APPENDIX C

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From: Peter McFarlane

Sent: 29 August 2023 18:08

To: Robson, Debra **Subject:** Southsea Dog Cafe

Ref: License application for Southsea Dog Cafe, 161-165 Highland Road, Southsea, PO4 9EY.

Dear Ms Robson

I am a resident of Hellyer Road, and I understand that the above establishment has applied for an alcohol licence. I would like to register my objection on the grounds that parking is already extremely difficult in the evenings, even with a permit system in operation. I believe granting permission for the sale of alcohol would only exacerbate the situation.

Moreover, I am extremely concerned about the noise that could be created by people using the bar. I do not object to people enjoying themselves, but this is a residential area and I do not believe it appropriate to have a bar open late in the evenings throughout the week. This is especially concerning to my neighbours living next to the Dog Cafe. Until recently the corner building of Hellyer and Highland Roads had been a shop, which closed around about six o'clock and caused minimal disruption.

I hope that you will take these concerns seriously when you make your decision.

Kind regards

Peter McFarlane.