



26th August 2021

**North West Leicestershire District Council,
Whitwick Road,
Coalville,
Leicestershire,
LE6 3FJ**

Dear Sir or Madam,

Re: Spar Castle Donington, Delven Lane, Castle Donington, DE74 2LJ

I am Chairman of Castle Donington Town Bowls Club whose premises are adjacent to the ex Library, now apparently a Spar shop.

I note the notice advising of the application for a Premises Licence and wish to register my objections on behalf of the Bowls Club.

Firstly we have not, as neighbours, received any planning notice nor have seen a planning notice displayed at the premises, advising an application for change of use from a Library to a Shop and therefore conclude that the premises are still a Library. This being so I object to a Library selling alcohol.

Secondly, we already suffer litter from the younger elements of the area using our car park as a dining area and leaving behind their litter. Should a shop be approved and granted an alcohol Premises Licence this can only compound our current problems.

We are not able to fence off and gate our car park as the Territorial Army use the hut accessed through our car park and we in turn have access rights across the veterinary hospital car park so they cannot gate their car park as they have to give us and the T A access.

The village already has five shops selling alcohol, will soon have a sixth as well as a variety of food outlets that sell alcohol and a multiplicity of public houses , hotels and clubs, so an additional alcohol selling outlet is simply not required.

I trust this application will be refused.

Yours faithfully,

Paul Clewett

