

Response to Notice of Hearing

Licensing Service, Blackpool Council.

Wine Shop, 27 Whitegate Drive - PL0110

We believe the Hearing will be best served, from the Communities side, by written representation - when hopefully The Wine Shop will withdraw their application, on considering the collective objections, making a Hearing unnecessary.

If the Hearing is to be held - by considering a written deputation, the Licensing Panel, will have a fuller appreciation of the collective Communities disappointment at the lack of interest shown in the well-being, health and safety of this local District Centre, of which the Post Office and now The Wine Shop, have become an integral part.

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Objection to the ammended application:sale of alcohol, off the premises from 08:00 to 03:00 hours:
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After the controversial move of the Post Office, 28 Whitegate Drive into the Wine Shop opposite, we as a community at the North end of the Drive, met the proprietor and property owner, at a Talbot PACT meeting in the Guards Club, where they were welcomed and wished every success. We in turn were informed that the benefit to the District Centre, was that the Post Office would be open longer and that the Wine Shop would be intergrated, as part of the new overall retail establishment.

This ammended application to extend their opening times, by a further hour, has not taken into account the good will of Talbot and Brunswick communities, both of whos PACT meetings voted unanimously, against any change to the Wine Shops' present hours of 08:00 to 11:00, on the grounds that any increase in the further availability of alcohol, by any establishment, could only increase the probability of more, Nuisance Disorder and of Criminal Behaviour.

We as a Resident Association, add our objections for the same reasons. It may seem, in the overall Local Plan, one hour makes little difference - but one hour may be the last straw.

Bryan Road alone, has seven properties on the market and more in the surrounding 'Trees' area, unprecedented in the last forty years. As always, with the councils help, we can halt any further decline - please reject this ammendment and send a message, that however small, any change that is detrimental to a Local District Centre, will not be sanctioned.

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