

**Re: Gorillas License Review - 113 Bryan Avenue**

Dear Sir / Madam,

I am a long-term resident of Bryan Avenue and am writing in relation to the license review for the above premises.

In the period since the license was granted, there have been continual infractions of the license conditions. In addition, it has been demonstrated that in order to more adequately protect residents and the public, the conditions should also be made more restrictive

Issues of public nuisance occur frequently. The operating hours of 8am to Midnight 7 days a week are already unsuitably long for a residential area. There are frequent deliveries by HGVs or Gorillas noisy private rubbish collections out of hours - usually early in the morning while people are trying to sleep. This is often exacerbated by additional noise from unnecessary idling or refrigeration units. The street is frequently blocked by large HGVs and I have seen ambulances and other vehicles unable to get through. There can be multiple deliveries at once. All of this heavy goods traffic is also having a detrimental impact on the street. A number of the flowering cherry trees have had limbs knocked off, kerbs have been damaged by large vehicles pushing them up at angles, such that they are now a danger to pedestrians and drivers. There has been a lot of additional wear and tear on our residential road and environs.

Crime and public safety / protection of children. There have been many instances of riders not using lights as they are required to. Riders come and go, often at high speed and there have been a number of near misses. It is dangerous for residents to cross the road. I saw some visitors to the street and their toddler nearly get skittled in front of Gorillas. I've seen riders take the corner too fast and end up on the pavement and/or not in control etc. There was also an incident when a HGV driver totally destroyed some railings on the footpath.

These matters have been raised repeatedly with Gorillas staff and managers by residents, but they keep happening.

15 November, 2022.