

Your ref: Our ref: Enquiries to: Heather Bowers Email: Heather.Bowers@northumberland.gov.uk Tel direct: 07873 700 976 Date: 17 October 2023

Dear Sir or Madam,

Your attendance is requested at a meeting of the LICENSING HEARING to be held in COUNCIL CHAMBER - COUNTY HALL on THURSDAY, 26 OCTOBER 2023 at 10.00 AM.

Yours faithfully

**Chief Executive** 

To Licensing Hearing members as follows:-

C Humphrey, JI Hutchinson, K Parry and C Seymour



Dr Helen Paterson, Chief Executive County Hall, Morpeth, Northumberland, NE61 2EF T: 0345 600 6400 www.northumberland.gov.uk



### AGENDA

### PART I

It is expected that the matters included in this part of the agenda will be dealt with in public.

### 1. ELECTION OF CHAIR FOR THE MEETING

#### 2. DISCLOSURE OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS

Unless already entered in the Council's Register of Members' interests, members are required where a matter arises at a meeting;

- a. Which **directly relates to** Disclosable Pecuniary Interest ('DPI') as set out in Appendix B, Table 1 of the Code of Conduct, to disclose the interest, not participate in any discussion or vote and not to remain in room. Where members have a DPI or if the matter concerns an executive function and is being considered by a Cabinet Member with a DPI they must notify the Monitoring Officer and arrange for somebody else to deal with the matter.
- b. Which **directly relates to** the financial interest or well being of a Other Registrable Interest as set out in Appendix B, Table 2 of the Code of Conduct to disclose the interest and only speak on the matter if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting but otherwise must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain the room.
- c. Which **directly relates to** their financial interest or well-being (and is not DPI) or the financial well being of a relative or close associate, to declare the interest and members may only speak on the matter if members of the public are also allowed to speak. Otherwise, the member must not take part in discussion or vote on the matter and must leave the room.
- d. Which **affects** the financial well-being of the member, a relative or close associate or a body included under the Other Registrable Interests column in Table 2, to disclose the interest and apply the test set out at paragraph 9 of Appendix B before deciding whether they may remain in the meeting.
- e. Where Members have or a Cabinet Member has an Other Registerable Interest or Non Registerable Interest in a matter being considered in exercise of their executive function, they must notify the Monitoring Officer and arrange for somebody else to deal with it.

NB Any member needing clarification must contact <u>monitoringofficer@northumberland.gov.uk</u>. Members are referred to the Code of Conduct which contains the matters above in full. Please refer to the guidance on disclosures at the rear of this agenda letter.

### 3. REPORTS OF THE HEAD OF PUBLIC PROTECTION

(Page s 1 - To determine an application for a premises licence in respect of The Pans, 38 174) Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

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Supply of alcohol on the premises	Sunday Monday - Wednesday Thursday - Saturday Sunday	11:00 - 20:00 12:00 - 20:00 12:00 - 22:00 12:00 - 20:00

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- The prevention of crime & disorder
- Public nuisance
- Public safety
- The protection of children from harm

15 representations in support of the application have been received.

### IF YOU HAVE AN INTEREST AT THIS MEETING, PLEASE:

- Declare it and give details of its nature before the matter is discussed or as soon as it becomes apparent to you.
- Complete this sheet and pass it to the Democratic Services Officer.

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# **Registering Interests**

Within 28 days of becoming a member or your re-election or re-appointment to office you must register with the Monitoring Officer the interests which fall within the categories set out in **Table 1 (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests)** which are as described in "The Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012". You should also register details of your other personal interests which fall within the categories set out in **Table 2 (Other Registerable Interests)**.

"Disclosable Pecuniary Interest" means an interest of yourself, or of your partner if you are aware of your partner's interest, within the descriptions set out in Table 1 below.

**"Partner"** means a spouse or civil partner, or a person with whom you are living as husband or wife, or a person with whom you are living as if you are civil partners.

- 1. You must ensure that your register of interests is kept up-to-date and within 28 days of becoming aware of any new interest, or of any change to a registered interest, notify the Monitoring Officer.
- 2. A 'sensitive interest' is as an interest which, if disclosed, could lead to the councillor, or a person connected with the councillor, being subject to violence or intimidation.
- 3. Where you have a 'sensitive interest' you must notify the Monitoring Officer with the reasons why you believe it is a sensitive interest. If the Monitoring Officer agrees they will withhold the interest from the public register.

#### Non participation in case of disclosable pecuniary interest

4. Where a matter arises at a meeting which directly relates to one of your Disclosable Pecuniary Interests as set out in **Table 1**, you must disclose the interest, not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless you have been granted a dispensation. If it is a 'sensitive interest', you do not have to disclose the nature of the interest, just that you have an interest.

Dispensation may be granted in limited circumstances, to enable you to participate and vote on a matter in which you have a disclosable pecuniary interest.

5. Where you have a disclosable pecuniary interest on a matter to be considered or is being considered by you as a Cabinet member in exercise of your executive function, you must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest and must not take any steps or further steps in the matter apart from arranging for someone else to deal with it.

#### **Disclosure of Other Registerable Interests**

6. Where a matter arises at a meeting which *directly relates* to the financial interest or wellbeing of one of your Other Registerable Interests (as set out in **Table 2**), you must disclose the interest. You may speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting but otherwise must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless you have been granted a dispensation. If it is a 'sensitive interest', you do not have to disclose the nature of the interest.

#### **Disclosure of Non-Registerable Interests**

7. Where a matter arises at a meeting which *directly relates* to your financial interest or well-being (and is not a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest set out in **Table 1**) or a financial interest or well-being of a relative or close associate, you must disclose the interest. You may speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting. Otherwise you must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless you have been granted a dispensation. If it is a 'sensitive interest', you do not have to disclose the nature of the interest.

- 8. Where a matter arises at a meeting which *affects*
  - a. your own financial interest or well-being;
  - b. a financial interest or well-being of a relative or close associate; or
  - c. a financial interest or wellbeing of a body included under Other Registrable Interests as set out in **Table 2** you must disclose the interest. In order to determine whether you can remain in the meeting after disclosing your interest the following test should be applied
- 9. Where a matter (referred to in paragraph 8 above) *affects* the financial interest or well- being:
  - a. to a greater extent than it affects the financial interests of the majority of inhabitants of the ward affected by the decision and;
  - b. a reasonable member of the public knowing all the facts would believe that it would affect your view of the wider public interest

You may speak on the matter only if members of the public are also allowed to speak at the meeting. Otherwise, you must not take part in any discussion or vote on the matter and must not remain in the room unless you have been granted a dispensation.

If it is a 'sensitive interest', you do not have to disclose the nature of the interest.

Where you have an Other Registerable Interest or Non-Registerable Interest on a matter to be considered or is being considered by you as a Cabinet member in exercise of your executive function, you must notify the Monitoring Officer of the interest and must not take any steps or further steps in the matter apart from arranging for someone else to deal with it.

# Agenda Item 3

# LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE

# REPORT OF THE HEAD OF PUBLIC PROTECTION

## Licensing Act 2003

### 1. SYNOPSIS

To determine an application for a premises licence in respect of The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

The applicant has applied for the licensable activities of: -

Recorded music indoors	Monday – Wednesday	08:30 - 20:00
	Thursday - Saturday	08:30 – 22:00
	Sunday	11:00 – 20:00
Supply of alcohol on the premises	Monday - Wednesday	12:00 – 20:00
	Thursday - Saturday	12:00 – 22:00
	Sunday	12:00 - 20:00

31 objections have been received from interested parties on the grounds of: -

- The prevention of crime & disorder
- Public nuisance
- Public safety
- The protection of children from harm

15 representations in support of the application have been received.

### 2. DETERMINATION OF APPLICATION

Having considered the report, all relevant representations and verbal submissions from those persons entitled to speak at the hearing; the Sub-committee is required to make its determination in respect of the application at the conclusion of the hearing.

In this case, the sub-Committee may:

 Grant the licence subject to conditions consistent with the operating schedule accompanying the application, modified to such extent as the Sub-committee considers appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives. All conditions should be precise and capable of being interpreted and applied by the applicant.

(Conditions may be modified if any of them is altered or omitted or any new condition is added)

and

Any mandatory condition under section 19 of the Act be included in the licence

- 2) Exclude from the scope of the licence any of the licensable activities to which the application relates
- 3) To reject the application if it is not possible to promote one or more of the licensing objectives by any other means.

Members are reminded that they may only attach additional conditions:

- In respect of those matters that are subject to the application and in respect of which a relevant representation has been made; and
- that are appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

### 3. LICENSING OBJECTIVES AND AIMS

Legislation provides a clear focus on the promotion of the four statutory objectives which must be addressed when licensing functions are undertaken.

An application for a premises licence must be considered on whether the licence holder can demonstrate that the licence will not create any issues in relation to the licensing objectives.

The licensing objectives being: -

• The prevention of crime and disorder - relating to any crime, disorder or antisocial behaviour at the premises or related to the management of the premises.

• **Public safety** - relating to the safety of the public on the premises, i.e., fire safety, electrical circuitry, lighting, building safety or capacity, and first aid.

• **The prevention of public nuisance** - relating to issues such as hours of operation, noise emanating from the premises, vibrations, lighting and litter.

• The protection of children from harm - relating to protecting children from the activities carried out on the premises whilst they are there. The law already provides special protections for children under 18 to buy alcohol.

Members are reminded that each objective is of equal importance. There are no other statutory licensing objectives, therefore the promotion of the four objectives is a paramount consideration at all times.

### 4. Appeals

If the applicant, responsible authority or interested party who may have made a representation is aggrieved by the decision of the Licensing Sub-Committee in respect of:

- the decision to grant the licence or any part of it as set out in the attached document, or
- failure to exclude from the licence any of the licensable activities requested, or
- the decision to impose the specified conditions, or
- failure to modify or attach different or additional conditions appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

They may appeal to the Magistrates' Court within the period of twenty-one days beginning with the day on which they receive formal written notification of the determination.

### 5. CONSULTATION

In accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003 and regulations made there under, the applicant has undertaken the following consultation in respect of the application:

A copy of the application has been sent to all Responsible Authorities as defined in the Licensing Act 2003 Section 13 (4).

A notice setting out details of the application has been displayed at the premises for a minimum period of 28 consecutive days starting on the day after the application was received by the licensing authority.

By publishing a notice in a local newspaper on at least one occasion during the period of 10 working days starting the day after the application was received by the licensing authority.

### 6. REPORT

### Background

On the 31st of August 2023, an application was received from Ms Lisa Bagnall for a premises licence in respect of The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ.

The applicant has applied for the licensable activities of: -

Recorded music indoors	Monday – Wednesday Thursday - Saturday	08:30 - 20:00 08:30 - 22:00
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Supply of alcohol on the premises	Monday - Wednesday Thursday - Saturday	12:00 - 20:00
	Sunday	12:00 - 20:00

A copy of the application is attached as (**Appendix A**).

31 objections have been received from interested parties (Appendix B) on the grounds of: -

- The prevention of crime & disorder
- Public nuisance
- Public safety
- The protection of children from harm

In support of the application,15 representations have been received (**Appendix C**)

On the 15th of September 2023, the applicant provided a list of extra conditions to be added to the premises licence application following the receipt of objections from interested parties (**Appendix D**). The conditions were sent to all interested parties who at the time had made an objection. Responses to the additional conditions are attached as **Appendix E**.

On the 25th of September 2023, following the responses to the additional conditions, Ms Bagnall withdrew the licensable activities from the outside area and submitted new plans which were forwarded to all interested parties who at the time had made an objection (**Appendix F**). Responses to the new plans removing the licensable activities from the outside area are attached as **Appendix G**.

### 7. Details of Representations

Representations objecting to the application:

**Responsible Authorities** 

Chief Officer of Police	None
The Fire Authority	None
Body Responsible for Health and Safety Enforcement	None
Local Planning Authority	None
Body Responsible for Minimising or Preventing the Risk of Pollution of the Environment or of Harm to Human Health	None
Northumberland Area Child Protection Committee	None
Trading Standards Authority	None
Interested Parties	Appendix B
Representations in support of the application	Appendix C

### 8. Licensing Policy

### **Premises Licences and Club Premises Certificates**

Introduction	3.1 – 3.1.6
Premises Licences - applications	Schedule 2
Decision making process	Schedule 5
The Prevention of Crime and Disorder	Appendix A
Public Safety	Appendix B
The Prevention of Public Nuisance	Appendix C
The Protection of Children from Harm	Appendix D

### 9. Guidance – Licensing Act 2003 – Section 182

In considering the application, Elected Members are also directed to have regard to the guidance issued by the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport under Section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003; specifically:

Section 2 - The Licensing objectives	2.1 – 2.31
Section 8 – Applications for premises licences	8.28 - 8.32
	8.66 - 8.69
Section 9 – Determining applications	9.3 - 9.10
	9.41 - 9.43
Section 10 – Conditions attached to premises licences	10.1 – 10.68

### 10. BACKGROUND PAPERS

Appendix A	Application for a premises licence
Appendix B	Objections from Interested Parties
Appendix C	Representations in support of the application
Appendix D	Extra conditions offered by applicant
Appendix E	Responses from interested parties to extra conditions
Appendix F	New plans withdrawing licensable activities in outside area
Appendix G	Responses from interested parties to new outdoor plans

The Licensing Act 2003 and secondary legislation there under The Council's Statement of Licensing Policy The Guidance issued by the Secretary of State for Culture, Media and Sport under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

### 11. CONTACT OFFICER(S)

This report has been prepared by Heather Gebbie, Senior Licensing Officer <u>heather.gebbie@northumberland.gov.uk</u>

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Your Ref: Our Ref: Enquiries to: Licensing Processing Direct Line: 0345 600 6400 E-mail: Licensing01@northumberland.gov.uk Date;

Dear Sir/Madam,

#### **Re – Application for a New Premises Licences**

I enclose the following items:

- Application for New Premises Licence
- List of Responsible Authorities
- DCMS Guidance on applications for a premises licence
- Fees lists.
- Regulation 23, 25 and 26 of the Licensing Act 2003 (Premises licences and club premises certificates) Regulations 2005.
- Consent of Individual to being specified as premises supervisor form (for completion where retail sale of alcohol is sought as a licensable activity.)

In particular, the following points are emphasised:

- You are required to give copies of the application including plans to all responsible authorities.
- The receipt for the fee must accompany your application.
- Applications must comply with <u>The Licensing Act 2003 (Premises licences</u> and club premises certificates) <u>Regulations 2005</u>. Should your application (including plans and public notices) not comply with the regulations, your application cannot be determined to be properly made and will not be accepted.
- The plan of the premises is required to meet certain criteria. Your attention is drawn to regulation 23.
- The public notice must be displayed prominently on the premises and in a local newspaper. Your attention is drawn to regulation 25 and 26.

Licensing Department, Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit, Housing and Public Protection Service, West Hartford Business Park, Cramlington, Northumberland, NE23 3JP



T: 0345 600 6400 E: licensing01@northumberland.gov.uk www.northumberland.gov.uk



Should you wish to submit a plan which is not to the standard 1:100 scale, you are required to seek agreement in writing prior to the submission of the application.

- A notice must be published in a newspaper. In a local newspaper or, if there is none, in a local newsletter, circular or similar document, circulating in the vicinity of the premises
- The application form including plans and the receipt for the fee should be submitted to the following address:-Licensing Department Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit Housing and Public Protection Service West Hartford Business Park Cramlington Northumberland NE23 3JP
- The address for inspection of the public register to be included on the notice is Licensing Department Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit Housing and Public Protection Service West Hartford Business Park Cramlington Northumberland NE23 3JP
- The application form and plans should be submitted to all the responsible authorities listed
- Please note that all cheques should be made payable to Northumberland County Council
- A copy of the newspaper in which the notice is published should be submitted to the Council by the end of the 28 day notification period.

If you require any further advice, please contact the Licensing Department on 0345 600 6400

The information contained in this letter is intended for general guidance only and should not be construed as being a definitive representation of the law or an exhaustive compilation of procedures. Reference should be made to the Licensing Act 2003 and the guidance and regulations made thereunder. Northumberland County Council does not give legal advice and cannot accept any responsibility for any act or omission arising, either directly or indirectly, from the imparting of the information. Where legal advice is required you should consult an independent legal adviser.

#### Application for a premises licence to be granted under the Licensing Act 2003

#### Please read the following instructions first

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

#### I/We LISA MARIE BAGNALL

(Insert name(s) of applicant)

apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003

#### Part 1 – Premises details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description			
38 BERESFORD ROAD, SEATON SLUICE			
Post town	WHITLEY BAY	Postcode	NE264RQ
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Telephone number at premises (if any)		8	fsi
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£	5200.00	

#### Part 2 - Applicant details

Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as P

#### Please tick as appropriate

a)	an	an individual or individuals *		please complete section (A)
b)	ap	erson other than an individual *		
	i	as a limited company/limited liability partnership		please complete section (B)
	ii	as a partnership (other than limited liability)		please complete section (B)
	iii	as an unincorporated association or		please complete section (B)
	iv	other (for example a statutory corporation)		please complete section (B)
c)	are	ecognised club		please complete section (B)
d)	a charity			please complete section (B)
e)	the proprietor of an educational establishment			please complete section (B)
f)	a health service body		1	please complete section (B)

g)	a person who is registered under Part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital in Wales	please complete section (B)
ga)	a person who is registered under Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (within the meaning of that Part) in an independent hospital in England	please complete section (B)
h)	the chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales	please complete section (B)

\* If you are applying as a person described in (a) or (b) please confirm (by ticking yes to one box below):

- I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities; or
- I am making the application pursuant to a
- statutory function or
- a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative

#### (A) individual applicants (fill in as applicable)

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Where applicable (if demonstrating a right to work via the Home Office online right to work checking service), the 'share code' provided to the applicant by that service: (please see note 15 for information)						

#### (B) Other applicants

Please provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate please give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), please give the name and address of each party concerned.

Name	
Address	
Registered number (where applicable)	
Description of applicant (for example, partnership, company, unincorporated association etc.)	

Telephone number (if any)

E-mail address (optional)

#### Part 3 Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start?

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If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?

Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1) SMALL PREMISES POSSIBLY UP TO 20 SEATS, TO POTENTIALLY CONVERT INTO CAFÉ BISTRO. CURRENTLY HAIRDRESSERS

If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend.

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(please see sections 1 and 14 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

Pro	vision of regulated entertainment (please read guidance note 2)	Please tick all that apply
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)	
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)	
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)	
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)	
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)	
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	x
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)	
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)	

Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	
Supply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	x

In all cases complete boxes K, L and M

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State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as designated premises supervisor (Please see declaration about the entitlement to work in the checklist at the end of the form):

Name	LISA MARIE BAGNALL							
Date of b	Date of birth							
Address	Address							
Postcode								
Personal	licence number (if known)							
Issuing li	Issuing licensing authority (if known)							

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Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 9).

NONE

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Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 7)		l <b>ic</b> nd ead	State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 5)
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Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

#### a) General - all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 10)

TAKE NESSARY STRESS RECTIFY ANY PROBLEMS AND SUPPORT THE LICENSING OBJECTIVES FOR THE WIDER COMMUNITY

#### b) The prevention of crime and disorder

ANY CRIMINAL OFFENCE WILL BE REPORTED TO POLICE FIRST. PREVENTION OF ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVOUR.

#### c) Public safety

I WILL ENSURE WE DON'T HAVE ANY OVER CROWDING. IF ANY PERSON IS HURT OR HAS AN ACCIDENT IN THE LICENSE PREMISE TO SEEK MEDICAL CARE AND REPORT TO RELEVANT AUTHORITIES. FIRE ISSUES THAT SHOULD BE REPORTED TO FIRE SERVICE FIRST

#### d) The prevention of public nuisance

PREVENTION OF LITTER, ODOUR SMOKE, NOISE AND THREATS TO COMMUNITY SAFETY

#### e) The protection of children from harm

TO DEVELOP A FAMILY FRIENDLY ENVIROMENT TIME RESTRICTION FOR CHILDREN TO LEAVE PREMISE BY 9PM NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS EXPLAINING WHERE CHILDREN ARE ALLOWD AND NOT CHILDREN TO BE A COMPANY BY ADULT AT ALL TIMES. PROMOTE CHALLENGE 25

#### Checklist:

#### Please tick to indicate agreement

•	I have made or enclosed payment of the fee.	x
•	I have enclosed the plan of the premises.	
•	I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable.	x
•	I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be designated premises supervisor, if applicable.	x
•	I understand that I must now advertise my application.	X
•	I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected. [Applicable to all individual applicants, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership, but not companies or limited liability partnerships] I have included documents demonstrating my entitlement to work in the United Kingdom or my share code issued by the Home Office online right to work checking service (please read note 15).	x

It is an offence, under Section 158 of the Licensing Act 2003, to make a false statement in or in connection with this application. Those who make a false statement may be liable on summary conviction to a fine of any amount.

It is an offence under Section 24b of the Immigration Act 1971 for a person to work when they know, or have reasonable cause to believe, that they are disqualified from doing so by reason of their immigration status. Those who employ an adult without leave or who is subject to conditions as to employment will be liable to a civil penalty under section 15 of the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006 and pursuant to Section 21 of the same act, will be committing an offence where they do so in the knowledge, or with reasonable cause to believe, that the employee is disqualified.

Part 4 - Signatures (please read guidance note 11)

Signature of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (see guidance note 12). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Declaration	<ul> <li>[Applicable to individual applicants only, including those in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership] I understand I am not entitled to be issued with a licence if I do not have the entitlement to live and work in the UK (or if I am subject to a condition preventing me from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity) and that my licence will become invalid if I cease to be entitled to live and work in the UK (please read guidance note 15).</li> <li>The DPS named in this application form is entitled to work in the UK (and is not subject to conditions preventing him or her from doing work relating to a licensable activity) and I have seen a copy of his or her proof of entitlement to work, or have conducted an online right to work check using the Home Office online right to work checking service which confirmed their right to work (please see note 15).</li> </ul>
Signature	LM BAGNALL
Date	30/08/2023
Capacity	MANAGER DPS

For joint applications, signature of 2<sup>nd</sup> applicant or 2<sup>nd</sup> applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 13). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

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Date	
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Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 14)						
Post town			Postcode			
Telephone number (if any)						
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail, your e-mail address (optional)						

#### Notes for Guidance

- Describe the premises, for example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies, you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
- 2. In terms of specific regulated entertainments please note that:
  - Plays: no licence is required for performances between 08:00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
  - Films: no licence is required for 'not-for-profit' film exhibition held in community
    premises between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day provided that the audience does not
    exceed 500 and the organiser (a) gets consent to the screening from a person who
    is responsible for the premises; and (b) ensures that each such screening abides by
    age classification ratings.
  - Indoor sporting events: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000.
  - Boxing or Wrestling Entertainment: no licence is required for a contest, exhibition or display of Greco-Roman wrestling, or freestyle wrestling between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 1000. Combined fighting sports – defined as a contest, exhibition or display which combines boxing or wrestling with one or more martial arts – are licensable as a boxing or wrestling entertainment rather than an indoor sporting event.
  - Live music: no licence permission is required for:
    - a performance of unamplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, on any premises.
    - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
    - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a workplace that is not licensed to sell alcohol on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
    - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
    - a performance of amplified live music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from:
       (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.
  - Recorded Music: no licence permission is required for:
    - any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day on premises authorised to sell alcohol for consumption on those premises, provided that the audience does not exceed 500.
    - any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, in a church hall, village hall, community hall, or other similar community premises, that is not licensed by a premises licence to sell alcohol, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance from a person who is responsible for the premises.
    - any playing of recorded music between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, at the non-residential premises of (i) a local authority, or (ii) a school, or (iii) a

hospital, provided that (a) the audience does not exceed 500, and (b) the organiser gets consent for the performance on the relevant premises from: (i) the local authority concerned, or (ii) the school proprietor or (iii) the health care provider for the hospital.

- Dance: no licence is required for performances between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, provided that the audience does not exceed 500. However, a performance which amounts to adult entertainment remains licensable.
- Cross activity exemptions: no licence is required between 08.00 and 23.00 on any day, with no limit on audience size for:
  - any entertainment taking place on the premises of the local authority where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the local authority;
  - any entertainment taking place on the hospital premises of the health care provider where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the health care provider;
  - any entertainment taking place on the premises of the school where the entertainment is provided by or on behalf of the school proprietor; and
  - any entertainment (excluding films and a boxing or wrestling entertainment) taking place at a travelling circus, provided that (a) it takes place within a moveable structure that accommodates the audience, and (b) that the travelling circus has not been located on the same site for more than 28 consecutive days.
- Where taking place in a building or other structure please tick as appropriate (indoors may include a tent).
- For example the type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.
- 5. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
- 6. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.
- 7. Please give timings in 24 hour clock (e.g. 16.00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.
- If you wish people to be able to consume alcohol on the premises, please tick 'on the premises'. If you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises, please tick 'off the premises'. If you wish people to be able to do both, please tick 'both'.
- 9. Please give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups or the presence of gaming machines.
- 10. Please list here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.
- 11. The application form must be signed.
- 12. An applicant's agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
- Where there is more than one applicant, each of the applicants or their respective agent must sign the application form.
- 14. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application.
- 15. Entitlement to work/immigration status for individual applicants and applications from partnerships which are not limited liability partnerships:
- A licence may not be issued to an individual or an individual in a partnership which is not a limited liability partnership who is resident in the UK who:
  - does not have the right to live and work in the UK; or
  - is subject to a condition preventing him or her from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

Any licence issued in respect of an application made on or after 6 April 2017 will become invalid if the holder ceases to be entitled to work in the UK.

Applicants must demonstrate that they have the right to work in the UK and are not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

They do this in one of two ways:

- by providing with this application, copies or scanned copies of the documents which an applicant has provided, to demonstrate their entitlement to work in the UK (which do not need to be certified) as per information published on gov.uk and in guidance.
- by providing their 'share code' to enable the licensing authority to carry out a check using the Home Office online right to work checking service (see below).

#### Home Office online right to work checking service.

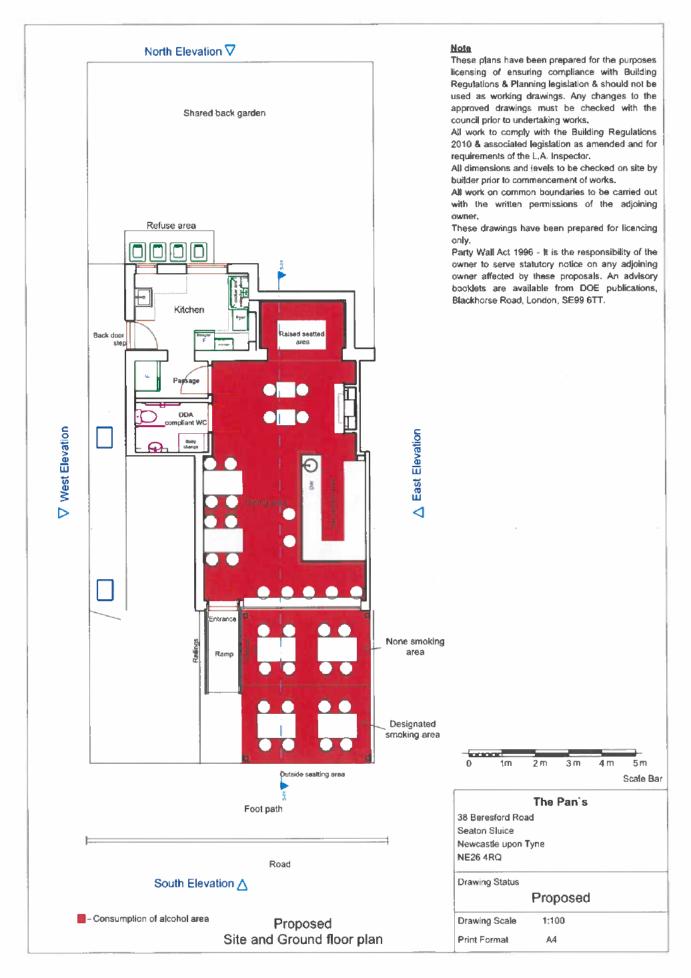
As an alternative to providing a copy of original documents, applicants may demonstrate their right to work by allowing the licensing authority to carry out a check with the Home Office online right to work checking service.

To demonstrate their right to work via the Home Office online right to work checking service, applicants should include in this application their share code (provided to them upon accessing the service at <a href="https://www.gov.uk/prove-right-to-work">https://www.gov.uk/prove-right-to-work</a>) which, along with the applicant's date of birth, will allow the licensing authority to carry out the check.

In order to establish the applicant's right to work, the check will need to indicate that the applicant is allowed to work in the United Kingdom and is not subject to a condition preventing them from doing work relating to the carrying on of a licensable activity.

An online check will not be possible in all circumstances because not all applicants will have an immigration status that can be shared digitally. The Home Office online right to work checking service sets out what information and/or documentation applicants will need in order to access the service. Applicants who are unable to obtain a share code from the service should submit copies of documents as set out above.

Your right to work will be checked as part of your licensing application and this could involve us checking your immigration status with the Home Office. We may otherwise share information with the Home Office. Your licence application will not be determined until you have complied with this guidance.



Members of the public can submit representations in objection to or in support of the premises licence applications, within the 28 day consultation period.

Please be aware that for any objections to be considered relevant, they should be submitted before the end of the consultation period and they should address the four licensing objectives in relation to the licensing activity.

The licensing objectives are the prevention of crime and disorder, prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm.

Please be aware that where representations are considered relevant copies of the representation will be provided to the applicant and the Licensing Sub Committee.

# <u>Please note: Objections will only be considered where a name and address are supplied.</u>

Name: Emma Agar Address: 44 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ.

Licensing Objective: Prevention of crime and disorder, Public Safety, Prevention of Public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

Premises: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ.

### Reasons for Representation:

As a direct neighbour to the premises, I am writing to formally object to the application of a licence for the above premises on all 4 licensing objectives.

The application does not in any way set out how they will ensure the objectives will be met or what measures would be put in place to reduce the risk of impact to neighbours.

The property itself is located within a residential street.



The proposed plans/application include an outdoor seating area that would directly look into a residential neighbouring property's living room. This would impact their right to privacy, they would also not be able to open windows due to noise, odour and smoke pollution from the outside smoking area. **These proposals are in contravention to Human right article 8 -right to respect for your private life, your family life and your home.** 

The property has a residential flat directly above it, again who would have their right to a quiet life impacted due to the outside seating area. The frontage of the property is shared with the business and flat above, the tenant would not be able to use their parking space.

The plans show no provision made for the storage of customers cycles. Due to the location of the property this would potentially attract passing trade from those using the adjacent cycle/footpath.

The outside seating area could encourage people to congregate outside the designated space spilling onto a public footpath/cycle path placing members of the public at risk and causing disturbances to the residential neighbours.

The application does not state how it would reduce the risk of antisocial behaviour associated with the sale of alcohol and groups of people.

The late-night opening times would cause a noise nuisance to the residential neighbours, especially with the outdoor seating area for 16 people. This would not protect residents Human Right Article 1 – the right to enjoy your property peacefully.

The opening times are stated as Sunday-Wednesday 12:00-20:00 and Thursday-Saturday 08:30-22:00, operations at the premises would still occur outside these times due to the need for preparation and clean down. This would further more impact the nearby local residents.

During winter months the area would need to be illuminated, causing light pollution to neighbouring residential properties.

The plans state that DDA compliant toilets and ramp would be added to the property, but due to the size of the premises it does not show/detail how it will ensure the internal space will be kept clear to ensure access for wheelchair users.

Due to the close proximity of the premises to residential properties it would be hard to prevent odours/smells from cooking of food from causing a nuisance.

The application suggests a premises that can hold around 20 customers; however, it does not state that this is compliant with recommendations by the relevant fire and rescue authority under the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005 as referenced in section 2.18 of the Revised Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003.

The property is located in an area that already has significant parking issues with residential owner/occupiers regularly having their properties blocked by visitors to other local businesses.

The business would generate an increase in vehicles to the area, potentially preventing appropriate access for emergency services and vehicles such as ambulances. There is no allocated parking for the premises as this would be used as outside seating.

The nature of the business would generate increased litter in the area by way of cigarette ends from the outside smoking area, food waste, broken glass and discarded napkins, all likely to end up in neighbouring gardens.

The application does not offer any measures that will be taken to ensure the protection of children in relation to the harms associated directly with alcohol consumption, but also wider harms such as exposure to strong language that may be witnessed from the outside seating area. The location of the premises is on a popular walking route with many families and children walking past.

The application does not state how it will ensure that children/teenagers are not able to gain access to left over alcoholic drinks that maybe left unattended on tables in the outside seating area.

# Section 3.2.2 NCC Vision and Values of the Northumberland County Council THE LICENSING ACT 2003 STATEMENT OF LICENSING POLICY 2022 to 2027 states:

"To make Northumberland a county which you regard as a great place to live, and in which you can access the things you enjoy, whilst having the opportunity to learn and thrive"

The plan sets out the council's Priorities. These are:

- · Living we want you to feel safe, healthy and cared for
- Enjoying we want you to love where you live
- Connecting we want you to have access to the things you need
- Learning we want you to achieve and realise your potential
- Thriving we want to attract more and better jobs
   Approving the application for this license would not uphold the values stated above.

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Date 03/09/2023

### Please send this notice to the address below:

Licensing Section Northumberland County Council Stakeford Depot East View Stakeford Northumberland NE62 5TR Email: <u>licensing@northumberland.gov.uk</u> In response to the objection from Miss Emma Agar, 44 Beresford Road Seaton Sluice.

My vision to open the bistro is Seaton Sluice would be to provide the residents ands visitors of a new diverse establishment to be enjoyed by all. I'm looking to offer a relaxed atmosphere serving breakfast in the morning, light bites throughout the day and small plates on a weekend evening perfect for a family get together, date night or friends having a catch up over a glass of wine. There is an outdoor seating area to the front elevation of the property which I would like to introduce some outside dining in a lovely setting. I'm proposing to close this outdoor area at 8pm to minimalize noise at night.

I am going to respond Miss Agar questions as bullet points in order of her concerns.

- The proposal has not been objected to by the said neighbour, in the event of them having concerns, we have a scheme in place to provide a visual screen that incorporates an audible barrier.
- This neighbour has not objected, the designated smoking table is approximately 6 metres from windows of the neighbour, if the neighbour had a complaint the screening will reduce the noise reduction of 32-42DB. It is highly unlikely that at full occupancy, (16) small plates could constitute an infringement of human rights due to odour.
- We are removing and soundproofing the ceiling to reduce impact noise from above and airborne noise from below, if you refer to the plans it shows that there will be railings, so the tenants drive wall is private for her own use.
- Our tenant agreement does not include our neighbours drive and vice versa.
- For a licensing application, we do not need to provide a bicycle storage.
- We would encourage that not to happen, as an experienced licensee I understand the hypothetical concern.
- The premise is first and foremost an eatery, it is not a public house. We are branding and targeting couples offering a diverse alternative to the establishments already operating in Seaton Sluice.
- As in point 6, but also to redress article 11 of the human rights act. Opening times are aimed to disperse occupants at staged times to licensed properties in the vicinity.
- There will be very little occurring in the outside area other than sweeping and the wiping of tables. As part of the curtilage, the internal areas could not impact the adjuring neighbours. As prescribed by reciprocation of article one of the man rights acts.
- The fairy lights of pergola will cause no light pollution as there is a highways lamppost directly outside 40 Beresford Road that also has provision for festive lighting over the winter months, this has not received objections of light pollution.
- The only fixed furniture is that of the raised booth. Accommodation wheelchairs and pushchairs is complaint. The plans have been drawn by an architect and are to scale.
- The low volume of cooked food shall be extracted and filtered accordingly.
- People visiting us will be able to use the 2 nearest on street car parking located 160 metres from the bistro, brining extra revenue to the council as well as the use of public transport, safeguarding routes.

- The outside area will be contained and be swept and kept tidy throughout the day, ashtrays will be provided in the days on high winds I find it unlikely that any customers will wish to sit outside.
- An equal risk of people passing children on a footpath, it is the same families and children that will be frequenting our establishment, in my experience families having a meal do not start swearing loudly.
- As a licensee we have a duty of care and remain vigilant throughout. I've never witnessed this before, the tables are cleared pro rata, the occupants maintain the table until their bill is paid, and the table is cleared.
- Northumberland County Council, the licensing act 2003 (statement of policy 2022 to 2027, approved 04/05/2022). We have read and understand the principles of the act and have taken knowledge-based decisions on it. While impossible to obliviate concerns, however tenuous, we have tried to imply a balanced thought process in the application for licence.

Kind Regards,

Lisa Bagnall

Miss Agar 44 Beresford Road Seaton Sluice NE26 4RQ 09/09/2023.

Dear Ms. Bagnall,

### RE: Application for premises license - The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

Further to your letter of response received on 07/09/2023 I have now had time to read and reflect on your comments.

I shall start by highlighting the points of my representation you have failed to address or reference within your response:

- The application does not state how it would reduce the risk of antisocial behaviour associated with the sale of alcohol and groups of people.
- The plans state that DDA compliant toilets and ramp would be added to the property, but due to the size of the premises it does not show/detail how it will ensure the internal space will be kept clear to ensure access for wheelchair users.
- The application suggests a premises that can hold around 20 customers; however, it does not state that this is compliant with recommendations by the relevant fire and rescue authority.
- The application does not offer any measures that will be taken to ensure the protection of children in relation to the harms associated directly with alcohol consumption, but also wider harms such as exposure to strong language that may be witnessed from the outside seating area. The location of the premises is on a popular walking route with many families and children walking past.

I will now address each point of your response in turn.

Firstly, at least 3 other neighbours have submitted their own representations, which include their objections to the outside seating area and the impact it will have on their property. However, my representation is of no less importance and should not be disregarded. My property is two doors up from the property and it would impact me significantly.

The screening you suggested would reduce noise levels by 32-42Db, you can not say at this time what the starting noise level would be and if this screening would suffice. The screening itself would also then cause its own issues for the neighbouring property in relation to light reduction.

Your comment about 16 small plates being unlikely to constitute an infringement on Human Rights due to odour; I did not state that odour alone would cause the infringement, but the collective of noise, odour and smoke pollution from the outside smoking area. You have not addressed how you would prevent or mitigate this from happening.

Soundproofing – will this meet the necessary fire regulations? There will of course be disturbance for the directly adjoining neighbours whilst this work is being carried out. The soundproofing does not address the noise generated from outside.

Although your tenancy may not include use of the neighbouring drive, if the space is vacant customers are likely to use it.

Whilst you may not need to provide cycle storage as part of a licensing application, under the licencing objective public safety, I would suggest that your customers who attend on cycles with no where to store them, would place other members of the public at risk if the only option is to place them against neighbouring walls on the public footpath. Therefore this should be considered as part of the application. You have not advised how you would mitigate this risk and ensure the safety of the wider public.

I am assuming your statement: 'We would encourage that not to happen, as an experienced licensee I understand the hypothetical concern' is in reference to; the outside seating area could encourage people to congregate outside the designated space, spilling onto a public footpath/cycle path placing members of the public at risk and causing disturbances to the residential neighbours. You have not advised what measures you would take to prevent this or if it were to happen what action you would take to address it.

In reference to concerns pertaining to Human right article 1 protection. Whilst you state 'There will be very little occurring in the outside area other than sweeping and the wiping of tables. As part of the curtilage, the internal areas could not impact the adjuring neighbours. As prescribed by reciprocation of article one of the man rights acts'. There will be customers sat at the outside tables during the times you have them open for use. Your application for a license is for hours up to 2200 on some days of the week, this means you may choose to keep the outside open until this time. – you have not indicated what your actual operating time would be, you have only stated 'Opening times are aimed to disperse occupants at staged times to licensed properties in the vicinity'.

As you state there is a lamppost outside 40/42 and 44 Beresford Road, however this is a low energy lamp and the direction of the light is down to the path and not towards the properties (see photo below). Fairy lights emit a brighter more dispersed light in a 360-degree direction – this would penetrate towards the windows of the neighbouring houses.



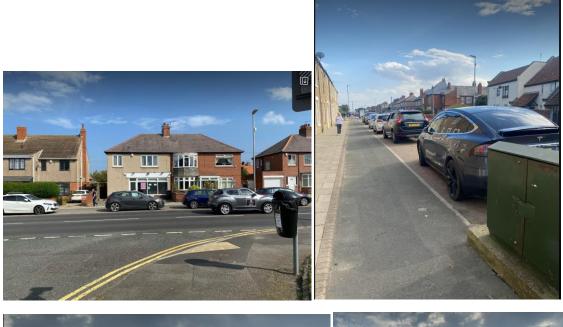
In relation to the Christmas light, these are erected for a few weeks of the year for a short period of time when they are illuminated each day.

You state that a low volume of food would be extracted and filtered accordingly, however if all tables are full, 20 covers inside and 16 covers outside, this equates to 36 meals at any one time, given customers will come in at staggered intervals, cooking activities and smells would be constant.

Parking – you advised in your response that customers would be able to use the 2 on street parking 160 meters away. There are 2 public car parks situated next to the bowling club and next to the church. These are already full to capacity on a daily basis during the times you state on your license application. Customers to the existing establishments in the village already park in the available spaces on the street and in these car parks. The car parks are free and therefore would not generate income for the local authority.

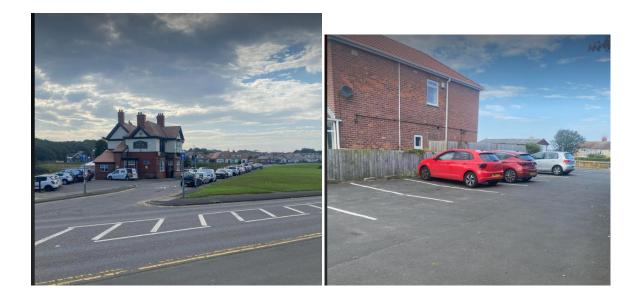
As you can see from the below photos parking is a significant problem in the village, and whilst I acknowledge it may not be a matter for a licence application, under the objectives of prevention of public nuisance and public safety, this matter should not be disregarded. The customers visiting The Pans by vehicle would further aggravate an already fragile parking situation, which in the past has a history of violence requiring police attendance.











## Regards

Miss Agar.

5 SEP 2023

D.B. & S.A. Churchill 32 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Northumberland. NE26 4 RQ

1st September 2023

Licensing Department, Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit, Housing and Public Protection Service, West Hartford Business Park, Cramlington, Northumberland. NE23 3JP

Re - Planing Application: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

Dear Sir,

As one of the residents most likely to be affected, I am writing to object in the strongest possible terms to the ludicrous application for a licence permitting the sale of alcohol and musical entertainment at the premises above. The premises is situated in the middle of a row of family homes.

Having a bus shelter directly outside our home that attracts anti-social behaviour and criminal damage is bad enough, to add the element of alcohol within a few yards is a recipe for disaster.

For a relatively small community Seaton Sluice is already well provided with licensed premises, with five pubs and club all within walking distance of the premises subject of this application, three inside 5 minutes walk away.

The premises is situated between residential properties and their gardens and the plans to have an open air seating area will add to the volume of noise disturbance coming from those inside the premises, not only from the musical entertainment (that the application includes) but from loud alcohol fuelled conversations. I object to this application on the grounds of: -

Noise: the applicant cannot deny (in fact would no doubt desire) that the number of people 'hanging around' the immediate vicinity would increase with the consequent loud talk and shouting that cannot be avoided when alcohol is involved. Musical entertainment: I doubt any residents close by would wish to listen to the applicants choice of music which will obviously have to be at a volume to 'entertain'.

Anti-social behaviour: unfortunately as we all know alcohol and anti-social behaviour go hand in hand, residents closest to the premises will be subject not only excessive noise but drunken people milling around outside there homes, leaving glasses on garden walls, broken glasses, litter, damage and the use of the sides of the bus shelter as a drum, something that apparently cannot be resisted by those enjoying the effects of alcohol.

I note the plan has seating for 35 people, the total capacity of the premises is not mentioned but I do see only one toilet, it only takes a little knowledge of drunken behaviour to know where the alternate toilets, out of sight of the road, will be and if anyone doubts drunken people act in this way, I am happy to discuss the people who use the lane, Back Beresford Road (and those who have been chased out of our front garden) when 'caught short', on the way home from the club or waiting for the bus at the bus shelter.

I also note a kitchen on the plan, so assume that there is an intention to provide food with the associated smell of the cooking and smells from the bin storage area that will no doubt affect immediate neighbours. I would be curious to know the thoughts of the local Police and those in Northumberland County Council responsible for tackling anti-social behaviour. Seaton Sluice already suffers from youth anti-social behaviour, I cannot see them welcoming the opening of another licensed premises on the main road in the middle of a row of houses and adding to the complaints they already get. I would hope that they too will raise the objections I have, on behalf of local residents.

Lastly I would say to those considering this application would you want a licensed premises next door to your home?

Yours faithfully,

D.B. Churchill

LICENSING ACT-	NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LICENCE
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I M Wright 46, Beresford Road Seaton Sluice NE26 4RQ 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023

To whom it may concern.

Dear Sir/Madam

I wish to draw you attention to my concerns regarding the proposed change of use to 38, Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice.

I strongly object on the grounds of:

- Late opening hours
- Sale of alcohol consumed on the premises.
- There is already an issue with car parking and this change will only make it worse.
- Cooking smells and fumes
- Disturbance to local residents from customers
- The adverse effect to property values in the vicinity

I would also like you to bear in mind that there are already 5 other outlets in Seaton Sluice that sell food and alcohol.

Yours faithfully

I M Wright

### **Caroline James**

From: Sent: To: Subject: Licensing01 07 September 2023 09:30 Lyndsey Alderson; Caroline James Fw: Objection to licence of 38 Beresford Road

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Mandy

Licensing Team Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit Public Protection Service Northumberland County Council West Hartford Fire Station & HQ Fire Station West Hartford Business Park Cramlington NE23 3JP

E: <u>licensing01@northumberland.gov.uk</u>

Licensing Hunt Group: 01670 620443

From: Sarah Balmain Sent: 06 September 2023 5:35 PM To: Licensing01 <Licensing01@northumberland.gov.uk> Subject: Objection to licence of 38 Beresford Road

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are writing in relation to the proposed licence application for 38 Beresford Road 'The Pans'.

We have many concerns regarding this application and would like to raise these with you. We have recently moved into 34 Beresford Road with our baby who is currently 3 months old, we are extremely worried for our daughters safety now that a bistro could be located right next door to our house.

As the planning application stated there is to be an seating/smoking area outside, this creates a huge risk that the smoke will rise from the smoking area up to our babies bedroom window as this is located on the front of my house. In the summer months when the business is looking to extend their opening hours we will have our babies bedroom window open and she could be exposed to bad language and will be woken up by loud voices at late hours. The owner of the bistro will not be able to control customers who are loud and drunk. Alcohol could also fuel arguments causing potential trouble outside of my home where we should feel safe, this leaves me and my family in a very stressful situation as our property could be damaged.

Our home is right next door and if we were to come out of my house into my front garden we would be right next to customers drinking, smoking and eating. They will also be directly right by our car, leaving this at risk of damage. It is not something that will be very pleasant for us having to see this everyday. We will not be able to get away from the noise and disruption because our house is that close, so we will even hear everything from inside our house. This business is more than likely going to cause anti social behaviour in the community due to the customers it may attract. We don't believe this is the place for a bistro as it is right in the middle of a calm residential area with hardly any space for the customers they are willing to serve.

The late night opening times and an outdoor area will be a nuisance to all residents and we feel our privacy will be taken away from us all. Please feel free to come and inspect the distance of our home to the proposed bistro so you are aware of how close it is.

Due to the number of people that are able to be served at the bistro this will create a crowd of people in the street and it is only a small area. This will also cause issues regarding parking outside our home as people will park over our drive.

The bistro would be underneath a flat where an older woman lives on her own, this is extremely unfair for her safety and privacy.

The smells and extractor fans from the kitchen will be present in the back garden which means we will not be able to enjoy sitting in the garden just like we can now.

Ever since hearing about the application we have not stopped worrying about this, we absolutely love where we live and our home and this is going to completely ruin it for us, our family and our neighbours around me. We do not want to be disturbed in our own home by loud and drunken customers next door.

We would appreciate it if you would note our objection to the plan and take our request into consideration. Please do not hesitate to contact us by email for the plan and take our request into consideration. Where we will be happy to discuss further.

I can confirm this is a licensing objection for the following objectives; prevention of crime and disorder, prevention of public nuisance, protection of children and public safety.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Sarah Balmain and Mr Marco Charters-Barron - residents at 34 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE264RQ

2nd Sept 2023 all Pavid Feguson 7 SEP 2023 40 Beresgood Road Seaton Slince Whitley Bay NEZ6 4RQ. Dear Sir/Madam for a new premise licence for The Pans, 38 Becapited Road, Senter Shile, NE264RQ. As a direct reighbour where parenty is connected to the applicants superty I have areans over Noise, Parting, Loss of triany and anti social believiewi. The bay under my my property looks directly out and to the precent of the applicants paperty. This precent is proposed to be an area of outdoor seating used for smalling and alched any consumption. These on the precent on see directly through my bay window. It is bley patrons will end up thing on my parters with right in out of my window. There are already 6 public fubs in the village. It of these are within a 2-3 minute walk from the property. There is no read for any additional deriving establishments. There is very limited any street radiing usually used by residents. In the pust, visites to the heir dressus galed on the fore cont. This Whilst I understand that I live next dear to a business. I don't Time this type of pusiness is suited to the over out rether is it redd. Page 50 Best Niches

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### Name: Susan Churchill Address: 32 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Northumberland. NE26 4RQ

Licensing Objective: 1. Crime and disorder; 2. Prevention of public nuisance; 3. Public safety; 4. Protection of children.

Premises: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Northumberland. NE26 4RQ

### Reason for Representation:

(continue on separate sheet if necessary)

This premises is in the middle of a row of private homes. I appreciate that an application has to be considered but I cannot see that the placing of a licensed establishment serving alcohol and playing music from 8:30am to 10:00pm, in a line of residential properties between family homes can possibly be acceptable in this day and age where we quite rightly consider the rights, health and mental well being of other people. It is the reason why licences of this type have to be applied for and local authorities are entrusted with the heath and welfare of their communities to make decisions based on the wishes of those who would be most affected.

Seaton Sluice is already plagued by youth disorder and anti-social behaviour, introducing another premises serving alcohol with all that is associated with the behaviour of people in drink leaving premises at closing time, can only increase the problems of anti-social behaviour well in to the night. There is already frequent anti-social behaviour in and around the bus shelter, just a few steps away from the premises, which includes passing drunks who feel compelled to drum on the side of the shelter as they pass, an increase in people who have consumed alcohol leaving licensed premises only feet away from the shelter can only mean more of this type of behaviour.

Seaton Sluice is already served by 5 pubs and a club, three of which are less than a 5 minute walk from the premises. Does Seaton Sluice really require another licensed premises spilling out drunken customer at night?

There will undoubtedly be increased noise not only from the "entertainment" but also from the usual loud conversations of those who have had a little too much to drink. This will be only made worse by the fact it is intended for there to be people sitting outside (between two private front gardens) and that noise could potentially continue on until 10:00pm. Noise at night travels, I know because occasionally neighbours may have a few friends over and sit in their gardens and their voices can be clearly heard, the outside seating means we can expect this every night that the premises are open. The effect of the such continuous noise from 08:30 am to 10:00 pm can only increase stress and anxiety for neighbouring residents and will no doubt take a toll on their mental health.

Another issue with the outdoor drinking area is that this will no doubt also be the smoking area. Many of us (particularly non smokers) remember inconsiderate smokers sharing the smell of their exhaled cigarette smoke in public areas, now that smoking is banned from public buildings the smell of cigarette smoke is particularly noticeable, the occasional smell of smoke still drifts into out home from the street outside and the bus shelter, one can only guess how strong that smell will be from smokers regularly sitting in the outside drinking area only a few metres away from our house, this will obviously be increased for the immediate neighbours.

Another worrying aspect is that it is noted on the plans submitted that there is just one toilet for customers, the capacity of the premises is not known but there appears to be seating for about 35 in total, outside and inside, one uni-sex toilet is unlikely to be sufficient to service all customers, particularly at closing time The back lane Back Beresford Road is already used by those making their way home from the club and those waiting in the bus shelter as an "emergency" toilet, people have even been chased out of our front garden. I am informed this is a planning issue and not a licensing issue but I have to disagree as it relates directly to those who may consume alcohol on the premises and it is not a stretch on the imagination to think they will act as others do leaving other licensed premises in the area.

I have already mentioned the bus stop which is a few metres away from the premises, this is used by school children who will be disembarking buses whilst the premises are open in the afternoon, the outdoor drinking area will be in full view to them with not only the issue of alcohol consumption but also smoking and whilst considering children there is also a baby in one of the neighbouring houses with a bedroom on the front of the house why must she be exposed to the noise and cigarette smoke drifting up from the outside drinking area?

There is also a cycle lane running passed the premises and whilst once again this will no doubt be not considered a licensing issue, the potential for people who have been drinking in the premises to exit the premises directly onto the cycle path endangering themselves and cyclists is there.

In summary objections are: -

Public nuisance: increased noise up to 10:00 pm at night from the musical entertainment, customers in the inside and outside seating areas, and customers leaving the premises at closing.

The smell of cigarette smoke drifting into private homes from drinkers in the outside drinking area.

Crime: the potential for damage, anti-social behaviour and public order offences.Increased anti-social behaviour from customers leaving having consumed alcohol, disturbing the peace of neighbouring residents, increased litter on the street but also in private gardens and other behaviour associated with drunkennes

Public safety: the safety of neighbours who may choose to challenge customers making too much noise, the safety of those using the cycle path.

Protection of children, those passing the premises returning home from school but in particular the one living next door.

Signed

..... Date 11/09/2023.

Please send this notice to the address below:

Licensing Section Northumberland County Council Stakeford Depot East View Stakeford Northumberland NE62 5TR

Telephone: 01670 623856

Email: licensing@northumberland.gov.uk

Premises: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

Name: Christine Wood

Address: 7, Astley Grove, Seaton Sluice NE26 4JL

Licensing Objections:

1: Within the space of approximately 1 mile Seaton Sluice has 5 Public Houses, a Social Club, a Fish and Chip Shop with Café and a Café per se. All of these establishments serve meals, some serve takeaways. They are all licensed to sell alcohol, as is the local corner shop. We already have a problem with antisocial behaviour, particularly in the summer season when large numbers can congregate. The Council spends vast sums of money repairing damaged shelters that have been smashed by aggressive drunks.

2: The property has a shared back garden, which is adjacent to other gardens. The resident who shares it will be exposed to noise and unable to have privacy in the garden during opening and delivery times. Neighbours will be afflicted by the noise of music and people arriving, leaving and dispersing.

3: The Pans is on a busy residential main road. The area is very short of parking spaces. Deliveries and customers parking will worsen an already difficult situation. The pavement doubles up as a cycle track, hence the need to be alert to bikes whizzing along. It is sited next to a bus stop and shelter and opposite a busy Chemist, so there is a lot of movement. There are problems already with finding places to park as houses on the north side of Queen Street near the Chemist have no garages. Beresford road is extremely hazardous to cross due to parked vehicles and time consuming at peak times.

Within a 5 minute walk of these premises are 3 Public Houses, a Social Club, 2 licensed cafés (see above) and the corner shop. Locals are literally surrounded by alcohol and eateries. Competition is fierce between the various establishments in these difficult economic times and has in the past caused friction within the community.

Reason for Representation: Secretary of Seaton Sluice and Old Hartley Residents' Association. Resident of 35 years.

Signed C. Wood

Date: 06/09/2023

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Mrs. Carol Robson, 21 Beresford Road, Seaton Shuie, Whitley Bay NE264DR.

Licensing Objective - Provention of crime and disorder. Public softy Prevention of Public nursance Protection of Children from harm

Premise: The Pan's, 38 Baresford Road Socilor Starice, Whitley Bay NE 2648

# Reasons for Representation

I live opposite the premise above, I am writing to Abrmally deject to the application of a license on all 4 accounts as above.

The property sits in a residential area, situated on an extremely busy road, the proposed business States there will be outside seating up to the pavement. This pavement can be extremely busy there is a cycle track also if the tables and chairs imposed the setting area ento the pavement side this could prove herzardous to halkers and Cycleists

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The property has a residential flot above with an Elderly person living there, excessive noise inside and out would thave the night to a quiet life impacted. she has a particles space as she is elderly need space to be able to open her car door to the maximum to be able to get out. also there will no doubt be an extractor for which will have to go out some where an the presises causing odows and noise into her flat.

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We have? I club, 5 Rubs all with Dating/drakag/ entertainment/music. away from the residential area. We have 2 shops which sol alcohol and food we have a fish/chip shop. we have I cafe. We have a Coffee Cart personally I dont think we need another eatins/drakas Verge.

I personally want to feel safe in my own Village and home, not be targeted by inebriated people. and anti social behavior We dont want Seaton Sluice to become known for thring entertainent ancie. We are a nice pleasant quict village, at most times

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Name: Lisa Milburn Address: 40 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ.

Licensing Objective: Prevention of crime and disorder, Public Safety, Prevention of Public nuisance and the protection of children from harm,

Premises: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ.

#### Reasons for Representation:

As a neighbour to the premises, I am writing to object to the application of a licence for the above premises.

My flat is directly next door on the first floor, I would not be able to open my windows at the front of my property due to the noise and smell that would come from the business causing disruption and nuisance.

I regularly look after my grandchildren and would be concerned that they would be exposed to secondary smoke that would potentially come into my property if the windows were open.

The opening times are Sunday-Wednesday 12:00-20:00 and Thursday-Saturday 08:30-22:00, activity at the premises would happen outside these times. The latenight/early morning opening times would cause a disturbance to the neighbours as well as me.

The outside seating area would allow people to gather outside the business space going onto a public footpath/cycle path causing disturbances to myself and the other neighbours. Putting the cycle path/footpath users at risk if collision.

During winter and darker evenings, the area would need to be lit up for safety, causing unwanted light to come in to my flat and neighbouring residential properties.

Due to the closeness of the premises to residential homes it would be hard to stop odours/smells from cooking of food from causing a nuisance.

The nature of the business would generate increased litter that would likely to end up in neighbouring gardens, unwanted food waste possibly attracting vermin which is a public health/protection issue.

The location of the premises is on a popular walking route with many families and children walking past who maybe exposed to strong language from the outside seating area and potentially witness inappropriate behaviour. My Grandchildren would be more at risk due to spending time in my flat.

My late husband had the flat for many years and we had been together 11yearse lots memories together living there. With Trevor passing away in flat I always feel that there is part of him still there. Since his death I have struggled with my mental health the thought of this bistro is adding undue stress and worry and the noise and smell would only add to it.

Signed .....

Date 9 9 2023

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Name: David Brewet Address 58 Beresford Koad, Seaton Quice NEX 4 Kin Licensing Objective: Noise + Public Safet The Paris 38 Beresford Read Staton Shine

### Reason for Representation:

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Name MRS DIANE BREWER Address: 58 BERESFORD ROAD SEATON SLUCE NERD YRH Licensing Objective: PUBLIC NUISANCE + SAFETY THE PAN'S, 38 BERESFORD ROAD SEATON SLUICE NE26 4RD Premises: Reason for Representation: (continue on separate sheet if necessary) Anti Social behaviour, Litter, vandalism and urinating ۱. due to drinking. Noise from music, drinking outside until late at night and extractor hans. Parking problems - patrons, residents, buses, delivery **२**, 3 Vehicles to the said premises. Smoking area outside, children walking past could drink from left over exteched in glasses lassers by 4. could be affected by people smoking

### **Caroline James**

From:	Licensing01
Sent:	20 September 2023 14:07
То:	Caroline James
Subject:	Fw: The Pans Seaton Sluice.

**Categories:** 

**Requires** Action

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From: Jillian Henderson Sent: 20 September 2023 1:40 PM To: Licensing01 <Licensing01@northumberland.gov.uk> Subject: The Pans Seaton Sluice.

## Good afternoon

I would like to object to the following application on the grounds that: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Northumberland, NE26 4RQ. The outside facilities to seat 16 people will cause noise for those residents living near the premises. In addition, there is a strong possibility that other customers rather than those seated may also congregate at the front of the premises making it difficult for cyclists and pedestrians to access the pavement and cycle path. It must be noted that this proposed venue is on a busy main road so at no time should the pavement/cycle path be blocked.

Parking has always been an issue for residents in this area because of inadequate parking spaces. Customers travelling to the proposed venue will have difficulty parking

and considering the only two small car parks near are much used that will not be an option for venue parking.

As the designated smoking area is also at the front of the premises and given the close proximity to neighbouring properties, smoke and vaping fumes will no doubt seep through any open windows of the surrounding residencies. It is unfair to expect neighbours to keep windows closed during the opening times of the proposed venue. Whatever barrier mooted to keep fumes at bay will no doubt need planning permission and it's equally doubtful whether or not any barrier would work. In addition to these fumes, consideration should also be given the smells and noise from extractor fans which are a necessity for venues such as this.

Having a fire exit for the premises leading out to a narrow side alley which is the only access to the upstairs flat may cause a health and safety issue considering the siting of the working kitchen in the premises.

In conclusion, Protocol 1, Article 1 of the Human Rights Act protects a right to enjoy one's property peacefully.

Although this is not one of the four objectives of the licensing act, it should be considered to ensure a more holistic approach. If this application is allowed at this point without going to planning, then this act will not to be taken into consideration unfortunately.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards

Cllr Jill Henderson Seaton Valley Council.

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Denise Baunbridge 44 Southward Elose RECEIVED NEZGHEA. DATE 2 1 SEP 2023 LICENSING SECTION To when it may concern; I would like to lodge my Brong objection to change of use a alcohollicense re: The pans, 38 Beresford Road NEZG4RQ Serving alcond on these prerises will have a hugely detiriental effect on residents above radjacente. Safeguarding children - children walk along public footpath a world potentially see inebriated customers drinking /staking/ using protanities which would also become a public nuisance. There is an issue with public safety Araffic as they would need deliveries. There is alread a problem with traffic on Beresford Road -especially as there is a bus-stop outside 38 selestard Road These premises have been used as various retail outlets - never for the sale of alcoholf on premises would anyone on licensing/planning !! connectly wont this next door? -NO!!

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FAO Licensing Department, Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit.

Objection to the sale of Alcohol licence at the The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ.

Objection to the regulated entertainment licence

The property is on a residential street and a flat above and an adjoining pair of flats. The property has been previously been a wool shop, a papershop, and hairdressers beauty parlour. The property will have no parking as this area is to be used for 4 outside table. There is very limited for parking for residents and parking is already an issue here and throughout the village.

The prevention of crime and disorder.

The village already has 5 pubs which serve various types of food with outdoor seating and parking. Plus a social club again with outdoor seating and parking. Therefore the residents and visitors have plenty options with regards to this type of entertainment. These pubs are generally well managed and set away from residential properties. Alcohol impairs peoples judgement and leads to disorder and unsocial behavior, ie shouting, swearing, dropping litter, aggressive behaviour.

public safety

The entrance and exit is directly on the main footpath through the village and next to the cycle path that runs though the village, then single car width of parking, then a busy main road. There is a high risk of people and childen or dogs leaving the premises and stepping out in front of cyclists and people walking up the main street or running out on to the main road. Especially as when people consume alcohol that impairs their judgement.

Due to the limited parking, Delivery vehicles would have to park on the main road and right next to a bus stop, this would reduce the main road to single lane and traffic would be held up and drivers would then risk trying to get past them.

The outdoor seating area is small and proposes to have 4 tables which will be close to each other a trigger point for arguments to break out especially when alcohol is being consumed.

The two smoking tables on the outdoor seating plan are right next to the main footpath meaning anyone walking past will be at risk from cigarette smoke as well exposure to strong language and sexual expletives. This footpath is used by parents and children going to and from the 1st school, children going to and from the middle school on their own. Children using the bus for the high school.

It can be very intimidating and unpleasant having to walk so close to people that have been drinking or who are smoking or just groups of peoples especially males if you are female. People of all ages use this footpath to walk through the village, getting off the bus, going to the library, community centre, play park, harbour are etc, Increased risk from broken glass, increase in litter, cigarette ends etc on the public footpath.

Alcohol impairs peoples judgement and leads to disorder and unsocial behaviour, ie shouting, swearing, aggressive behaviour towards other people.

• The prevention of public nuisance.

There will be constant noise from the music inside when the door opens or closes.

Alcohol impairs peoples judgement and leads to disorder and unsocial behaviour, ie shouting, swearing, aggressive behaviour towards other people, litter..

The smell from the kitchen on local residents enjoyment of their homes and garden.

Increased parking issues for residents

The resident of the flat above will have to walk up past the outdoor seating every time they enter or leave the property, which can be intimidating for the reasons given above, exposed to smoke, strong language etc.

The resident of the adjoining downstairs flat, will have outdoor tables approx a foot from their living room window, looking directly in on them, this proximity is both disproportionate and unreasonable and will have a negative impact on their quality of life. That flat has a low garden wall, which people will sit on, lean on, put there drinks on and stub out cigarettes. Again they will be subject smoke, strong language, increased noise. Their front garden will have more litter as will the house on the adjoining side.

The upstairs flat will also be affected by the increased noise as will all the houses close by.

All the residents in the street will be affected by the noise from people sitting outside talking, drinking. There will be additional noise from people entering and leaving the property, talking and shouting to each other especially at closing time. People when they have been drinking get louder. there will be additional noise from people exiting the property. Additional noise from traffic, ie taxis or private cars. This will all have an negative impact on the quality of life and mental health of those living close by.

All residents will be at greater risk of harresment.

As dogs will be allowed there will be an increase in dogs barking. This has been proven as there used to be coffee caravan at the fountain head car park in aid of charity on a saturday and sunday morning. There was a small amount of seating.

Despite there being a grassed area and main road between this area in the housing estate opposite, the noise of the dogs barking every weekend was relentless and complaints were made to the council and they were forced to stop serving coffee. The problem was from the outdoor seating where people with dogs socialised.

The area proposed to be used as outdoor seating is the small front garden, if a home owner or tenant were to put 4 table out in their front garden and had numerous visitors sitting outside drinking and smoking 7 days per week, Im sure they would be reported and dealt with as antisocial behaviour and stopped. Again if they were to have visitors in and out the hours, different cars arriving/leaving every day this will would be stopped. Add to dogs barking to that and it would soon be stopped, as this property is in a residential area and a joins other properties I see no reason why they would be allowed to do what a homeowner or tenant couldnt.

The protection of children from harm.

The outdoor seating area proposes to have 4 tables, the two smoking tables on the outdoor seating plan are right next to the main footpath. As already mentioned above this footpath is used by parents and children going to and from the 1st school, children going to and from the middle school on their own. Children using the bus for the high school. These children will therefore be at risk from cigarette smoke, exposure to strong language and drunken behaviour.

Children also use the footpath for going to the beach, harbour, park, library, getting on/off the bus etc.

These children will therefore be at risk from cigarette smoke, exposure to strong language, harassment and drunken behaviour.

Increased risk from broken glass, increase in litter, cigarette ends etc on the public footpath.

The children will be at greater risk of being bumped into or knocked off their bikes or scooter when using the footpath or cycle path.

Increase of potential accidents when deliveries are being made.

Mrs D Ferguson

Mr M Ferguson

19 Malvern Road

Seaton Sluice

Whitley Bay

NE26 4BZ

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Name: Claire and Les Mitchell..... Address:80 Beresford Road Seaton Sluice

...NE26 4RH..... Licensing Objective: .....

Premises: 38 Beresford Road (formerly known as Persona)

Reason for Representation:

(continue on separate sheet if necessary)

This could be a great business for Seaton Sluice, but not at this address!

However good soundproofing would be it will still affect the elderly tenant above and the newly arrived couple (now with a baby) and the owners of the flats next door. Noise travels (especially at night) and being able to sit out would cause some problems for those residents.

Fumes from the buses arriving every 15 minutes as well as the steady stream of traffic which could be stopped by the traffic lights, further up the road, at any time.

Such things as noise pollution, air pollution from traffic fumes and cooking smells, extra litter as well as no immediate parking facilities will all contribute to upset the residents in this much sought after residential area.

We believe that the elderly tenant from the flat above, has the garden at the rear of the property and is NOT SHARED, as marked on the plan.

There does not appear to be an Emergency Exit marked on the plan. Just front door and back door through the kitchen. Is this a requisite for such buildings?

There are enough liquor licences in our small village already.

We have known this property all our lives – for the past ?13 years as a hairdressers; before that Lynn's Newsagents and before that was owned by Mrs T Long who had a general dealership.

We wouldn't like to live next to this property (as proposed) would you?

Signed ... Claire E Mitchell and Leslie Mitchell.....

Date ...24<sup>th</sup> September 2023.....

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FW: Application for alcohol licence at 38 Beresford Rd, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ 25 September 2023 14:10 **Caroline James** Caroline James

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From: frances free Sent: 25 September 2023 11:2/ To: Licensing Mailbox <<u>licensing@northumberland.gov.uk</u>> Subject: Application for alcohol licence at 38 Beresford Rd, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

Dear Sir/Madam,

Regretfully, I write in objection to this application on the following basis:-  $\infty$ 

aton Sluice is already well served with places to eat and drink and parking is scarce. The premises in question is in the middle of a residential area on a heavily used main road with cycle path, frequent buses and constant through traffic. It is in fact, within yards of a bus stop. The nature of the proposed business and the set of a "local pub" and will, therefore, likely not attract a local footfall clientele but visitors to the area and cause major problems with no access to suitable parking. The concern falls under both public nuisance and particularly, public safety. I understand the proposal is defined as a cafe/bistro. The dictionary definition of a bistro is a small informal restaurant or a bar where food is served. As the plan is apparently to serve "small plates", then one can assume the focus is on "serving alcohol (often cocktails)" not on "food". The concern here is one of disorder. Anti-social behaviour is already prevalent in the area.

In addition, by designating a smoking area open until late hours immediately adjacent to the pavement, one of public nuisance and health and safety. I'm pretty sure the neighbours in the adjoining houses or those passing by on the adjacent pavement and cycle path do not wish their families to be breathing in second hand smoke. Litter is a further worry. Residents constantly pick up and dispose of cigarette ends, etc. to prevent them getting into the eco-system and take pride in keeping the village clean and tidy.

Yours faithfully, Frances Free 3 Millway Grove Seaton Sluice, NE26 4DL

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23, Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Whitley Bay, Tyne and Wear, NE26 4DR

Licensing Department Business Compliance and Public Safety Unit Housing and Public Service Protection Service West Harford Business Park Cramlingiton Northumberland

REFERENCE : The Pans 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4R

Dear Sirs

I write to express my most strongest objections to the consideration of the above application of an entertainment and alcohol license for the following reasons.

Seaton Sluice is a small residential village that currently has immediate access to 6 business that provide the community and visitors with opportunities to eat and drink – this does not include the little coffee van that operates at busy times such as weekends and holidays, including bank holidays. This application could likely have a detrimental impact on the already uncertain futures of the already established business. Another establishment offering evening meals and alcohol brings direct competition to the The Astley Arms, The Kings Arms, The Waterford Arms and the Deleval Arms who all work hard to keep their business profitable and in line with the needs of the residents. None of their outdoor seating areas are within the same direct vicinity of nearby houses and they all offer their own car parking facility which this proposed establishment can't

The village currently has sufficient establishments for purchase of alcohol and food in addition to the above at the two local stores – premier and Co op. I don't feel the village needs further access to food and alcohol outside the established business

The mention of outdoor seating raises a concern of noise and nuisance. The proposed business is situation right in the middle of residential housing and although outdoor seating seems to be the growing trend, consideration must be given to the residents who will be exposed to the fallout of this type of " entertainment" right on their doorsteps.

The mention of " recorded music being played " up to 10pm on several nights meets with my strongest objection. The mixture of entertainment, music and alcohol right – OUTDOORS – in the immediate vicinity of residential housing seems unacceptable especially to the homes living directly above and next door to such an establishment – 1 live in the nearby vicinity of the local premier shop which sometimes attracts local teenagers who can occasionally generate quite a load volume of noise – however, this is generally short lived once they have made their purchases, meet their friends and moved on. To have a business providing such a fallout on a regular basis fills me with horror !!!. I live opposite this property and do not welcome the fallout of peoples alcohol induced entertainment interfering with my relaxing and sleeping as we sleep at the front of the property.

We already have a parking issue at that end of Beresford Road, with many residents having to make allowances to the high volume of motorists parking / stopping and causing congestion whilst collecting and purchasing from Boots. Adding further car parking needs would escalate this challenge to the local residents. Currently Boots closes at 5pm weekdays and lunch time on Saturday and closed Sunday. This establishment would introduce even more parking issues when currently the residents have some respite from parking congestion.

My final point relates to the future of any business establishment once an alcohol and entertainment licence were to be granted this would open up further concerns for the residents should this business fail or decide to turn into a take away which would attract a steady stream of just eats and ubber eats with cars and bikes – which is also a current trend more suited to non residential areas. There is even the potential for this proposed business to attract customers from Just Eats and Ubber.

Whilst I support local business and everyone's opportunity to make a living, I hope you give mine, and other's objections consideration.

Yours Sincerely

Jane Goldsmith



23, Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Whitley Bay, Tyne and Wear, NE26 4DR

23rd September 2023

Licensing Department, Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit, Housing and Public Protection Service, West Hartford Business Park, Cramlington, Northumberland, NE23 3JP

#### Reference; The Pans,38, Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ OBJECTION

Dear Sirs,

With reference to the above application for an alcohol and entertainment licence at the above, I must voice my objection in the strongest possible terms for the following reasons.

- 1. Seaton Sluice is already well served with establishments serving alcohol, there are 6 licensed premises that I can immediately think of. As a small village we do not need any more. This will have a detrimental effect on existing businesses some of which may be struggling in these difficult times. It is also not clear whether there would be provision for outdoor seating areas which seem to be the trend at the moment. This would seriously increase the nuisance factor.
- We also have more that enough outlets selling food in the village, again, there are at least 6 businesses selling either takeaway or eat in food.
- 3. Parking is already a major issue on Beresford Road with many motorists struggling to find a parking space to drop off or pick up prescriptions from Boots or, to make a purchase at the local Premier Shop. This often results in, either illegal parking or, in some cases, inconsiderate parking across resident's driveways. This problem would only get worse if a licensed premises was allowed, with the potential for blocking the main road or, even a serious accident.
- 4. The application also includes the request for recorded music up until 10pm on several nights which, in a residential, built up area, is unacceptable. Heaven knows what it would be like to live directly beside this property if this were ever to go ahead. How long would it be before an application for live music is applied for?
- 5. If this application were to succeed and the business were to fail, what would be the future of the unit? There is a distinct possibility that, having established a change of use, we may end up with a takeaway with all the inherrant smells and traffic and parking problems, as well as a potential for a steady stream of Ubber Eats and Just Eats drivers and riders turning up all manor of the day and night.

Please give these objections your most serious consideration. Thanking you in anticipation of your co-operation in this matter.



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Name: ARS EM LOWERS Address: 12 MILLWAY GROVE SEPTON SLUICE NE26 474 Licensing Objective: 4. THE PAN'S. BERESFORD ROOD. SEATON PLUICE Premises:

#### Reason for Representation:

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And we already have enough licenced premises in a residential complex of this sye!!!!

Signed .....

Date 21.9.2023.

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Name: Seaton Valley Council

Address: 20-22 Astley Road, Seaton Delaval, Northumberland, NE25 0DG

Licensing Objective: All

Premises: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Northumberland, NE26 4RQ

#### **Reason for Representation:**

Seaton Valley Council would like to submit an objection to this application on the following grounds:

The upstairs neighbour only has one access point to their flat. A working kitchen below will increase the fire risk.

The fire exit for the downstairs shop leads out into a side alley which is narrow and is the only means for access to the upstairs flat. There is a potential risk to the safety of the upstairs resident as well as anyone in the downstairs premises due to poor fire escape routes especially when at capacity.

Currently residents park on the off-street parking and there is only space for a maximum of five cars (if parked correctly). Many people park here to go to the chemist or Premier shop. There is nowhere for delivery vehicles to park leading to a risk that they will park on or across the cycleway and footway. There is also a risk to the safety of those using the cycleway and footpath if loading and unloading takes place.

Smoke & vape fumes from those standing outside the property will end up going into the windows of the direct neighbours. The applicant has suggested putting up a screen, but this would cause loss of light and is in no way a guaranteed solution to the smoke.

Extractor fans could be noisy and are designed to extract food smells from the premises. Residents in the vicinity will suffer from both the noise and smells from the extractors, which would constitute a public nuisance.

Anyone on the forecourt would be looking directly into nearby properties so causing a nuisance and lack of privacy.

The premises is on a walk to school route as the main footway to the other local shops, community centre, recreation spaces etc. Many people, including young children, walk past the venue often with dogs. There is a risk to public safety and of public nuisance from encountering people smoking.

Staff of the premises have previously parked on the forecourt and there are already documented nuisance issues with problem parking on the corner of Queens Road / Beresford Road.

There have been significant issues with ASB from youths in the village. There is the potential for conflict, nuisance, crime & disorder to arise through their contact with patrons.

People entering and leaving the premises could increase the noise and disruption to residents.

Signed:

Date: 27.09.2023

S.E. Dungworth, Chair of Seaton Valley Council

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Name: Susan Dungworth..... Address: 19 The Crest, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4BG..... Licensing Objective: ...Prevention of public nuisance and public safety..... Premises:

38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4BG (The Pans)

Reason for Representation:

As a resident and Parish Councillor representing Seaton Sluice, I wish to object to the licence application in relation to the above premises on the following grounds, all relating to public nuisance and safety:

<u>Fire risk.</u> The residents in the flat above and adjoined to the proposed café/bistro will be subject to an increased risk from fire as it is proposed that a commercial kitchen will serve meals from 8.00am to 10.00pm. The resident in the flat above sleeps above the kitchen and only has one means of escape from the flat, which is into the narrow passage, next to the kitchen. This would also be one of the exits used by customers and staff in the case of a fire, I notice that the fire service had no objections to the application when it was for 20 people inside, but I believe that the applicant has increased the number to up to 50 people since withdrawing the plans for outside seating.

<u>Noise and smells.</u> A commercial kitchen and eatery will create more noise and odours than the previous business did and for a longer time, 7 days a week. The proposed extractor fan is situated directly under the bedroom or the resident above and the noise and smells will be invasive to them and the close neighbours, particularly in warmer months when they need to open their windows or use their gardens. Customers entering and leaving the premises and those using the front forecourt to smoke cigarettes or use vapes would cause noise and nuisance to residents living in properties adjoined and close to the premises as well as the resident in the flat above .Licenced premises naturally result in an increase in this sort of behaviour, even if it is not intentional, and there will automatically be an increase in noise from the kitchens, customers and music.

<u>Parking and congestion</u>. The area in which these premises are situated are already busy and congested. Beresford Road is the part of the main route from Blyth to North Tyneside and is designated as past of the Travel to Work and Travel to School Routes. Immediately outside the premises is a footpath, cycle track and bus stop and it is opposite a pharmacist and close to a well-used corner shop. It is a very area busy area with very little parking for residents

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and customers of the existing businesses and this proposal will only add to the inconsiderate parking and general chaos.

<u>Refuse and deliveries.</u> The plans indicate that the refuse bins for the property will be stored in the rear garden, which is for the sole use of the flat above. The resident would be disturbed in her garden by staff using the bins and commercial bins would not fit down the narrow passage by her only door. There is also no room for these bins to be moved past her car when it is parked in her allocated parking place. Mobility issues mean that her car and easy access to it is essential at all times. Smells from the food waste generated by a café/bistro would evade her garden and those of her neighbours and there would be an increased risk of vermin.

There is no provision for deliveries and delivery vehicles would cause further nuisance for residents and a public safety risk for pedestrians, cyclists and motorists. There would be no other option, but to block the road, pavement and cycle track when making deliveries and cause an obstruction to the bus stop and to the sight lines for pedestrians and motorists.

Due to the residential nature of this area, I believe that this is the wrong place for licenced premises conducting their business into the evening, especially in a small village that already has 5 pubs (all serving food as well), 2 licenced cafes, a club and two off-licences.

### Signed .... Date ...27 September 2023.....

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Name: Dorothy Lee Address: 12 Fountain Head Bank, Seaton Sluice, Whitley Bay, NE26 4HT

Licensing Objective: Sale of alcohol (on sales) Sunday – Wednesday 12.00 – 20.00, Thursday – Saturday 12.00 – 22.00 and regulated entertainment (recorded music) Monday – Wednesday 08.30 – 20.00 and Thursday – Saturday 08.30 – 22.00, Sunday 11.00 – 20.00

Premises: 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, Whitley Bay, NE26 4RQ

Reason for Representation:

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# The licensing objectives are the prevention of crime and disorder, prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm.

There are already 9 locations licensed to sell alcohol close to this site:

- Delaval Arms, Kings Arms, Waterford Arms, Seaton Sluice Social Club, Melton Constable, Astley Arms, Harbour View Restaurant, Premier Shop, Co-op Shop
- It could potentially encourage congregating in the proposed outdoor seating area until late in the evening in a predominantly residential area, increasing noise levels to an unacceptable level.
- There is a cycle path just next to the pavement across the front of the premises, the sale of alcohol and inhibiting of safe behaviour next to this could potentially cause danger for cyclists not anticipating a spill over of customers, standing around chatting.
- There are already many cars parking along Beresford Road, deliveries on potentially large wagons, right next to the bus stop could add to congestion in this area.

Signed Dorothy Lee

Date 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023

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Name: Elizabeth Vuyk Address: 32, Dereham Rd S. S. Licensing Objective: Safety. The Pans, 38, Beresford Rd NE264Rq Premises: 1 object to the proposals Reason for Representation: (continue on separate sheet if necessary) above addressiat the O would I like to live next door to a bistro. No 1 wouldn't & this chould not be imposed on other. This is a residential area with problems of parking. Outside 88 Beresford we have a cycle path, bus sheller & buses every isminutes) How will deliveries be bought into Page 87 the proposed cafe. There is no parting,

+ any long Making deliverone will park on Beresford Rd across the paverent + cycle path. This will be unsafe The bistro will create noise, smella litter. We already have enough antisocial behaviour from druchen visitant residents. Another vonue selling alcohol will only increase our problems. How are the residents either side of this proposal be allowed quite enjoyment of their pront gardens! This is not the place for a Bistro. Date 19/23 Signed .....

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33 Queens Road Seaton Sluice Whitley Bay NE 26 4 DS

Ref: Objections to the licensing application in respect to the " Pans "

I am writing my objections to the proposed plan of an indoor / outdoor eating and drinking facility on Beresford Road. My objections are as follows

Parking - There is already a significant parking issue in the vicinity due to public using Boots the chemist we are already exposed to a steady stream of people parking there cars on the pavements and blocking drives. We do however have respite as Boots closes at 5 pm and very limited time at the weekend. A business like this will be attract customers outside of those business times

The village already has 6 establishments selling food and drinks. This is going to impact on their business and it does not seem necessary to have a further business – not needed !!

My most strongest objection is about the idea of having outdoor eating and drinking ( alcohol )- this is right in the middle of peoples homes which is ludicrous I The lady upstairs is so upset by the prospect of the implications of this and I fully understand, not to mention the residents either side of the property. This application is going to attract unwanted noise and nuisance, cooking smells from the kitchen / kitchen fan is going to be very intrusive. I understand that there is a plan for the business to remain open until 10pm - there is without doubt going to be lots of noise from individuals and music at a time that we all want to relax - a complete disturbance.

As a long standing member of the community I really hope my objection and the objections of the other members of the community is meet with understanding. I appreciate people wish to, and have a right to make a living, but when this has a direct negative impact on other peoples lives, there must surely be a compromise to be made.

Regards

Mr and Mrs McMaster





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Name: MISS JOYCE BROWS Address: 36, BERESFORD ROAD, SEATON SLUICE NORTHUM BERLANILICENSING Objective: PUBLIC NUISANCE AND NE26 4RQ. PUBLIC SAFETY. NO. 38 BERESFORD ROAD (THE PANS), SEATON SLUICE, NORTHUMBERLAND, NE264RQ. Premises: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED LEFFER. Reason for Representation:

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I am writing to object to the application for an alcohol and music licence for the premises to be known as The Pans. My flat is directly above on the first floor. I am concerned that the installation of a business kitchen for the cooking of food would increase the risk of five on the premises. The proposed operating times of the Pano would food would mean that the risk would be present for the main man me men most daups of the week). Majolity of the day (most daups of the week). This could place me in significant dauget should a five break out. I only have one staircase in the flat, one door to outside and thelefole no five escape. Even 'y I use able to escape the miside. The outside passage is harrow escape the miside, the outside passage is harrows and close to the proposed kitchen's The plans that have been presented shows railings to be installed alongside a proposed access ramp which would encroach on the area where I park my car (an agreement with the landlord when I would in three and a half years ago). I would then have problems open my car door. As my gate to my only door is on the end of the harrow passage way, any trailing' would be likely to restrict my access to my car. This would be difficult for me as g am restricted with regard to mobility Page 94

Another problem would be neversing my car out when I want to use it. I would have to drive across a pavement, a cycle track, then reverse into the main road herder to a bus stop where two buses stop every fifteen minutes. The reduced visibility for me would be horsendows, to say the least. The main road to which g refer tio the only road between Blyth and Whitley Bay , very busy all day and a travel to school route for a number of -children. boith negard to living in my flat above the proposed change of use to the premises belows we, I would not be able to open my windows due to hoise, smells of cooking and rigariette smoke. (I suffer from COPD and asthma). () Jue to the close proximity of the premises to residential properties it would be hard to stop adars smelle from causing a haisance fans will be outside my bedroom windows. The Small and hoise will be more than a hursance. The proposed opening times are completely inacceptable as hoise would be heard even outside the proposed opening times, causing more disturbance and to anyone working The plans show a shaked garden. This, according to the landlord when I moved in is not the case. I was to have solgeess tral and use of -+ the gorden as well as the designated parking.

space. Therefore, The Pans should not be placing bins there. I am reliably informed that the hature of the proposed business would need special bins for commercial use and waste Duch would involve notification of the Kind and Size of the bins they would use. This night not be Northumbed and County Council collection, So residents would need to be informed of day and twie of the collection Vehicle. The question is would commercial but even get through the narrows passagensay? These bins would seed calegue monitoring as the pusices will generate food waste Such increases the nisk of vormin and the health hazards these impose. I have invested a lot of money into my (rented) go den over the last three and a h yeass. Ay pleasurie in it will crase! I will no longer have any enjoyment in the garden as a rouges expelled smells from the kitchen, smello from times and noise from the extractor fans. Jutter more, I will be disturbed by staff. fro The Paul cach time They need to access Their Bins. R from to previously mentioned, two buses pass by or en (from band minutes just autside the by Thate is a great deal of restion outside the property, It is apposite a they come where people heed access to the chemist (many of them disabled). Parking is a real problem and how would delivery vans to The Pans and collection of waste be accommodated? Seaton Shine already age 96 & licenced all radius. We do

not need another, especially where it may encourage anti social the police try hard to control problems with the mention. The vielage only has a small resident population. It does not need another licence and where other licenced Please think carefully and reject the licence request. and you like to live heret door to it or ove if? Thankyou for y our consideration. at NO 36! Please Ancuse handusriting, 9 am 82 years of age Thank you . Page 97

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Name: MS M BREW STER

Address: 15 BERESFORD RD

Licensing Objective: Prevention of crime and disorder, Public Safety, Prevention of Public nuisance and the protection of children from harm.

Premises: The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ.

Reasons for Representation:

RESIDENTIAL AREA e

· NOISE AT NIGHT

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Name: MARGARET HALDANE Address: 34 PARKFIED,

SEATON SLUICE NE26 4 HS Licensing Objective: PUBLIC SAFETY & THE PROTECTION OF CHILD REN FROM HARM. PREVENTION OF PUBLIC NUISANCE, OF CRIME & DISORDER Premises: THE PANS, '38 DERESFORD RD, SEATON SLUICE NE26 4RQ

Reason for Representation:

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Signed

### Date 25 September 2023

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#### NOTICE OF REPRESENTATION

Name

Margaret Ann Haldane MBE

Address: 34 Parkfield, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4HS

Licensing Objective:

- 1. Prevention of crime and disorder
- 2. Prevention of public nuisance
- 3. Prevention of public safety
- 4. Protection of children from harm.

The licensing objections below relate to the Pan's, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

#### **Beresford Road:**

Beresford Road is primarily residential with private houses either side of the Pans premises and an elderly lady occupying the flat above. Seaton Sluice has more than sufficient public houses (6) which sell alcohol and provide outside designated smoking areas, including vaporing, (health risks unknown).

#### **Alcohol - Street Drinking:**

Everyone would witness 'street' drinking next to a public highway and could possibly lead to

(a) motorists being momentarily distracted -- public safety

(2) children witnessing the consumption of alcohol as 'a normal activity' when, in fact, it can lead to a miserable lifetime of alcoholism and death - protecting children from harm

(3) noise/music late into the evening (families with young children and the elderly not considered) - public nuisance.

(4) traffic congestion. No extra car parking arranged.

(5) Anti-social behaviour could easily result from drinking too much alcohol and people might spill over on to the main road. Alcoholism is caused by drinking at a level that causes harm, can become binge drinking putting health and safety at risk. This cannot be permitted on our main road through Seaton Sluice. Obviously, the majority of customers would observe the rules and regulations as stipulated by the Management.

#### Smoking:

Children and adults walk regularly by these premises on their way to and from school. As the designated smoking area will be next to the public footpath, everyone passing by would be subject to the inhalation of smoke, plus contamination of smoke on their bodies, hair and clothes. Those smokers seated or standing outside will be subject to the inhalation of bus fumes, as a bus stop is directly adjacent to the forecourt.

Hundreds of children start smoking every day and we are nowhere near achieving the Government's Smokefree 2030 ambition. Children learn from their peers and observing people smoking (plus vaping) on the Pans forecourt could encourage youngsters to engage in this deadly activity. Passive smoking kills around 1.3 million people prematurely every year.

#### Summary:

Please ensure that Seaton Sluice continues to protect our children (and adults) from harm, residents leading by example, ensuring public safety and preventing crime and disorder.

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Name: MAUREEN THOMPSON Address: 32 ELWIN CLOSE, SEATON SWICE NE 26 4DG Licensing Objective: Premises: 114E PANS, 38 BERESFORD ROAD SEATON SLUICE

Reason for Representation:

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Seaton Sluice is a small village which has 12 commercial properties. 4 of the 12 serve or provide food. 9 of the 12 serve or provide alcohol The remaining 2 are a tiling company and a chemist. Considering the size of the village and the ongoing antisocial behaviour the last thing we need is yet another of the same food and drink establishment.

The site is close to the main road beside a bus stop with both a footpath and cycle track between the property and the road. There is a lack of parking spaces. Residents in the surrounding area often can't park outside their own homes. There is nowhere for delivery vehicles to park whilst unloading. Opposite the property is a busy chemist so there is a lot of traffic. Crossing the road can be difficult at peak times.

The property is in a residential area and extremely close to adjacent houses. The flat above is occupied by an elderly lady. All residents in the area will be affected by the noise of the music and people arriving and leaving.

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Name Kathryn Watson Address: 15 Bevestard Road Seaton Sluice Licensing Objective: Broken glass, noise Being open till late The Pans Premises: 

Reason for Representation:

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Pesidential Area NOISC Encroaching on a private garden Litter Being open till 10.30pm at night - too late Sale of alcohol Parking Issues - Parking across peoples drives and obscruction residential parking spaces. Vernin - nearby dene encroaching on a cycle path Smoking aveq - diggardied cigarette ends Page 104 Busy main road

Anti Social behaviour nearby bus stop-bus every 15-20 minutes Braken glass Smoking area, health hazard for non smokers and passers by breathing in second hand smoke logs Attraction for seagulls, starlings etc. Child Safety

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Reason for Representation:

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I would like to show my support for a small business that will be at the heart of the community, and something that is very much needed. It will be a meeting point for not only local villagers but visitors to our beautiful village. I would happily recommend to our paying guests at Cicely's Place. Un these tough economic times, we all need to support local business.

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Name: Louise Grace Allen Address: 13 Queens Road Seaton Sluice NE26 4DS..

Licensing Objective: .....

Premise: The Pans Seaton Sluice Beresford Road

Reason for Representation:

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I'd like to make a representation in support of the bistro The Pans opening in Seaton sluice, I think it would be an asset to our village. There bistros popping up in all villages and towns and I think we as a community would benefit from having somewhere different to visit. There is alot of pubs that all serve food in the village and its all the same , the bistro will bring something totally new to the village

Signed Louise Allen Date 13/09/2023......

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Licensing Objective:

Premises:	PANS	SEATON	SLUICE

Reason for Representation:

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Im putting forward a representation for the bistro Pans at Seaton sluice.

Seaton sluice is a popular place for people in and out of the area another restaurant would be a great addition to the village.

It will also bring jobs for local people.

Lisa Glynn knows the area well after living is Seaton sluice so long and im sure she will be a great asset to the business.

Since lock down Seaton sluice has been popular and is a thriving village.

I have a seafood business and looking to support Pans with fresh local seafood.

Mark Watson

Signed Mark Watson..... Date 15/09/23.....

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Name: SIMON GRIFFIN Address: 25, CLANDENCE STRIET SPATCN SLUICE NE26-40N Licensing Objective: 38 BERESFORD ROOM, SPATCH SLUICE. Premises: Reason for Representation: 19<sup>th</sup> SEPT 2013 (continue on separate sheet if necessary) ID WHO IT MAS CONCERN, My ROASON FOR MY ROARESENTATION ARE, I BELQUE (THE UILLAGE OF SEATON SLUICE IS CRYING OUT FOR SUCH AN ESSABLISHMENT. I HAVE KNOWN LISA FOR OUDL 25 YEARS AND CAN USUGHER HER AS A PILLAN OF OUR COMMUNITY. LISA IS HAND WORKING AND TRUSTWORTHY AND WAS BOAR AND BRED IN SDATER SLUICE, THORE IS NO WAY LISA AND HOR TOAM WOULD WANT TO ANTREONISE ANY OF THE LOCAL COMMINY. PLOASE FEEL FREE TO CONTROT ME ON OR FMAIL Page 115 Diemo Since ERIFFIN

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#### **Barbara Burt**

42, Glanton Avenue

Seaton Delaval

Northumberland

NE25 OEH

26/9/23

### LICENSING APPLICATION :- THE PANS, 38, BERESFORD ROAD, SEATON SLUICE NE26 4RQ

To whom it may concern,

Please accept this letter as a representation of my support of the above licensing application.

My reasons for supporting this application are as follows.

- I feel this would be a welcome business as the applicant is a very well known and respected local lady who has lived in the village most of her life as have her extended family. They are a very reputable family and fully support businesses and events in the village. The applicant is willing to start a new business at a time when a lot of businesses are closing.
- The applicant has been a lease holder of a pub for a number of years and in this time of managing the public House she has managed that public house very well, with no complaints from neighbouring properties or businesses.
- The applicant has adhered to all laws and conditions of her lease at all times.
- Opening this business will create some jobs for the people of Seaton Sluice, it will also bring revenue into the village at a time when small village businesses need it the most due to the cost of living etc.
- Parking could be an issue with this application but as I myself am from a local family (I lived in the village for 20 years), i know the area very well and I would anticipate that most people would be walking to this venue as they will be local people. People that would drive to this establishment would find an appropriate parking place and hopefully adhere to any parking laws or conditions in this area.
- This property is very close to a social club that hosts events such as private functions with disco's, entertainment in the shape of live music, bingo, karaoke on a regular basis I cannot see this adding to the noise pollution already in that area. The applicant has stated that the property will be soundproofed to a high standard to avoid any excess noise pollution in this area.
- It is also very close to a fish and chip takeaway/restaurant that again is open 6 days a week between the hours of 11.30am – 9pm. If you know this fish and chip takeaway / restaurant (THE HARBOUR VIEW) you will know it is a very popular eatery. They only have a small car park but most people respect the local area and park appropriately and courteously to

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locals. The smell and noise from the extraction system at this establishment is minimal as it is a high standard of instillation. The applicant has stated that high standard extraction systems will be installed at this property therefore any smells from cooking should be minimal.

• Seaton Sluice has a number of public houses and a social club, in all my time living in the village and still visiting family in the village I very rarely hear of any trouble at any of these establishments and I'm sure this establishment would be no different.

To sum up my support for this application I feel the applicant is putting into place all measures possible to make sure this business complies too all environmental, public safety conditions that apply to this application.

The applicant is a very experienced public house lease holder, who has adhered to all laws and conditions of her lease.

The applicant is a much respected member of this community as are her family who have lived in the village most of their lives.

The applicant is trying to better the village by providing a relaxing bistro that serves good food throughout the day and early evening that local families (and others) can enjoy.

Please approve this application so Seaton Sluice doesn't have a shop standing empty due to high costs that some people can't afford given the current financial climate.

Many thanks for taking the time to consider this, please feel free to contact me if you require any further information regarding this supporting document.

Kind Regards

Barbara Burt (Ex Seaton Valley Parish Councillor)

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Name: Hannah Oliver Address: 60 Locksley Close, North Shields, NE29 8EN

Licensing Objective: The prevention of Crime and Disorder

Premises: The Pan

Reason for Representation:

I have known Lisa for around 3-4 years as she currently owns the pub in my local area. She makes every effort to make everybody who walks through the door is welcome. She has very close relationships with anyone who has walked in and has a lovely staff who she treats like family.

She has always stuck to the rules of the law in regard to the licencing of the building and has a good relationship with the surrounding neighbours of her current building which I'm sure she will have at this new shop.

During an incredibly tough time for the whole country, especially businesses, she developed ways to generate income whilst giving the community a place to safely gather, adhering to all covid-19 rules, by making an outside seating area and outside bar.

She has been a pillar of her community since she got the pub and has strived to make it the heart of the village. She has supported the local lifeboat station for years doing all the fundraising that she can and as a member of the station, it is immensely important and much appreciated.

As she has grown up in Seaton Sluice, I'm sure that she will make an amazing job of doing out this shop and making it a brilliant place to go.

I understand that there are other cafes/food shops in the area, however I truly believe that Lisa will make the new shop outstanding and generate lots of income and have great benefits for the Seaton Sluice area.

Signed H.Oliver Date 27/09/23

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Name: Olena Miniailo Address: Shally Mews, Kolly Avenue Whitley Bay NELG 1EB 38 Berestord Road Licensing Seaton Sluice Whitley Bay NE26 4RQ Objective: Premises: Seaton Sluice Reason for Representation: Support (continue on separate sheet if necessary) Me and my two kids sycling a lot alone to Seafront and toward Blyth pass by Seaton Sluice, where we stop for fish and chips and icerream. It will be nice to see a new modern Bistro, where we can stop for a lunch in the fature. There are no Bistro, caffes in that area, just two pubs, fish and chips restourantes, is fully booked all of the time. I fully support the idea of opening a Bistro.

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Name: GRAHAM WHEELER Address: 76 MOUNTFIELD GARDENS

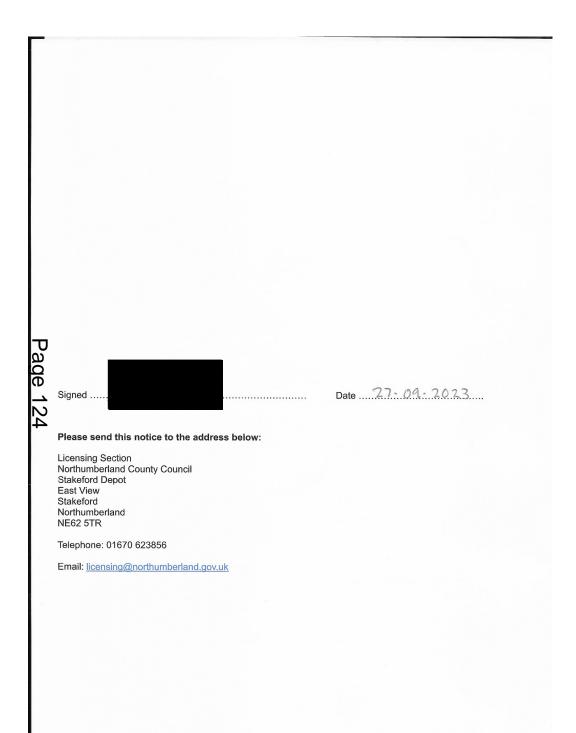
NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE NE3300 Licensing Objective: PROTECTING AND IMPROVING

Premises: THE PANS 38 BERESFORD ROAD SEATON SLUTCE, OC WHATLEY BAY, NEZG 4RQ

Reason for Representation:

### (continue on separate sheet if necessary)

I KNOW LZSA FROM THE QUREN'S HEAD PUB IN CULLERCOATS WHERE I HAVE HAD TWO VENDING MACHINES INSTALLED FOR THE LAST FOUR YEARS THROUGH MY COMPANY CITADEL VENDING. I AM AN APPROVED FUNDRAISER FOR CANCER RESEARCH U.K. AND THE VENDING MACHINES IN LISA'S PUB HAVE HELPED RAISE VITAL FUNDS FOR THE FIGHT AGAINST CANCER. LISA HAS ALWAYS BEEN A POLITE, FRIENDLY AND VERY PROFESSIONAL LANDLADY AND REVIVED THE QUEEN'S HEAD PUB FROM IT'S PREVIOUS RUN-DOWN STATE INTO A LIVELY, TRADITIONAL FAMILY PUB THAT IS VERY POPULAR WITH THE LOCALS. I'M SURE A NEW BISTRO WITH LISA AT THE HELM WOULD BE A GREAT ADDITION TO SEATON SLUTCE.



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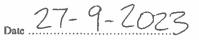
Address: STANLEY COTTAGE, PRESTON VILLASE WARREN GRANT Name: NORTH SHIELDS, NE299NB. Objective: SUPPORT Licensing

BERBFORD ROAD SEATON SLUICE. Premise 38

Reason for Representation: (continue on separate sheet if necessary)

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Signed



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Email: licensing01@northumberland.gov.uk

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Address: 19, CLARENCE STREE SEATON SLUICE Objective: Licensing SUPPORT

Premises: THE PANS, 38 BEREFORD RD, SEATON SLUICE

#### Reason for Representation:

#### (continue on separate sheet if necessary)

WOULD JUST LIKE TO ADD MY SUPPORT TO THIS PROPOSED VENTURE OPPORTURITY. FILL AD EMPTY RETAIL DUTLET IN A VILLAGE WHICH LACKS SUCH PREMISES. AS A LIGE LONG RESIDENT IN SEATON SLUICE I HAVE SEEN MANY SHOPS AND THE LIKE COME AND GO DUER THE YEARS, OF WHICH NUMBER NEARLY 70. THE CONVERSION PROPOSED BISTRO/CAES WONLD CIND A USE FOR THEALVISE EMOTY BUILDING PROVIDING A CAREER AND ESIBLE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITES FOR OTHERS LEU THE USE DE THE MEDRE SAID WOULD PROVIDE STING A PLACE FOR BOTH YOUNG ANT OLD ALIKS ESPECIALLY ELDERLY WHO COULD WALK TO IT AND CATCH UP ITH FRIENDS OR FAMILT. Page 127 SEE BOTH SIDES OG THE POSSIPHES AUTIAM LEANING TO THE ADVANTACES OCIT BEING AN ASSEN TI

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Date 27/9/23

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#### **Caroline James**

From:	Licensing01
Sent:	29 September 2023 08:53
То:	Caroline James
Subject:	Fw: Licence application 20230831: 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

Licensing Team Business Compliance & Public Safety Unit Public Protection Service Northumberland County Council West Hartford Fire Station & HQ Fire Station West Hartford Business Park Cramlington N 23 3JP C E: Licensing01@northumberland.gov.uk

From: Wendy Davison
Sent: 28 September 2023 4:42 PM
To: Licensing01 
Subject: Licence application 20230831: 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4RQ

Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing in support of Lisa Glynn's application for a licence for sale of alcohol (on sales) Sunday-Wednesday 1200-2000 and regulated entertainment (recorded music).

I feel that the change of purpose of the former Persona Hair and Beauty Salon to a Bistro would be an asset to the village and would provide a pleasant venue for residents and visitors. I have visited Ms Glynn's current establishment, The Queens's Head, Cullercoats on many occasions and I am always impressed by the standard of food and service and the quality of the surroundings. Both the interior and exterior of the pub is immaculate and Ms Glynn is sensitive to the needs

of local residents with regard to noise etc. I have no doubt that she would run a bistro in Seaton Sluice to a similar very high standard.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Wendy Davison

2 Stardale Malvern Road Seaton Sluice NE26 4BY

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Jandra ham Name:

Address: 139 ZISJON AVE NESTORKI

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**Objective:** 

Premises: 38, Bener ford RA. 14E26 4RQ

Reason for Representation:

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Date 26/9/2023

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Name: Kathleen Appleby..... Address: 52 Southward, Seaton Sluice, NE26 4DH.....

Licensing Objective: .....

Premises: The Pans, Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice.....

Reason for Representation:

I think "The Pans" would be a welcome addition to Seaton Sluice. Yes, there are a few pubs in the village, but this could be something new, different and exciting for the villagers & visitors to our lovely area. It would be great to be able to pop in for a coffee after walking the dogs, or for a bite to eat, without having to get a bus or taxi to go out of the village for something other than "Pub Grub"

I welcome the idea of The Pans & wish it every success.

Signed ...Kathleen Appleby......Date ...27/09/2023.....

#### Please send this notice to the address below:

Licensing Section Northumberland County Council Stakeford Depot East View Stakeford Northumberland NE62 5TR

Telephone: 01670 623856

Email: <a href="mailto:licensing@northumberland.gov.uk">licensing@northumberland.gov.uk</a>

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# Date 27/9/23.

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Name: Valentyne Worren Address: 7 Norma Crescent NE26 2 PD

38 Beresford Road Licensing

**Objective:** 

Premises: Seaton Shije

Reason for Representation: Support

(continue on separate sheet if necessary)

I 100 % support for opening carte (bistro) in Sector Surice, Itisgreat idea and will help local people to garther in there for breakfast or leunch or tea. It is great to see how pepple shill willing to open something respecially after Could. Visiters will have oppotenty to enjoy new fresh food (not just pubes food or fish and chips, I think locals should support more people who are trying to Page 936 thing wice for the area. We have always visit and symport and

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From: Sent: To: Subject: lisambagnall 15 September 2023 15:37 Lyndsey Alderson; Caroline James Suggested conditions

**Categories**:

**Requires** Action

Dear Lyndsey/Caroline,

Please could you add these suggested conditions to my licencing application.

Admission:

No person under the age of 18 will permitted to enter the premises without supervision of an adult.

04. Between 9am-10pm no customer will be permitted to enter or leave the premises by means of the back door; Only the front door will be accessible to customers.

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09. Customers permitted to temporarily leave and re-enter the premises to smoke must be restricted to a designated smoking area defined as .... On the plan. No more than 8 customers will be permitted to remain in the designated smoking area at any one time.

## Alcohol

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13. The premises licence holder must submit to the relevant police officer (Neil Kirkpatrick - A completed risk assessment form as prescribed at least 14 days before any event that is:

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## Deliveries

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## Noise

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## Outdoor Areas

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29. Clear and legible notices must be prominently displayed at any area used for smoking requesting customers to respect the needs of local residents and use the area quietly.

## Records

30. A refusals record must be kept at the premises which details all refusals to sell alcohol. This record must include the date and time of the incident, a description of the customers, the name of the staff member who refused the sale and the reason the sale was refused. All entries must be made within 24 hours of the refusal. The Page  $\frac{1}{2}40$ 

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Staff

37. A personal Licence Holder must be present at the premises to supervise all sales of alcohol.

## Waste

40. Between the house of 8pm – 9am no waste/glass bottles will be moved or deposited outside.

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Additional Notes:

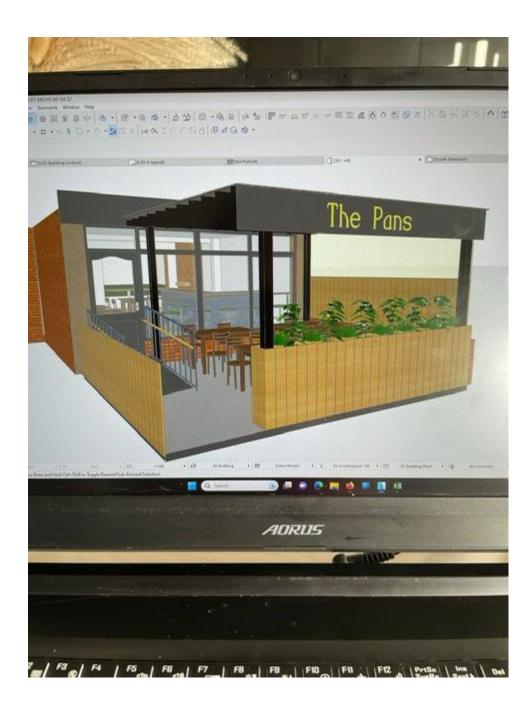
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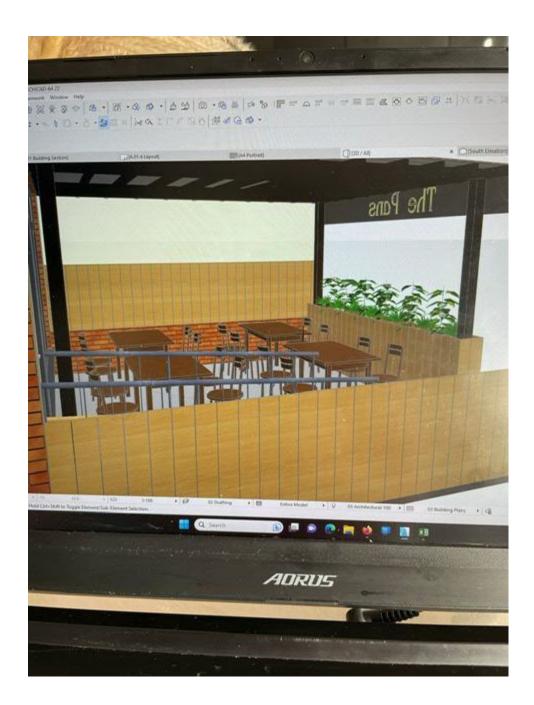
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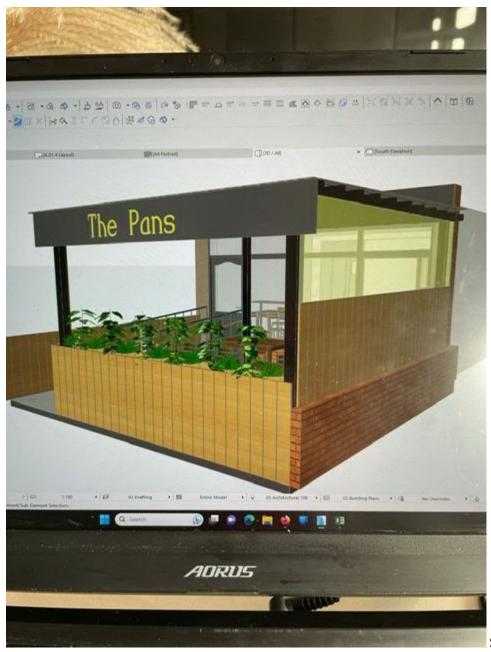
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Please see attached images below.

Kind regards Lisa Bagnall







Sent from my iPhone

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Sarah Balmain 18 September 2023 20:58 Caroline James Re: Additional Licence Conditions proposal - The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice

Good Evening,

I do not accept the proposed additional conditions and I will respond to the below in due course.

Regards,

Sarah Balmain and Marco Charters-Barron

On Mon, 18 Sep 2023 at 10:09, Caroline James <<u>Caroline.James@northumberland.gov.uk</u>> wrote: Good Morning

Further to your representation in respect of the above premises licence application.

Please see below a list of additional Licence conditions offered by Lisa Bagnall together with photos of the proposed outside set up. Please direct all comments to Lisa Bagnall. Please also copy the Licensing Section into any correspondence and to advise if you accept the proposed additional conditions by the **27**<sup>th</sup> **September 2023.** 

#### Admission:

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#### **Designated smoking area**

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#### Alcohol

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From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Emma Agar 18 September 2023 20:17 Caroline James Re: Additional Licence Conditions proposal - The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice

Dear Caroline

Thank you for your email.

I do not accept the additional conditions as stated below and I will reply in full in due course.

There remains a number of concerns and many of the points I highlighted in my letter dated 09/09/2023 have failed to be addressed.

Regards Miss Agar

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#### Designated smoking area

From:	The Churchills
Sent:	19 September 2023 20:50
То:	
Cc:	Licensing Mailbox; Caroline James
Subject:	RE - Additional Licence Conditions Proposal - 38

#### Dear Ms Bagnall,

We have both submitted notices of representation with regard to your licensing application for 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice, however have only received one e-mail between us from Caroline James of Northumberland County Council with your additional licence conditions proposal, so we are sending you a joint reply. In any case we believe yours is a general response to a number of people, who have submitted notices of representation, rather than a personal response identifying individual concerns.

Can we say from the outset that, rather than allaying our concerns regarding your plans for the premises, the conditions you have offered to place upon the use as a bistro/cafe/bar have merely confirmed our fears that the intention is for this too be much more than the 'small premises possibly up to 20 seats to potentially convert into a cafe bistro' as you indicated on the licensing application or what you have described elsewhere as 'a family run Bistro serving small plates on a weekend evening perfect for a family get together, date night or even just a friendly meal, alongside breakfasts in the morning........... so people can enjoy a glass of wine with a meal or just to enjoy while catching up with friends'

Below we address some of your points to explain why we do not accept the application even with the additional conditions and why we will continue to oppose your application.

#### Admission:

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• <u>Between 9am-10pm</u> no customer will be permitted to enter or leave the premises by means of the back door; Only the front door will be accessible to customers.

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We believe the outside seating area as shown on the plans is 'substantially enclosed' so smoking would be prohibited. Even if final plans show it is not substantially enclosed, it puts smokers too close to non smokers, putting non smokers at risk from passive smoking. We believe that a condition of no smoking on of the premises will have to be imposed, this will then push smokers out onto the footpath and close to a bus shelter, exposing members of the public and children to tobacco smoke. Smokers will congregate around the exterior of neighbouring homes allowing smoke to drift into the homes and the pavement in this area will be covered in discarded cigarette buts.

#### Alcohol

• Customers will not be permitted to remove from the premises any drinks supplied by the premises (alcoholic) in open containers.

It is hard to see how this will be enforced in the outside seating area by staff inside the premises, it is likely people will walk off with glasses depositing them on nearby garden walls or breaking them, as already occurs outside and on the routes from other licensed premises in the area.

• No beer, lager, cider, ale or spirit mixers with an alcohol by volume content above 40% will be sold or offered for sale.

We are not sure if this reference to 40% is a standard condition set in a licensing context but clearly we are looking at more than a glass of wine with a meal, the intention is to serve liquor in all its guises, beer, cider, spirits with mixers and cocktails.

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o Features DJs, MCs or equivalent performing to a recorded backing track; and

o Runs anytime between the hours of ...

So rather than being a "family run bistro serving small plates", the intention is create a music venue serving alcohol and to stage 'events' with DJs and MCs. Clearly more than simply recorded music to create a pleasant ambience for a family friendly or date night meal.

#### CCTV

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It is interesting such attention is paid to CCTV, again this may be a standard detail required for licensing but it is concerning that it in effect acknowledges that there is potential for issues with customers that will require comprehensive CCTV coverage.

#### Deliveries

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#### Dispersals

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### Large Events

• The Premises Licence Holder must comply with the Event Management Plan submitted to and approved by the Licensing Authority and no changes will be made to the Event Management Plan without the prior written consent to the Licensing Authority.

It is extremely concerning that the term 'large events' is used at all in the context of what is described in the original application as 'small premises possibly up to 20 seats to potentially convert into a cafe bistro' with a stated intention to cater for family get togethers, date nights and friendly meals. Why do large events even have to be mentioned unless it is to cover the possibility that such will be considered in the future?

#### Noise

• The location and orientation of loudspeakers must be as specified on the attached premises plan.

• All external windows and doors must be kept shut at all times when regulated entertainment is being provided. Doors may be opened for normal entrance and egress of people but must be shut immediately thereafter.

Clearly the plan is for multiple loud speakers, this associated with DJs and MCs playing recorded music does not suggest background music for diners but actually a music venue of some sort. It appears that entertainment involving music, played by DJs, through loudspeakers is what is actually intended for these premises. Is it really also being suggested that at the height of summer all windows and doors will be kept shut 'at all times' to regulate noise with up to 50 persons squeezed into the premises? Presumably windows and doors will be kept shut until people start collapsing with heat stroke? Or will air conditioning units be installed subjecting neighbours to the constant drone of such units, to compound the noise that will already exist from the kitchen extractors that will be running when food is being served?

#### **Outdoor Areas**

 No more than 16 customers will be permitted to enter or remain in the outdoor area of the premises at any one time between the house of (<u>9am-8pm Friday</u>, Saturday, Sunday) and (<u>9am – 6pm Sunday</u> – Wednesday).

• Clear and legible notices must be prominently displayed at any area used for smoking requesting customers to respect the needs of local residents and use the area quietly.

The issue of smoking is already addressed above but we cannot see how the outdoor space will accommodate 16 people, 8 of whom will be smoking, without exposing the other 8 non smokers to tobacco smoke, with all the now well known dangers of lung cancer caused by passive smoking

#### Records

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#### Waste

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#### Additional Notes:

• The architect I have working on the plans is currently on holiday, when she returns she will update the plans to identify the location of CCTV and speakers within the premises.

• I am currently waiting for a sound assessment to be carried out at the premises, when this is returned to me from Apex Acoustics I will inform you of the sound levels I will meet at the premises.

Will this assessment include the fact all windows and doors will be kept closed even in the middle of summer or will the assessment be carried out with windows and doors open (which will be the reality) and measure those potential sound levels?

• Could we add these proposed changes to the outdoor area; we have raised the wall with fencing between the premises and <u>40 Beresford Road</u> to provide more privacy while people are dining. We have included some clear Perspex above that fencing and on the top of the pergola in the hope that we can reduce the flow of noise to neighbouring properties.

These changes will we believe make this area substantially enclosed and mean smoking will not be permitted.

#### Additionally - Parking

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We hope to be able to put our points forward at any licensing hearing.

Yours sincerely, Don and Sue Churchill

32 Beresford Road | Seaton Sluice | Northumberland | U.K. | NE26 4RQ

22 September 2023 09:10 Caroline James Fw: Letter Ref CJ/LP/Prem/New

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From: David Ferguson
Sent: 21 September 2023 10:20 PM
To: Licensing01 
Subject: Letter Ref CJ/LP/Prem/New

Dear Caroline James,

Seaton Sluice, Northumberland, NE26 4RQ. In your letter you request that I direct my response to Lisa Bagnall, the applicant, and copy in this email address. Thank you for your letter with the above reference dated 18<sup>th</sup> September 2023 with regards to the new premises license for The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Unfortunately I do not have any direct contact details for Lisa and hope that you are able to share this with her.

Thank you for your response. Unfortunately there are still many issues that have not been addressed. Can I begin by highlighting the number of the proposed additional conditions included in the letter. The number of additional conditions only further highlights that the location you wish to open your business at is not the right location for the type of business you are wanting to operate. Whilst I support your endeavor in wanting to open a business in the village, I do not believe it can operate at this location and in the way you want without it impacting negatively both on residents and on your businesses prospects. I am concerned as to how a number of the conditions will be enforced and worry that some will be conveniently forgotten in 6 months time. Is it fair for staff and customers to have to keep doors and windows closed when music is played via speakers, especially during hot summer months? Can safe working conditions be maintained? Who will you deal with a grout where numbers exceed those in the conditions? How will you deal with a grout where numbers exceed those in the conditions? How will staff and neighbours be protected if numbers are exceeding the conditions and people refuse to leave and become aggressive?	How will smoking be limited to 8 seats out of the 16 outdoor seats proposed? I expect this will be very difficult because of how close the seats are together. Vaping has become increasingly popular and the vapour and smell from these devices is also problematic. The nearest seat is within 1m of my window. How will vaping be controlled on the premises? We will customers using the outdoor space be prevented from taking drinks on to the front pavement if staff are busy inside? We set will not be put out between the hours of 8pm – 9am. In a small premises, how can safety be maintained if waste has built up inside and can not be taken because it is 8.15pm but the venue is busy on a Saturday night? Most likely staff will take the waste out and hope the residents don't notice.	Beyond the concerns above around the enforcement of the proposed conditions I also have some further concerns regarding the premises and the safety of patrons, public & residents as well as the prevention of public nuisance which have not been addressed. There is no designated parking for deliveries. The parking around the property is limited and usually taken up by residents. Where will any delivery vans/ wagons	park and what will they do if they cant get parked? I assume find a way to pull on to the pavement. This will pose a significant risk to cyclists using the cycle path as well as children walking and cycling to and from school? If the delivery vans / wagons do find space on the off street parking, they will still need to unload over the cycle path and footpath. Again this will pose a risk to the public. How can deliveries be made to the premises whilst maintaining public safety?	Customers only being allowed to use the front door – I expect in the event of a fire this would be not be maintained and rightly so. However, the side door goes in to dark, narrow alley way. This is not a safe fire escape.	With regards to the proposed pergola and fencing in the outdoor area. I believe this would need planning permission which you do not currently have. Using this to mitigate noise concerns when there is no guarantee of receiving planning permission does not work. You also refer to raising the height of the wall between the premises and 40 Beresford Road. It is my understanding that the wall is part of my property and that I am responsible for its maintenance and upkeep. Any construction added to the wall would also become my responsibility, something I am not willing to accept. Any legal agreement to take responsibility for the wall and any additional construction would need to be agreed between the landlord of 38 Beresford Road and myself. This is not something I can agree with you as a tenant of 38 Beresford Road and myself. This is not something I can agree with you as a tenant of 38 Beresford Road and myself. This is not something I can agree with you as a tenant of 38 Beresford Road and myself. This is not something I can agree with you as a tenant of 38 Beresford Road and myself. This is not something I can agree with you as a tenant of 38 Beresford Road and myself. This is not something I can agree with you as a tenant of 38 Beresford Road and myself. This is not something I can agree with you as a tenant of 38 Beresford Road.
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Kind regards, David Ferguson 40 Beresford Road Seaton Sluice

Miss Agar 44 Beresford Road Seaton Sluice NE26 4RQ 23/09/2023.

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Sarah Balmain 2023 21:28	From:
25 September 2023 21:28	Sent:
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Re: The Pans	Subject:

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Dear Lisa,

We have read your response to our objections and we do not accept.

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wrote: On Tue, 19 Sep 2023 at 13:25, lisambagnall Dear Ms Balmain,

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relaxing meal with a glass of wine. We are not looking to attract a crowd of drinkers as a pub would but somewhere for couples, friends and families looking to relaxed and modern environment which differs from a traditional pub. I want to provide a space where local people and other customers can come to enjoy a go out for a meal whether that be for a breakfast catchup or an evening meal at the weekend with an alcoholic drink. I will now take your objections in turn Firstly, I want to introduce you to The Pans and the vision I have for the Bistro. The Bistro would bring something new and refreshing to the village giving a

smoke is to prevent people moving further out onto the street/cycle paths to have a smoke who will likely leave tab dumps on the ground. If there are ashtrays provided this will limit mess laying on the floor and any people gathering further away from the premises. I have attached the proposed opening hours for The cigarette must do so only on tables designated for smoking which are located at the furthest end from your property. The reason for allowing customers to I will start with the issues to have raised in regards to your baby. I understand your concerns as I have four children myself and will do everything I can to prevent any disturbance. Firstly, I have designated an area for smoking to ensure that the smoking at the premises is controlled. Those wishing to have a Pans below, we will be closing the outdoor area no later than 8pm, I believe this is a reasonable time and customers sitting outside will be asked to be respectful to our neighbours.

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Yours Sincerely, Lisa Bagnall

The Pans

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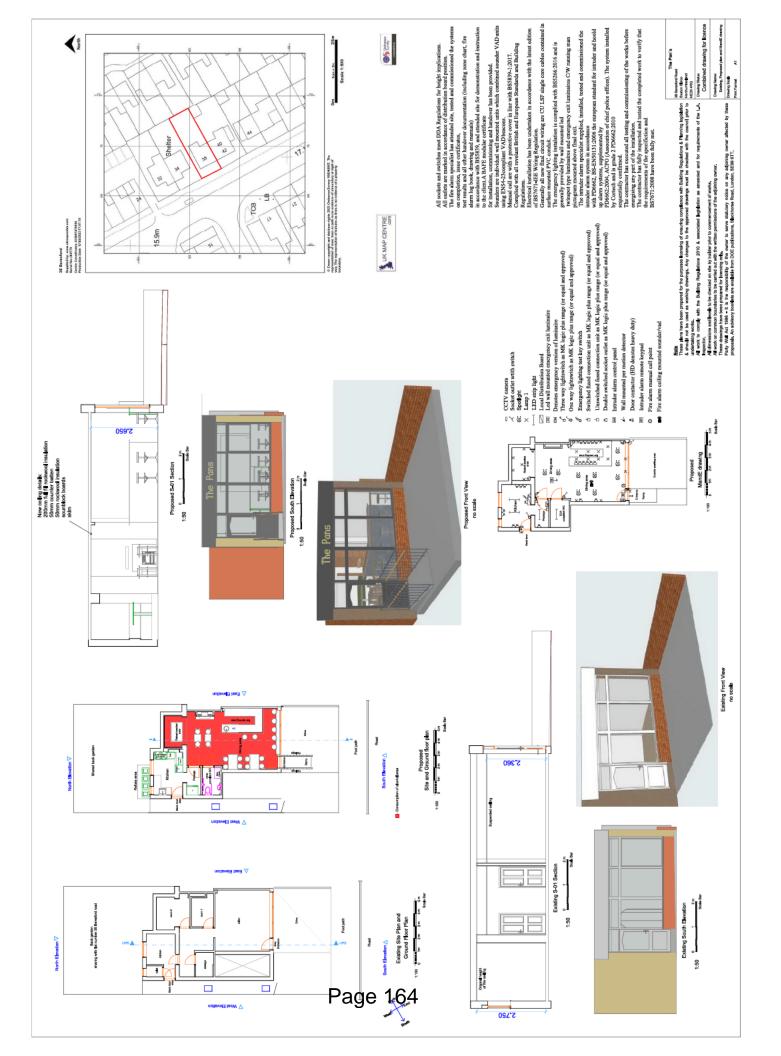
These are the revised plans without the outdoor area to be added to the application.

Regards Lisa Bagnall

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These plans have been prepared for the purposes licensing of ensuring compliance with Building Regulations & Planning legislation & should not be used as working drawings. Any changes to the approved drawings must be checked with the council prior to undertaking works.

All work to comply with the Building Regulations 2010 & associated legislation as amended and for requirements of the L.A. Inspector.

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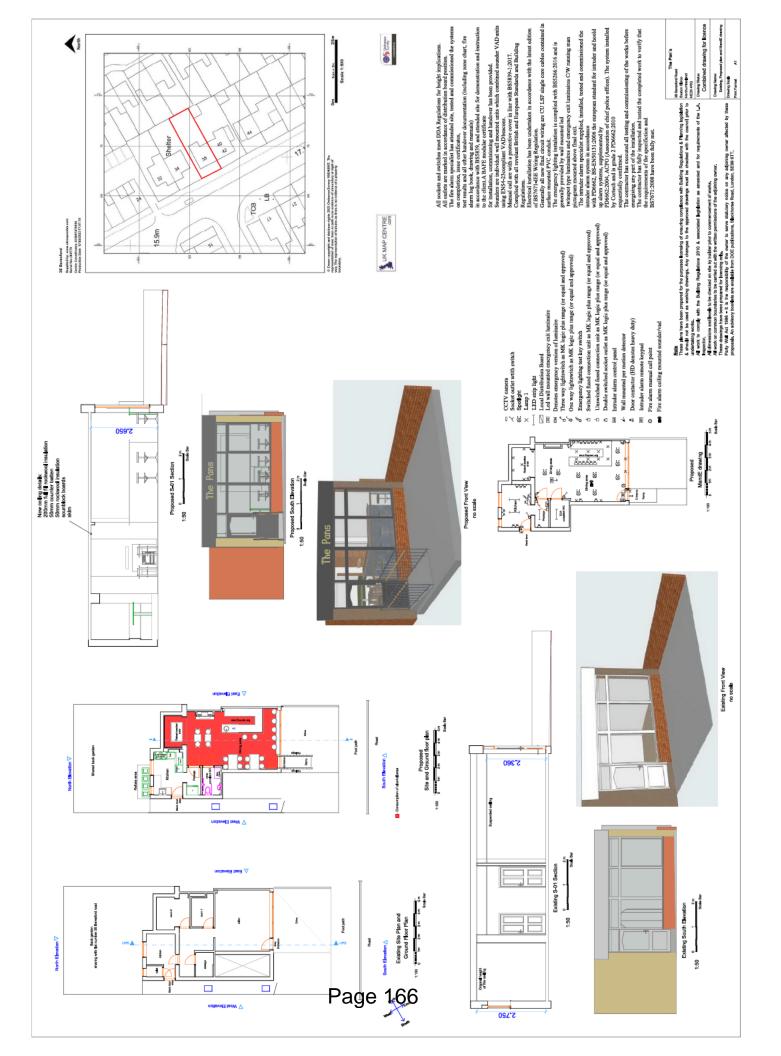
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These drawings have been prepared for licencing

Party Wall Act 1996 - It is the responsibility of the owner to serve statutory notice on any adjoining owner affected by these proposals. An advisory booklets are available from DOE publications, Blackhorse Road, London, SE99 6TT.

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From:	Sarah Balmain
Sent:	26 September 2023 20:49
То:	Caroline James
Cc:	Heather Gebbie; Licensing01;
Subject:	Re: Revised Plan proposal - The Pans, 38 Beresford Road, Seaton Sluice

Dear Lisa,

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We have read your revised plan proposal, and we still do not accept.

As per my response sent yesterday as I have copied below, the following issues still occur for this plan - Noise pollution, Risk for public safety, public nuisance and crime and disorder.

This is due to the bistro being open late at night, as well as being catered for a large amount of people, as well as selling alcohol to

People who smoke, vape, pop outside for a phone call, chat with someone they're with will more than likely hang around the outdoor area and cause a great deal of noise for neighbours nearby. As well as people waiting for taxis, leaving the bistro whilst being drunk.

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Good afternoon

Further to my earlier email.

Sarah Balmain and Marco Charters-Barron

It has been brought to our attention that the plans sent earlier today still made reference to an outside seating area. This was an oversight by the architect and a revised plan has been provided, please see attached.

Kind regards

Caroline

Don and Sue Churchill 32 Beresford Road | Seaton Sluice | Northumberland | U.K. | NE26 4RQ |

#### thinking that this is a deliberate tactic. It seems that such a significant change should extend the time allowed to submit representations. To the change - presumably the removal of outside seating from the plan means there will be no temporary or removable seating and/or tables

placed outside at all? There will be no consumption of alcohol permitted outside the premises i.e. smokers taking their drinks outside?

#### be clear we do not accept the proposed additional condition.

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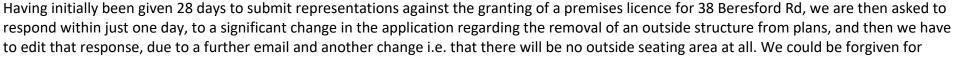
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Good Evening Ms. Bagnall,

CC. Miss C James and Northumberland County Council Licensing.

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#### **Caroline James**



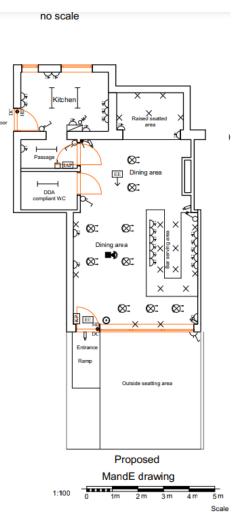
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I acknowledge the withdrawal of the outside seating area to be included within the license application, however your plans still show an outside seating area.



A number of concerns still remain, as detailed in my letter dated 23/09/2023.

#### **Other licensed premises**

The village already has a large number of establishments that offer a food service as well as alcohol as described in my previous letter. The withdrawal of your license application for the outside area does not change this fact. The village already has 10 premises licensed to sell alcohol.

#### Anti-Social Behaviour

Customers who smoke will want to take their drinks outside, you have now amended your application which would not allow this to take place. Should customers become angered and upset due to being under the influence of alcohol this creates a public safety issue.

Whilst customers remain on or in the vicinity of your property you are responsible for them.

#### Fire Safety

The withdrawal of the licensed outside seating does not address the concerns highlighted in my letter date 23/09/2023.

#### <u>Noise</u>

Concerns highlighted on 23/09/2023 still remain, the removal of the outside licensed area does not mitigate against these. Confining customers to only be permitted to drink inside could further escalate noise generated by them, especially when under the influence of alcohol. This is a public nuisance issue.

#### **Smoking**

It is known that customers will smoke and vape which is likely to increase when they are drinking. There appears to be no fixed provision for litter created by smoking paraphernalia. Your plans still show an outside seating area, which customers are likely to drink and smoke at, although drinking would not be permitted as part of your revised plans. How do you propose to manage this?

This is both a public safety and prevention of public nuisance issue.

#### Cycle storage

The change in application does not address the safety risks identified in my letter dated 23/09/2023. There continues to be public safety issues, which would be compounded by the sale of alcohol.

#### <u>Waste</u>

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#### **Parking**

The withdrawal of the licensed outside seating still does not address the additional pressures that will be placed on local parking.

Unfortunately, I cannot support you in your venture to open The pans.

Regards

Miss Agar.

Miss Agar 44 Beresford Road Seaton Sluice NE26 4RQ 26/09/2023.

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- How will manage noise levels to prevent a nuisance to neighbours?
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