APPENDIX 5

Gary Callum

From:

Sent:

11 September 2023 10:53

To:

Liquor Licensing

Subject:

The Fat Ox, 278 Whitley Road, Whitley Bay, Tyne & Wear NE26 2TG - Objection to

changes

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To whom it may concern.

I am writing to object to the stated intent to allow for the extension of the the premise license to start from a proposed time of 9 am for 7 days of the week.

It is sad to see there is already a number of premises that allow for the sale of Alcohol from early in the day which has led to an increase of anti social behavior in the town center.

Rather than enhancing the town center, i can only see that this will increase the already prevalent problematic behavior and impact the overall environment.

Whilst I have no objection to the use of alcohol per se there is already an increasing number of outlets that are in danger of returning the town to the days of South Parade and Esplanade etc.

Catering to sale of Alcohol from 9am is not something the licensing committee should be considering on such a key central location, never mind in the town at all.

Therefore I suggest they refuse this application.

Regards