

Appendix B

John Davies

From: Sadie Hawson
 Sent: 03 February 2010 09:54
 To: John Davies
 Subject: Domino's Pizza Lat Night Refreshment

Dear John

Following Environmental Health consultation on Domino's Pizza, 200 New Road, Rubery, Late night Refreshment Licence application I would make the following comments:

Commercial

We have no concerns in relation to this application on Health and Safety or Food Safety grounds which meet with the 4 licensing Objectives.

General

P part d) The prevention of public nuisance has been missed and I would request that in order to reduce the risk of noise from customers leaving the premises late at night and disturbing the local residents that a notice be put up within the business, which the public can see before exist to the premises. The sign could read; 'patrons/or customers leaving the premises are requested to respect local residence and therefore to do so quietly' or 'On leaving the premises, late at night, please ensure you keep noise levels to a minimum to prevent disturbing our neighbours' or a words to similar effect.

It is also understood that the late night refreshment licence is currently outside the planning permission granted for this premises and that this fact will be highlighted to them by yourselves.

Thank you for your help during our discussion on this matter.

Kind regards

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12th February 2010

Ref: Extended opening hours – Domino's Pizza 200# New Road Rubery.

Dear Ms. Smith

I am writing to formally object to the proposed extended opening hours applied for by Domino's Pizza 200#.

My objections are as follows:

1. There is already a noise problem from people collecting food and sitting in cars with radios at a high volume level, talking/shouting to each other with the existing opening hours. Any extension to these hours will only aggravate the problem.
2. Extending the hours will only encourage additional unruly customers from further afield to cause further nuisance/noise later into the night when people are trying to sleep.
3. Litter is an existing problem in the immediate area to the front side and rear of the premises. Any extended hours will obviously cause an increase in this volume of litter. Are the Council to arrange for clearance of this litter?

I would also bring to your attention that I only learnt about this application from a friend in another part of Rubery, The Standard is not delivered to my home, and surely I should have been notified directly by yourselves as I live in the immediate vicinity.

I look forward to receiving your comments to the above.

Yours faithfully

Sharon Smith
Licensing Section
Bromsgrove District Council
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9 February 2010

Domino's Pizza: 200 New Road Rubery

Dear Ms Smith,

I refer to the application by Domino's Pizzas for extended opening:

1.00 am on Friday and Saturday

12.00 midnight Sunday to Thursday

I wish to register my objection to these proposals.

As a resident of one of the flats situated over this parade of retail outlets, I'm already only too aware of the increased level of activity and noise in the service road, as a result of the "comings and goings" of the pizza delivery drivers. Whilst this may not necessarily present a huge problem during the winter months, during the summer, when we residents are more likely to have our windows open, my view is that extending these activities into the early hours will prove unacceptably intrusive. Also, a pizza shop open this late at night may act as a "magnet" to groups of youngsters - leading to an unwelcome increase in noise and general disturbance.

I must also add that on health grounds, can we really consider it to be appropriate to encourage anyone, young or old, to eat pizza so late at night?

Yours sincerely,

10th February 2010

Mr John Davies
Licensing Section
Bromsgrove District Council
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Dear Sir,

Re: Dominos Pizza 200 New Road Rubery B45 9JA

I wish to object to the application for extended opening hours for the above named business on the grounds of noise and nuisance for the following reasons.

I have had complaints from my tenants living above the premises [REDACTED] New Road and from tenants in my property at [REDACTED] New Road that **customers and delivery drivers working from the premises sit outside in their cars with stereos blasting out loud music into the night, whilst waiting for their orders to be prepared. The other problem is gangs of customers outside the premises shouting and laughing loudly, especially at night, having a smoke while their orders are prepared and quite often hanging around for long periods while consuming their food outside and talking and shouting. When people come from the pub in the evening they tend to be louder.**

Then the staff clean down and close up, closing the metal shutters and saying good night, getting in their cars to go home about half an hour or so after closing time.

I think the hours they are trading should be at least kept as they are and certainly not extended so that the local residents do not have to endure this nuisance any later into the early hours of the morning.

Yours faithfully

[REDACTED]

Dear Sharon Smith

I am writing to you to oppose the extending opening hours of Domino's Pizza, 200, New Rd, Rubery. firstly I would like you to take into consideration that there are occupied flats above the shops in new Rd. we already have to put up with youths hanging around the shops, banging shutters, people who wish to purchase pizza's are often sitting in their cars late at night playing there music loud whilst waiting for their pizza. Dominos drivers parking underneath shop windows playing car stereo's loud. They bang around at the back late at night whilst emptying bins, slamming bin lids and there back door. And as you can well imagine them closing there shutters down at gone 1 am waking everybody up. Most people who live in these flats are hard working people and do not want any more

disruption to their sleep, so please
when making your final decision you
take note of the issues I have raised
Sirico Dominos moved into the area
with their late night openings it
has caused a lot of extra noise.

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Dear

Sharon Smith

After receiving your letter about the opening times of Domino's pizza I would like to object to the licensing committee for this action to be carried forward.

Due to living right above domino's pizza I am disturbed on a regular basis and therefore would not be happy for this to happen any later of an evening.

Due to my work commitments
I have to get up at
4:30 am therefore
would not like to be
disturbed any longer than
needed.

Sharon Smith,
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To whom it may concern,

I am writing in response to the application for Domino's Pizza, 200 New Road, Rubery, to extend their opening hours, until 12 Midnight Monday to Thursday and 1am Fridays and Saturdays.

As a resident who lives above the premises in question I wish to express my objection to these plans, an objection supported by my wife and my neighbours.

At present, Domino's Pizza has a specific impact on the residents of New Road. This impact includes:

- Litter abandoned outside the store and the surrounding area, including on the access steps to our properties.
- Noise pollution later in the evening, specifically relating to cars pulling up outside with excessive noise from their stereos, and customers standing outside the store whilst waiting or eating.
- Noise from the back of the store where staff take their breaks or use the bins.
- Cars belonging to the delivery drivers enter the service road at speed and have also been parked with no or little consideration to other people. There have also been occasions when this has led to damage to cars, including my car which has had the front bumped and number plate damaged.

Though this impact is frustrating and distracting to me and neighbouring residents, we begrudgingly accept this, as I acknowledge that the area below us is a place of commerce.

My concern is that extended hours will impact us further, with the above impacts worsening, due to the time of night the store will be open.

Extended opening hours also adds further concerns for me:

- Excessive noise in the early hours of the morning is disturbing, and, specifically for my wife, can be alarming and scary when she is on her own at home.
- The target audience for these hours must be, presumably, the people who leave the New Rose and Crown opposite. I feel that it is fair to say that those that have been drinking to the early hours are more likely to make noise and leave litter.
- There have also been incidents between customers of the pub that have occasionally involved the police. Later opening hours will encourage these people to stay on New Road longer, after the pub has closed, and could add to the incidents that have and still do occur.

In summary, any extension of opening hours for Domino's Pizza will lead to further disruption and a negative impact on my neighbours and I, and, as such I must object completely to this proposal.