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Subject: premises licence variation at cattows farm, heather

Licensing application- 18/00284/VRYPL
Premises Licence Variation Cattows Farm, Normanton Lane, Heather, Leics, LE67 2TD
Case Officer – Matthew Pickering

Dear Sir,

We are writing to object in the strongest terms to the above licence variation which is proposing to almost double the number of people allowed at events held at Cattows Farm.

Please find our objections listed below:

1. If this proposal is allowed it would lead to an unacceptable increase in traffic on the local roads on days of events held at Cattows Farm especially through Packington and Normanton Le Heath.
2. At the moment traffic for all present events at this venue use one entrance (the Normanton Le Heath side of the farm). This would mean an increase in traffic along the narrow and twisty lane from Packington to Heather which we consider would be dangerous to visiting cars/passengers and to local residents.
3. At present when there are events at the farm there are pedestrians walking along the road/lane from Packington to Heather and on the grass verges. There are no pavements on this road. Once again there is a safety issue if the number of people allowed at the venue doubles.
4. There is the risk that if the events become larger that the noise level/disturbance for neighbouring villages will increase too. The noise levels at present events are already a great disturbance to those living nearby. It would be unacceptable to increase the volume of music to match the proposed increase in audience numbers.
5. The local area around Cattows Farm is much too small to cope with 9,999 people alongside their vehicles.

For all the above reasons we hope that this licence variation will be refused.

Liz and Phil Colclough

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