## **Annexe 5– SUPPORT**

## <u>1.</u>

From: Sally Dickson

Sent: Monday 21 June 2021 19:16

To: George Hesse; Ruth Reed

Cc: Penny Marriott; Licensing Policy; All Councillors Email Group; Planning

Subject: Re: Licensing Act 2003 - Application

I just wanted to add to this discussion.

When we had the application for the outside benches last year, the occupier of the house across the road

from the Hops Blossom was in favour of the benches. He said he had been in the house for many years,

had bought it in the knowledge the pub was there, and never found the noise a problem.

The Hops Blossom Pub dates back to 1871, so it is far older than any of the current residents.

This is a fun pub and very much part of Farnham's night-time economy, I think drinking up time at 22.00 is

perfectly fine. It means the pub will be closing as the BBC News at Ten finishes, which is hardly late in the

evening.

Cllr Sally Dickson

## 2.

From: Peter Isherwood

Sent: Monday 21 June 2021 19:20

To: Sally Dickson; George Hesse; Ruth Reed

Cc: Penny Marriott; Licensing Policy; All Councillors Email Group; Planning

Subject: Re: Licensing Act 2003 - Application

I totally agree with Sally Dickson, the local residents, who are few in number, supported the application for the

outside benches last year.

**Peter Isherwood** 

From: Jerry Hyman

Sent: Thursday 24 June 2021 13:49

To: Peter Isherwood; Sally Dickson; George Hesse; Ruth Reed

Cc: Penny Marriott; Licensing Policy; Planning

Subject: Re: Licensing Act 2003 - Application - Hop Blossom

If we're judging this on an assumption that it will apply in 'normal times' then I don't really see the need

for an outdoor drinking-up time, because any remaining drinks can be taken indoors. Is that a valid consideration?

I doubt it's important so I'm happy to remain confused, but If Sally and Peter are sure that a 10pm outdoor

curfew "... means the pub will be closing as the BBC News at Ten finishes, which is hardly late in the evening" then I ought to make some effort to understand what that means!

Is it true that the proposed change to Condition 1 would mean that the pub will close at 10pm (Coronavirus restrictions aside)?

I thought it meant that the Condition would require that outdoor drinking ends at 10pm. I'd be happy with

that.

Jerry