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Licensing Unit  
Rossendale Borough Council  
The Business Centre  
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To Who it May Concern

Please accept this letter as formal notification of my disagreement with the proposed extension to the licence of Tiger Lounge, 12 Bury Road, Rawtenstall, BB4 6AA.

Having attended a previous meeting with the licensing department regarding the proposed licence extension for Blind Tiger I am shocked and disappointed that an extension for Tiger Lounge is even being considered.

Local residents, including vulnerable adults, new born children and a children's care home, are constantly battling with noise from local venues. This battle has been made almost unbearable due to the extended licence till 5am for Revival. This now means we have to deal with loud music from Blind Tiger starting in the afternoon through the evening with the Revival playing music at ridiculous levels through to 5am. Now you want to add another 4am close time to venue less than 3 meters away from a children's care home!

Local residents have offered to speak with the local club owners to better understand the purpose of the extended licences, so that we don't have a repeat of the Blind Tiger appeal. However, nothing has been attempted. We have also offered to work with the council again to help with these matters however nothing has been attempted.

Please realise that the residents do not want to stand in the way of Rawtenstall's progress, quite the opposite. However, the steps you are taking to generate additional revenue greatly lowers the value of the properties which are both or investments and also our homes!

I believe [REDACTED] has registered a complaint on behalf of additional residents but I urge you to come out and speak to those people being affected by these changes. Some don't understand the appeal process, and some fear the ramifications of going up against club owners, but all should be heard.

Thank you for your time and if you do need any additional information please call me on [REDACTED] and I would be happy to help.

Regards

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Parramatta Street  
Rawtenstall  
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