's safety and privacy should not be allowed.

Thornborough Farm is only thinking of the financial side.

It should be used as an Agricultural Field and not an Entertainment Business.

These Events could cause a financial debt to the Residents (ie Damage to property) and to the Government.

PLEASE DENY THIS APPLICATION

Thank you.

From:

Sent: 26 August 2025 08:00

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Re: 25/03508/PREMLI - Objection

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I am writing to OBJECT to licence application 25/03508/PREMLI.

I live in close proximity the event location, Thornborough Events, at Forhill, and as such feel justified in my response below to the above licence application.

My objections are as follows:

- Prevention of public nuisance events held at the location already cause a
 public nuisance (noise nuisance), in my opinion, due to excessive noise from
 loud live and recorded music blasting out into the otherwise peaceful
 environment. I fear that extending the existing temporary licence will result in
 more frequent events spoiling the enjoyment of my property both indoors and
 outside which I feel are impacting my mental
 health.
- 2. Prevention of crime & disorder I am worried about the potential for an increase in crime and disorder a) given the request for extending the alcohol licence and b) the development of a camping field which will be directly adjacent to the North Worcestershire way public footpath and neighbouring properties. Noise, drinking and unruly behaviour is very likely to spill out beyond the licenced period at the camping site. The area particularly the adjacent green belt is already becoming increasingly littered and I feat that there is no provision by the events company for local clear ups during and after each event.
- 3. Public safety traffic turning on and off an fast main road, unlit at night, could result in a serious road traffic accident. There is no public transport adjacent to the site, resulting increased road traffic and the associated negarive environmental impact. Due to absence of public transport there is likely to be an increase in drink/drug driving.

This event location is, simply put, a field located what little remains of green belt in the area, turned over to mediocre live and recorded events. It does not enhance or benefit the location or the local population and should not be permitted

Kind Regards



From:

Sent: 25 August 2025 21:33

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: 25/03508/PREMLI Thornborough Events

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Hello,

I am writing to object to the application for a Premises Licence 25/03508/PREMLI by Thornborough Events. I am a local neighbour living on

After the growth in the number of events being run at Thornborough Farm last year, and the disruption through many summer weekends to my family, and other local neighbours, I contacted Toby Hardman-Dodd (Environmental Health Officer), and I was made aware of other discussions between neighbours and Dave Etheridge from Licensing, Simon Wilkes (Head of Regulatory Services) and also our MP Bradley Thomas. Initially I was unaware of how the Temporary Event Notices process worked but have now some basic understanding. The new permanent premises licence application is very concerning.

The primary issue is about noise. My home is around 400 metres away from the site, although there will be several more much closer (including properties with livestock and other animals). Several of the previous events continue to 11pm and have prevented sleep. There has been an instance of what I would call a 'late night soundcheck' outside of the permitted hours during this season. Previously I have reported that a work colleague who lives on the Alcester Road in Hollywood at approximately 2 miles could hear an earlier festival, in part due the elevated position and open aspect of the site.

The event organisers do not appear to adequately address concerns or be prepared to compromise with members of the local community. One neighbour contacted Sarah Moore, one of the organisers, directly. Among the responses was that the programme was "only 8 events in 52 weeks", which is perhaps disingenuous as in practice the events were concentrated over the summer. This could now increase again significantly with the proposed Permanent Premises licence which paves way for parties, weddings on significantly more days throughout the year. Other complaints regarding late night noise, and motorbikes, had been rebuffed (as I understand) because some events are not "directly organised" by Thornborough Events but instead had a third party responsible. Offering an octogenarian neighbour a free pass to an Ibiza weekend shows little true understanding. All of this, the varying nature of events, and additional late notice TENs applications I understand has made it difficult for the Local Authority team to take much significant action.

Obviously there is a question of balance, and there will be many different opinions and points of view. Green belt countryside is here to be enjoyed by everyone. Certainly I'd be supportive of a few events per year, similar to other outdoor festival sites. The year on year increase of events, proposed to expand further into 2026 and beyond are increasingly disruptive to the local community. Questions should be asked if this is an acceptable or appropriate use of Greenbelt land, and if both the manner of the previous TENs and proposed Permanent licence would set an unwelcome precedent to be tried elsewhere.

I sympathise with the different teams involved from the Local Authority who must deal with complaints and conflict, and I recognise that there are limits to what actions can be taken. However, from Simon Wilkes response to Bradley Thomas last year I was hopeful for a reduction in the negative impact to family life from Thornborough Events activities. The granting of a licence which could see similar music / entertainment twice weekly until 11pm, on Sunday until 10pm, for up to 52 weeks of the year would be extremely (and literally) disturbing.

From:

Sent: 22 August 2025 17:14

To: WRS Enquiries < <u>enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk</u> > **Subject:** License Application Reference 25/03508/PREMLI

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I am writing to object to the granting of permission to operate a licensed entertainment business on agricultural land at Thornborough Farm. They have already run events and the noise generated was intolerable and was so loud that picture frames moved on the walls. This is not acceptable in a peaceful rural environment. I value the peace and quiet and cannot conceive that anyone would imagine it suitable to destroy the peace and quiet by operating such events, especially on a regular basis that would give us no reprieve.

If the license were to be granted, we would need to move away as soon as possible, but it is quite likely that no-one would want to move into such an environment so the value of our home would be substantially reduced making it impossible to move.

As well as the unacceptable noise, I would have concerns about security and traffic with strangers to the area taking wrong turns and ending up blocking the narrow lanes in this area with potential road rage spilling over into local properties and impacting local drivers.

There is an undoubted lack of public transport and with alcohol on sale to people who have arrived in their own vehicles the risk of accidents, perhaps involving local residents, could be significant.

Please do not grant permission for any such events to take place in the agricultural field that is so close to where I had hoped to quietly enjoy my retirement.

Yours sincerely



From: Councillor C Hotham <> Sent: 21 August 2025 10:58

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Objection to application 25/03508/ preml. Thornbouogh Farm Hopwood.

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Dear WRS.

Please could I submit the attached objection.

Kind Regards C Hotham.

Please note: I do not support the proposed Bromsgrove Local Plan Consultation and oppose it. The plan lacks cohesion between housing, employment and infrastructure. I am working with fellow Independent Councillors in our Area to reduce the housing allocation for Barnt Green, Alvechurch and surrounding area.

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- Prevention of public nuisance
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From: 25 August 2025 15:5

Sent: 25 August 2025 15:53

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: REF:25/03508/PREMLI

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Dear sirs,

We are writing in respect of the above Ref . It has been brought to our attention that Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road have applied for a licence application for alcohol and entertainment at Thornborough farm which is an agricultural field and we believe they have already breached planning laws by running an entertainment business on an agricultural field. We as residents of strongly object to any licence being issued based on disturbances we have had relating to this site in particular noise .other problems it would create would be traffic, security ,litter, detriment to our peace and quiet of our home in a rural area and possibly a decrease in the value of our property.

Regards

From:

Sent: 25 August 2025 17:22

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: 25/03508/PREMLI - Objection

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Dear licensing team,

I am writing to formally object to recent licence application 25/03508/PREMLI.

I live at which is very close the proposed event location, just a couple of fields away.

My objections relate to the licensing objectives below:

- 1. prevention of public nuisance The site is already causing a public nuisance by way of excessive noise from live music, playing of recorded music and the DJ/public announcements associated with them. We have made numerous complaints about existing events which spoil the enjoyment of out property. Noise from the events is very load at out home. You can often feel the base and hear every lyric of the music. The music can be so loud that it can even be heard in doors. They do not appear to have made any provision for remote monitoring of sound or any consideration for neighbouring properties. Please do not increase the distress that this causes us by increasing the number of events.
- 2. the prevention of crime & disorder We raise concerns about the potential for an increase in crime and disorder often associated with alcohol and excessive drinking. Also the potential for disorder from the associated camping field which has direct access to the north Worcestershire way public footpath and neighbouring properties. Noise and drinking will likely continue at the camping site beyond the events official end time.
- 3. public safety traffic turning on and off the fast main road is also a concern.

Please can you confirm receipt of my complaint

Best Regards

From

Sent: 26 August 2025 17:31

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Re: 25/03508/PREMLI

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Dear sirs,

We are writing with regards to the proposed Premises Licence application in relation to the site at Thornborough Farm.

This is, by definition, an agricultural site with land designated for agricultural purposes and yet it is seemingly being used now for entertainment use, in contravention of the applicable planning laws.

We live in one of a number of properties close to the site and at various times last year, and this, have had our evenings and nights blighted by the noise coming from various events on the site. So much so that it is impossible to sleep with windows open, or shut, well into the night.

On one occasion last year, the live "music" finished at 11pm, to then be superceded by a "disco" which was even louder and which went on until 1pm.

We live in a rural area and do not expect to have our peace and quiet continuously disturbed in this way. It is possible, even during the afternoons when these events are in progress, to still hear loud music well over a mile away from the site.

There are plenty of music and event venues within the Midlands area, in purpose built or far more suitable locations, without the need to bring havoc and disturbance to a rural location.

These events do not in any way benefit the local community. There are no shops or significant hospitality venues to benefit from an influx of people.

This is purely a cynical attempt to misuse farmland to make a quick profit, and given the location of the site, and many other far more suitable locations in the general area, an attempt which will ultimately fail as a business, doing nothing other than upsetting a great number of local residents in the meantime.

This is no case of "Nimby-ism" either. I attended a great many very loud music festivals in the past, including the first 5 Monsters of Rock festivals at Castle Donnington. However, these were held far away from residential sites, in suitable and appropriate locations.

A number of our neighbours are elderly, or unwell, and they in particular do not need the stress and disturbance that these events bring. People chose to move to, and live in, rural areas for the peace and quiet, not to live next to some half arsed version of Glastonbury.

We were somewhat dismayed to hear that the local Council and Police thought that this is a suitable location for these types of events, which shows a complete lack of appreciation for the local community. Maybe an alternative location for these events could be found near to the homes of the Council members/Police who approved the initial application, so that they can enjoy the noise, traffic and general disturbance?

If these events are allowed to continue and increase, then these activities will be highlighted also on any property searches conducted by solicitors as and when residents wish to sell their properties. Presumably then we will be able to claim against the Council for any reduction in the market value of our properties as a direct result of a decision to grant a Licence.

We hope that common sense, together with a respect of the right of the ability to have peaceful enjoyment of one's own property, will prevail.

Yours faithfully

I moved to my current address to improve my health and wellbeing in a rural setting having previously lived in an urban location that was blighted by noise and light pollution. I was dismayed when, contrary to all the searches conducted during conveyancing, it came to be that Thornborough Farm began running events at weekends that created precisely what I thought I had escaped from, with incessant noise pollution during weekend events, accompanied by light pollution and also a very noticeable change in the local environment, such as considerable litter strewn around the private roads between Lea End Lane and Forhill Court.

The existing events are already intolerable, meaning the whole weekend is blighted, so there is no chance to relax and recharge after a week at work. Quiet enjoyment of my home is impossible with constant unwanted noise being generated from Thornborough Farm.

I wish it would all be stopped as it is not at all in keeping with the rural setting. I am thoroughly dismayed to now learn that the exact opposite is proposed, with a massive increase in disruption on many more weekends and also on weekdays. This will disrupt ability for peace, quiet and rest during the working week as well as at weekends.

In summary, my concerns and reasons for objection are on the following grounds:

Noise and light pollution
Security
Litter
Traffic
General disruption from the site
Detriment to the peace and quiet of homes in a rural area
Destroying the openness of the Greenbelt
Decrease in my property value

I urge all recipients of this mail to please have regard for the massive detrimental impact the proposals would have on the lives of local residents if the application was

approved. Please represent the interests of residents by rejecting the application and allowing us to maintain quiet enjoyment of our homes and surrounding area. Simply wanting to live peacefully in our homes is not a lot to ask, please help us by taking the right decision to protect our health and wellbeing.

Yours faithfully

From:

Sent: 27 August 2025 14:55

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk > **Subject:** Fwd: Thornborough Farm. Ref 25/03508/PREMLI

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From

Date: 27 August 2025 at 13:25:22 BST

To:

Subject: Thornborough Farm. Ref 25/03508/PREMLI

Dear Kiran,

As near neighbours of the above property I wish to register the deep concerns of my husband and myself to the proposed licence application for alcohol and entertainment. We have, over the years, put up with the various challenges and disruptions presented by the activities of the proprietors of the "Farm", but we now feel that this licence application is a step too far.

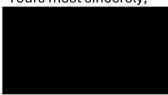
Apart from the noise pollution, already an issue with the clay pigeon shoot that destroys the peace of our Sunday, this will be happening over whole weekends. I'm assuming this is in addition to the pigeon shoot, so the sanctity of outdoor activities is going to be destroyed. We aren't even able to escape to our relatives in Kings Norton, because the sounds carry as far as Kings Norton Green!!

I don't even want to go into the dangers of travelling along the main Clewshaw Lane, a busy road, compounded by the extra traffic trying to enter and exit from the site., already being seen with the car boot sale at the weekends.

Add in the security, litter and general disruption that will come from the site and the total disruption that will happen to our lives, then you may appreciate the reason why we are so concerned about this issue.

PLEASE TAKE OUR CONCERNS SERIOUSLY!!!

Yours most sincerely,



Sent from my iPhone

From:

Sent: 23 August 2025 09:55

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Licence Thornborough farm Redhill Road

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sent from my Dear sir,

Reference 25/03508/PREMLI

I'm writing on behalf of my family, I visited only a couple of weeks ago and thought that they had the radio on in the garden. The sound was so loud I could easily of recorded it. My family and neighbours live in a quiet rural setting, some living there for Over 60 years. And only since this field has been used has there been so much interference of a peaceful way of life.

Some people there are elderly and rightly so are very concerned about security and safety especially those living alone. As alcohol on tap from 1200 till 2300 will mean some may well cause trouble for the locals as well as people driving under the influence could cause accidents.

Also there would be considerably more traffic using the country lanes as well as Redhill road which is already a very fast road.

I would suggest that those who are in power and have the authority to pass this come out and visit the local people on a day when the venue is being used and they would see for themselves that this is totally unsuitable. And as they want to open this up to weddings it would cause even more difficulty with weekday traffic and noise.

So obviously i call for this license to be rejected and hope when you receive and see for yourselves this is totally incompatible for this area and for all those living there.

Yours sincerely

From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 12:08

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: 25/03508/PREMLI

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Further to the application we wish to make the following comments in relation to the application .

The applicants have been arranging events on the grounds for a number of years with no regard to the local residents, there was an event last year and the music was so loud that we recorded a sound level of above 50 DBA at our rear bedroom windows, we contacted Trornborough events and were told that the only constraint they needed to meet was 87 DB at the stage, the event continued over the weekend with the music only stopping at 1.30 am on the Sunday morning.

This issue was also reported to Bromsgrove Council who had had a number of complaints but to our knowledge no further action was taken as it was arranged under an emergency permit.

The field that the events are held on is supposed to be green belt in a conversation area and yet Trornborough events are holding at least 20 car boot sales on Sundays together with all the events both planned and future events advertised which exceeds the 28 days indicated on the application .

We found a rejected planning permission to start a small equestrian school adjacent to the events field rejected but then it was submitted under another name and the school has not yet received planning however the school is in operation , this does not fill us with any confidence that the restrictions will be followed as the application states . We are also concerned with the traffic issues which was one of the reasons the school was refused planning yet the application seems to suggest the could be up to 200 people attending events which due to the non existence of any local transport there would be around 100 cars at best arriving and leaving the site . The site entrance has no formed entrance with the gate just set back from the road with no area for cars to drive off the road before entering the site (this is an issue each time there is a boot sate as the cash for parking / pitches is taken at the gate to the site with no personnel from the event controlling the traffic at the end of the sale)

As you can see as a local resident, we are extremely concerned about the direct effects on us plus the ever expanding use of a agricultural field without any proper planning permissions that any other change of use would be subject to .

Regards



From:

Sent: 27 August 2025 21:37

To: PlanScan - WCC

Subject: Fwd: Ref:25/03508/PREMLI

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From

Date: 26 August 2025 at 20:50:17 BST **To:** enquiries@worscregservices.gov.uk

Subject: Ref:25/03508/PREMLI

To whom it many concern, we would like to object to the 25/03508/PREMLI for Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road.

Our main concerns are as follows:

The noise and detriment to the peace and quiet of our homes in the rural area, the events are already very noisy with the sound travelling across the farms and houses in the areas disrupting the peace in the area. The existing events seems to have more than 200 already attending the events.

The traffic and access to site is of concern, already when the car boot is on most Sundays the traffic is chaotic and on a country road with the national speed limit it's pretty dangerous. My understanding is that there have already been a number of accidents.

We've not had any security concerns as yet but we are worried that increased alcohol and entertainment may cause problems in the future.

Having events potentially every weekend would also devalue of property.

Thanks

From:

Sent: 27 August 2025 18:58

To: Kiran Lahel <>

Subject: Application Reference Number 25/03508/PREMLI

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I am writing to object to the application by Thornborough Farm to operate an entertainment venue in an agricultural field.

We have already endured these events on multiple occasions and they have caused noise disturbance for local residents, which should not happen in a rural, green belt area. The location is unsuitable for use by large numbers of people. The road is a small country lane and is the main access road for everybody living in the area. Several hundred vehicles descending on the area will cause disruption to people going about their daily lives, as the entrance and exit will be unable to accommodate this much traffic. This will cause queues and accidents will be more likely as drivers will not be expecting the road to be so busy.

The unlimited sale of alcohol every weekend during the summer will increase noise pollution, especially when the sale will continue after the extreme noise from live and recorded music ends. In addition, there is a lack of emergency provision in the area, with the nearest hospitals being some distance away, and this could cause any incidents to have more serious consequences. This could also impact our security as any disturbance or violence from people who have consumed large quantities of alcohol is not guaranteed to be contained to the site, but likely to spread to the local area. It is not possible for law enforcement to reach the site quickly if needed, due to the distance from any police resources.

I am also concerned about the increase in litter which seems to accompany festivals. It seems to be accepted that people will leave anything and everything behind when they leave these sites and this is unlikely to be contained on the site itself. This would constitute a nuisance for area residents and local livestock alike.

I think the area is not likely to enhance the local area. It would decrease property values considerably as it would constitute a public nuisance rather than an attraction.

Thank you for your consideration of this objection.



From:

Sent: 26 August 2025 16:27

To: Kiran Lahel < **Cc:** WRS Enquiries <

Subject: Thornhill Farm Redhill Road.

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Ref: 25/03508/PREMLI

It has come to our attention that Thornhill Farm have applied for a Premises License.

We live in the local area to the said Thornhill Farm and find it very disturbing that such a license is being applied for.

This is very much a rural area where a lot of the land is for agricultural use and adjacent to the proposed site is an animal sanctuary.

The granting of such a licence would vastly increase the noise level and create disturbance and distress.

In the past previous events have caused traffic incidents, noise pollution, stress to the animals at the sanctuary, persons strolling around private estates/farm land and affected the local wild life.

Local businesses would also be greatly affected by such a licence being granted and local properties would have their values greatly reduced.

We therefore strongly oppose this application.

Regards

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Agenda Item 4



Worcestershire Regulatory Services, Licensing, Wyre Forest House, FinePoint Way, Kiddiminister, DY11 7WF

27/8/2025

Application Ref and Reference No: 25/03508/PREMLI

To whom it may concern,

In response to the above application for an alcohol licence for Thornborough Events at Thornborough Farm, Redhill Road, Kings Norton, Worcestershire, we must strongly object on many grounds.

Firstly, we have had several conversations with your Environmental Health Officer, Toby Hardman concerning;

- 1) Exceptional noise from music events at Thornborough Farm.
- 2) Foul language over the microphones.
- Traffic noise including constant motorbike/ scooters going up and down Redhill Rd, outside our home and business.
- 4) General disruption from the site.
- 5) Detriment to the peace and quiet of our home in this rural area.
- 6) This is of course, green belt land and meant for agricultural use.

All of the above are under scrutiny already by various council departments of which we are waiting for an outcome due to an intolerable situation for all local residents. Therefore we object to any further applications in addition.

We run a boarding cattery established over forty years and our customers bring their animals to us for a peaceful, quiet stay in a rural area. We are now having to talk to our customers over extremely loud events:

Reggae and SKA music weekends

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- 80's music weekends.
- 90's music weekends.
- Sausage and cider music weekends
- Blues music weekends.
- Plus more events that are not listed on the Thornborough events website

The local residents were never consulted about any of the above and we all pray for rain at the weekends, for some peace and quiet. These events surely must be stopped and definitely not expanded on in any way, including alcohol.

Whoever is making the decisions on the above, can they please have the consideration to firstly have all of this noise and disruption outside of their homes for the amount of time we residents do and let us know why it should be inflicted upon us.

To conclude, it would be totally inappropriate for an alcohol licence to be granted in such close proximity to a special needs school for young children.

21/8/2025

We await your reply.

27/8/25.

Yours Faithfully,



From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 09:48

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Cc:

Subject: Thornborough events premises licence

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Dear Sir/ Madam

Just a short email regarding the above. I am fully in favour of the above application. Having attended several of the events held on the field I have seen no anti-social behaviour, just people enjoying the events they are well organised. The music is never too loud and always finishes at the time's stated. The events also provide employment for site support staff who are always friendly and helpful

Your faithfully

Sent via BT Email App

From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 06:49

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Thornborough Events Venue

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Dear Sirs

I write offing my support for Thornborough Events application for a premises licence.

I have helped with catering at the event venue on various occasions and every time the events are professionally managed by the Thornborugh team. Facilities are clean and there are plenty of staff available to help in hi viz jackets.

The venue, with its distance from the road, is perfect for these events which are not too loud or finish too late. The events I have attended have been real family affairs with all ages having fun.

On a personal level I live just a mile away from the venue and I believe it is an asset to the local community.

I highly recommend that the premises licence is granted

Yours Sincerely

From:

Sent: 27 August 2025 20:53

To: WRS Enquiries <enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk>

Subject: In support of Sarah and Ken Moore at Thornborough Events

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Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to express my unequivocal support for the events held at Thornborough Farm. Having attended most of the events in 2024 and 2025, I can attest to their professional organisation. The atmosphere has consistently been fantastic, and all attendees have thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

On several occasions, I have helped out behind the bar and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Everyone I observed behaved in a friendly and orderly manner, and I never witnessed any issues or problems.

Although security is present and ready to assist if needed, I have never seen them in action. The grounds are meticulously maintained, with staff regularly picking up litter and collecting plastic glasses.

I have thoroughly enjoyed every event I have attended, feeling completely safe and welcomed. Every person I have spoken with has been exceptionally friendly and welcoming.

The music has been consistently fabulous. Moreover, the events always conclude before 11pm out of respect for the neighbouring homes.

I firmly believe that these special events play a vital role in uniting the community, especially during challenging times. The joy they bring to attendees is unmistakably evident.

I fully support the Thornborough Events Team and extend my gratitude for their exceptional entertainment.

For any further clarifications, please feel free to contact me.

From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 13:37

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Thornborough Events Support

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I write to support the Thornborough Events with their application. I can honestly say, these events are organised, run well and you feel safe. They are aimed at not only adults but families too and therefore are strict with their finishing times.

I think it would be a fantastic permanent way to keep community together at events that everyone can enjoy.

Kind regards,

| From: | | |
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Sent: 27 August 2025 20:48

To: WRS Enquiries <enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk>

Cc:

Subject: Thornborough Events

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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my appreciation for the outstanding events hosted by Thornborough Events. Having attended numerous occasions, I can confidently say they are consistently well-organized and professionally run.

Security is always present at the gates, ensuring that only ticket holders are admitted, which creates a safe and controlled environment.

Throughout the events, litter pickers are regularly seen maintaining cleanliness, ensuring rubbish is properly disposed of in the bins provided.

In addition to attending, I've also worked behind the bar at several events. The team is always punctual in closing service at 11pm, adhering to regulations and maintaining a respectful atmosphere.

I have never encountered any issues at any of the events I've attended or worked at. Thornborough Events truly set a high standard, and I would highly recommend them to anyone considering attending or collaborating with them.

Kind regards

From:

Sent: 27 August 2025 21:26

To: WRS Enquiries <enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk>

Subject: In support of Sarah and Ken Moore at Thornborough Farm Events

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To whom it may concern

As a long-time lover of live music and a member of the local community, I was thrilled to hear about the live music festivals organised by Thornborough Events over the past two years.

My friends, family, and I have attended most of the events, as we belong to a generation that truly appreciates excellent live music.

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to the organisers for crafting such an enjoyable and atmospheric experience.

Attending a well-organised event where the organisers prioritise tidiness and safety for all attendees is truly commendable.

As a result, I have recommended local families to attend, and they have all thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Additionally, I've met people who travel from afar and consistently return for these events.

I believe these events are exceptionally beneficial for the local community, particularly during these challenging times.

The professionalism demonstrated by the staff in all their roles is truly reassuring.

Should you need to get in touch with me, please do not hesitate to reach out.

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| To whom it may concern, |
| It has come to my attention that Mr Ken Moore is applying for a premises license. Myself and my family regularly attend the events and have always had a pleasant experience. The events are always well organised, the facilities are always kept clean and tidy and it remains a friendly atmosphere throughout the evenings. On the odd occasion we stay at my parents farm to the event field and whenever we have I can 100% guarantee the events have finished exactly on time. From experience living at my parents I know that woodrush rugby club and also the Hayes both have events throughout the year, given the close proximity of these locations I wonder if people are assuming that Mr. Moore is having more events on his field then reality. |
| If I can be of any further assistance please get in touch. |
| Kind regards |
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Many thanks

From:

Sent: 27 August 2025 21:26

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Support for Thornborough Events

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I understand that Thornborough events have applied for a premises licence.

We are live within a 20 minute walk of the venue and have been lucky enough to have visited a few of their events.

They are always well organised, feel safe, and are suitable for the whole family. Everyone is welcomed and there has not been any trouble or rowdiness at any of the events we have been too.

In my opinion we need more of these types of events in the South Birmingham area to support music in a beautiful setting, which does not detract from the natural beauty of the area and does not impede or disturb local residents.

They do a fabulous job and we are already planning what events to go to next year.

Yours faithfully

With reference to premises license application at Thornborough Farm Redhill Road Kings Norton

27/08/25

To whom it may concern

I am the Manager and Trustee at Happy Fields Animal sanctuary. We are direct neighbours to the Thornborough events fields, and our land historically formed part of the wider Thornborough Farm holding prior to its acquisition by the Charity.

The owner of the adjoining land Mr Moore has always been a kind and considerate neighbour having assisted Happy fields in many ways including the provision of a water supply, (due to the delayed installation of our own) and helping (at no charge) with the repair of fences, storm damaged roofs etc.

We are the most direct neighbour to the events fields and have had absolutely no issues whatsoever. In fact, the increased foot fall has only helped enhance the Charity's profile.

Mr Moore was also kind enough to ask if the volume of music from events was causing any issue or discomfort with our animals and always keeps us informed of anything that he has planned for the site prior to going ahead. Although we have never had cause to challenge any planned operation, I feel sure if we had any objection then Mr Moore would accommodate us.

As the Organisation most likely to be affected by these events, due to our very close proximity, I would like to state that we have no objection at all and will offer our continued support.

Kind Regards



From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 10:47

To: WRS Enquiries <enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk>

Subject: Support for Thornborough Events

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To whom it may concern:

I am writing to give my support to Thornborough Events in their application for a Premises Licence.

The team behind Thornborough Events have run successful, family -friendly events for several years, which have been a much-valued source of entertainment for the community. They have supported local musicians and food vendors who cater at the events. We need venues like Thornborough Events to thrive - they bring people together, enhance community wellbeing, and provide income for musicians and vendors.

Their events have been very well organised and safe, and have adhered to the licensing requirements.

In addition to their popular music and family events, Thornborough are offering the site as a wedding venue. As a celebrant, I have worked with them to help promote this. The site is an excellent location for a wedding venue, being safe, level and easily accessible. Having a Premises Licence would be a distinct advantage for Thornborough in promoting the site as a venue for hire. It would open more choice in the events market, offering a value-for-money option for families looking to celebrate weddings and other special occasions.

I fully support Thornborough Events in their application for a Premises Licence. Yours Sincerely,







Dear Sir/Madam

Re: Thornborough events license application. Redhill Rd, Kings Norton

I am one of the Managers at Riverside Farm which is a neighbouring property of the Thornborough Farm events fields.

Riverside farm was formerly part of Thornborough farm and the site was acquired from the owners Mr and Mrs Moore a number of years ago.

We have had many interactions throughout the years with the Moore family and attended many of the events held on their site. We also visit regularly with the (SEN) students that are in our care, many of whom attend Riverside farm regularly as part of their vocational studies.

I wish to state categorically that the events are operated in an extremely professional and secure manner that provides a very safe and enjoyable space for all to enjoy.

Road traffic is managed very well and kept within the boundaries of the site and there are always Marshalls and security on hand to oversee the operations.

Noise is kept within sensible limits in consideration of our livestock, and the events close down at reasonable times.

In my experience I have found both the owners and staff to be more than accommodating and happy to assist with any requests, particularly with our less able and nervous students that have visited the site.

We consider this to be a valuable asset that has brought variety and interest to the community, and the owners have our full support.

Kind Regards



From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 17:31

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >;

Subject: Fw: Thornborough events

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To whom it may concern.

I live on Redhill road and am writing to confirm that I am in support of the premises license application at Thornborough events.

I live very close to the venue and never had any cause for concern regarding these events. The music always seems at a reasonable level and doesn't finish too late. In fact, we enjoy attending some if the events as the organizers give free tickets to the local residents.

The events are all well organized and appropriately staffed.

Kind regards

From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 17:35

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Thornborough events Ground

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Dear Licensing Committee,

I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to each member of the Thornborough Events team for there professionalism, friendliness, and dedication during our recent It's a 90's Thing event. Under the careful guidance of Sarah and Ken, the event was executed with impressive attention to detail and strict adherence to all regulations.

I greatly appreciated the strong security presence on the Site and car park, with staff in hi-vis jackets ensuring safety, along with the dedicated toilet attendants and well-manned bar. The sound systems were also perfectly regulated, ensuring compliance with decibel limits and contributing to a safe and enjoyable atmosphere. Additionally, I sincerely appreciated that the event finished right on time, which made everything run smoothly and efficiently.

With warm regards,



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| Sent: 28 August 2025 17:14 |
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| Subject: Thornborough Events Field |
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| Dear Sir/Madam, |
| It has recently come to my attention that there has been something of an 'outcry' to the news that the Thornborough Events field is applying for a Premises Licence rather than operating under successive TENs. |
| I hope that these 'outraged citizens' will be given the short shrift they deserve as, if they knew anything about licensing, they would surely be pleased that Thornborough Events was opting to place themselves under more stringent conditions. |
| I've attended a few of the events run by Mr Moore and have always found them well run, well policed/secure, well maintained in terms of litter, and extremely well received by locals, neighbours, and those who travel some distance to attend. |
| On top of that I am good friends with one of Mr Moore's neighbours, several evenings in garden enjoying the 'second-hand music' wafting across the field and have always been surprised at how promptly the evenings finish. Whoever heard of a gig finishing on time!? |
| In my experience Mr Moore has never been anything other than conscientious and considerate in all his operations pertaining to Thornborough Events and I cannot believe this backlash is anything other than nimbyism by people with too much time on their hands. |
| These events offer something different and exciting at affordable rates. They're well run, well managed, well maintained, and popular. Why on earth wouldn't that be encouraged. |
| I look forward to Mr Moore receiving his Premises Licence soon and me being able to buy him a pint to congratulate him. |
| Best wishes, |
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From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 16:51

To: WRS Enquiries <enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk>;

Subject: FW: Ref: Ken Moore, Thornborough farm, Redhill road B38 9EH

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From:

Sent: Wednesday, August 27, 2025 10:35 AM

To: 'enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk' < enquiries@worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Cc:

Subject: Ref: Ken Moore, Thornborough farm, Redhill road B38 9EH



Dear Sir/Madam

I want to be completely transparent from the outset: I am a close friend of **Ken Moore**, the owner of the Thornborough events field. However, this closeness does not influence my perspective—as one of the nearest neighbours to the site, I'd be just as concerned about noise or disruption as anyone else. If my support is discounted because of this friendship, then the same reasoning should fairly be applied to objectors living further away.

It is also worth noting that Ken is applying for a **Premises Licence**, rather than continuing to rely on repeated **Temporary Event Notices (TENs)**. While a TEN may suit very occasional, small-scale events, it comes with strict limits on capacity, duration, and number of uses per year. A Premises Licence, on the other hand, provides a single, comprehensive framework that sets out clear conditions for noise control, safety, and community protection. This approach ensures accountability, consistency, and long-term clarity—making it the more responsible option for a site hosting regular, well-managed events.

I have never had cause to raise concerns with Ken about these events—for good reason, they are well-run and respectful of the local community. I would not tolerate excessive noise, antisocial behaviour, or litter, and I know Ken would not expect his neighbours to either. In fact, music has always finished on time, and the site has been well kept afterwards.

My wife and I enjoy attending these events ourselves. They give us the chance to meet others from the community, and we always return home without late-night disturbance. On occasion, we've even helped neighbours along Bell Green Lane find their way home after a fun evening—an example of the friendly and supportive atmosphere these gatherings create.

In a time when living costs are high and ticket prices at larger venues are becoming unaffordable, the Thornborough events field offers something invaluable: affordable, local entertainment that allows people to try something new. Personally, I never expected to attend reggae or country and western concerts, yet I did—and I thoroughly enjoyed them. It was also wonderful to see how far people had travelled to experience something special in this setting, so close to Birmingham.

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I also had the pleasure of chatting with a wood-fired pizza vendor at one event this year, simply picking up some home cooking tips—a small but meaningful takeaway.

As a local business owner and member of the Entrepreneurs Circle, I cannot emphasise enough how important it is to support this kind of diversification. These events are culturally enriching, socially beneficial, and provide genuine economic value to the local area.

For all these reasons—my perspective as a near neighbour, the professional approach of a Premises Licence, and the significant community benefits—I fully support **Ken Moore's** application and encourage the council to approve it.



From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 16:47

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Fwd: Premises licence

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Subject: Premises licence

To whom it may concern

My name and I've been a permanent food vender to every event at Thornborough events on Redhill road kings Norton Birmingham for the last 3 years, ild like to fully support the licence application, the owners of this site Ken and Sarah run a very professional operation there, and there has never been any issues at tall, the site is kept very clean and tidy there always plenty of of staff on hand to help anyone needing anything, the events contrary to some emails I've seen never every run over there allocated times or to loud, it's good to see how Ken and Sarah help the local community with many of the local traders coming to sell there goods and one of the

local pubs also very happy that Ken and Sarah sell there beer, there have never been any traffic issues as the site is so big never been any trouble, just a happy environment for the guests with an average age of between 40 to 70 plus as you can see from the titles of the events.

Kind regards

From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 16:28

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Thornborough events

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Hello

I'm writing to you regarding Thornborough Events.

I live close to the site of the event field and I would like to state that I have no issues with the events being held there at all.

They are well run, I can hear the music but it is not at all loud and it always finishes promptly at the stated time.

I believe Mr Moore is in the process of applying for a Premises License which I would fully support.

Regards

Sent from my iPhone

From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 18:28

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Support for Thornborough events

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To whom it may concern.

I wish to express my support for thornborough events to obtain a premise license. I have recently attended two events which have been extremely well organised and managed. It is a great way to bring communities together in a friendly environment.

Kind regards

From:

Sent: 28 August 2025 22:14

To: WRS Enquiries < enquiries @worcsregservices.gov.uk >

Subject: Thornborough Events

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Good evening,

Apologies for the late email. I was guided to write to you about the events held by Thornborough Events before midnight tonight.

I have had the opportunity to attend these events both as a guest and in a supporting capacity. On every occasion, the events have been conducted to a consistently high standard. The staff demonstrate professionalism, dedication, and courtesy, contributing to a safe and welcoming environment.

The venue is maintained to an excellent standard of cleanliness and order throughout, and all events conclude promptly at 11pm, thereby ensuring there is no disruption to neighbouring residents.

To my knowledge, no issues or complaints have ever arisen in connection with these events. They are managed with great care, efficiency, and professionalism at all times.

Please let me know if you require any more information.

Kind regards,