

VIVIEN HEILBRON

BISHOPS MANSIONS  
BISHOPS PARK ROAD  
LONDON, SW6 6DY

22<sup>nd</sup>  
~~21<sup>st</sup>~~, 2022

Dear Maria Dimitiou,

I am writing to you to convey the very strong objections I share with my husband and neighbours to the proposal to apply for an alcohol license for the small café, near to one of the main gates of Bishops Park from Stevenage Road.

The café is just a few yards away from the busy and very popular toddlers' playground. It is totally preposterous to providing alcohol in such close proximity to small children and their families - it is suggested that alcohol be served from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m.! Surely anyone can see that this relatively small, much loved family park would be unsuitable for such a venue. It is suggested that private events/~~parties~~ parties be held here, with "amplified music" till 11 p.m., when large groups of party-goers

who have probably had a good deal to drink would leave — imagine the noise at that time of night. Many, many people in Stevenage Road, Bishop's Park Road, and the surrounding "alphabet" streets would be affected.

This lovely little park has a history dating back to Tudor times and beyond. It is in a conservation area.

There is no need for granting an alcohol license in Bishop's Park. There are plenty of wine bars, cafes and pubs in this part of Fulham already. The park is used by lots of families who come especially for the sense of safety and community from near and far.

I would welcome an acknowledgment to this letter. I know already that the response to his proposal has been mer with people who love the park and use it regularly. It would be very helpful for you to have a look at the venue, if you haven't already. I'd be happy to show the area to you.

Yours sincerely,  
Vivien Heilbron.

Jan 29<sup>th</sup> 2022.

Bishop's Mansions,  
Bishops Park Rd.  
Fulham SW6 6DY.

Dear Maria Dimitriou  
and the Hammersmith and Fulham Licensing Team,  
Regarding Licence Application No 2022/00010/LAPR

I write with deep anxiety and concern over the thought of an alcohol licence being granted to the Park cafe in Bishop's Park.

As a resident of many years I can remember when alcohol was more available to football fans and suffered from fans leaving matches being pushed through garden hedges at the front of this ground floor flat and using it as a toilet.

The thought of alcohol being available seven days a week from 9-5pm and then evening party events would be so dangerous in an area so close to children's special play areas which are greatly used - full of children especially weekends, holiday times and after school time etc.

I fear it's an open opportunity inviting serious harm for young ones. Abuse of those using public toilets next door to the cafe from folk who have the opportunity to drink alcohol freely hour upon hour.

I can only hope the application will be turned down as inappropriate and unnecessary with the most

generous care for our children

Many living in Bishops Manswors & Stevenage Rd have children whose sleep would be disturbed in term time by late night partying revelers & loud noisy music till 11pm. Others like myself are elderly and bedroom windows are only feet away from the roadside.

Then those partying folk will disperse up our residential roads at their most inebriated & also along Bishops Avenue. past Tennis courts & allotment users & the wonderful Bishop's Palace & its garden.

The park and adjoining area is used by many single people, dog walkers, joggers, the elderly all at risk from increased anti social behaviour.

Cafe staff will not be available to supervise those in their outside area having too much to drink.

Public safety from crime & disorder will increase immediately in this very special area. We are also a conservation area.

My main concern is for safety of young children or the elderly in this area where a great many people now enjoy using the park peacefully.

Yours sincerely

Patricia Roscamp.

MISS P. M. ROSCAMP.

31/01/2022

Dear Maria Dimitriou,  
Hammersmith and Fulham Council Licensing Team,

License Application Number : 2022/0010/ 10/LAPR.

We, as the residents of [redacted] Doneraile Street, London SW6 6EP strongly object to an alcohol license being granted to the company that runs the Bishop's Park café. We agree on all the four grounds for the objection: public nuisance, public safety, prevention of crime and disorder and protection of children. If the license is granted it will turn the park café into a daytime drinking location. And as the café is situated right beside the children's play area with alcohol on sale from 9am to 5pm it would be asking for trouble.

As for it also being a private party venue for hire where alcohol can be served from 9am to 11pm, this is a disastrous idea. We have nothing against alcohol and we can't think of anything nicer than to be sitting in a quiet peaceful park with a glass of wine, but unfortunately that is not how it would turn out, and that's why we object to this license being granted.

Yours truly,

Jeremy Conway.



Neville Phillips.

