Appendix 3 - Kirtlington PC Objection

From: <u>kirtlington clerk</u>

To: <u>Licensing (CDC)</u>; <u>Michael Sands</u>

Cc: "David Richardson"

Subject: 19/PRM1663/LAPRE1 | New Premises Licence | | Kirtlington Park OX5 3JN - response from Kirtlington Parish

Council

Date: 31 December 2019 16:19:42

Dear Mr Sands

19/PRM1663/LAPRE1 | New Premises Licence | | Kirtlington Park OX5 3JN

The Parish Council wishes to object to this Licence application on the grounds both of potential risk to public safety and potential public nuisance arising principally from the likely very high levels of increased traffic near and within the site at the time of the proposed event.

As far as can be ascertained, it is intended that vehicles will access the north side of Kirtlington Park from Akeman Street, a fairly narrow local road which is at one section single track and which overall is in far from good condition. It is a much-used route for local traffic, notwithstanding the A4095 which takes a parallel course immediately to the north – both are used heavily at rush hour for example. Those living in the village centre already encounter significant difficulty when negotiating the main through road at peak times either as drivers or pedestrians, and it seems safe to assume the additional traffic associated with this event will increase these difficulties for the elderly and for very young pedestrians in particular.

The Parish Council would be grateful for the examination and analysis of this application that a Committee Hearing would afford, in order to be reassured that any risks which may arise are subject to the necessary safeguards, and that local conditions as understood and experienced by bodies such as Thames Valley Police and the County Highways Department are fully catered for.

Yours sincerely Ruth Powles Mrs Ruth Powles Clerk, Kirtlington Parish Council

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