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To: Licence All

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I would like to object to this Temporary Event Notice as I believe it will undermine the licensing objective of prevention of public nuisance.

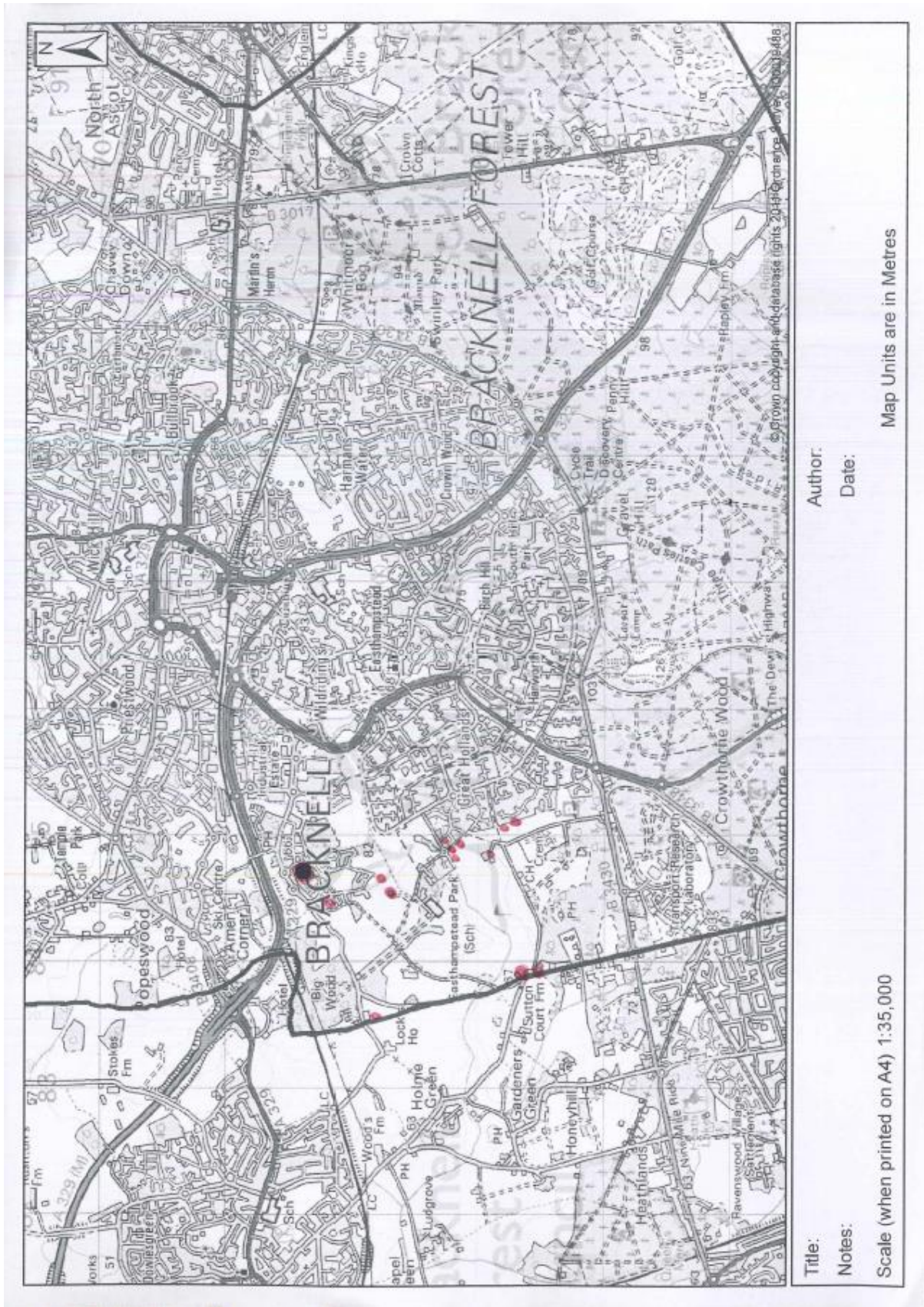
The reasons for this are that the event is to take place over a 3 day period on a site that is relatively close to residential accommodation. When a similar event took place in 2012 there were numerous complaints from the surrounding area, (See map attached of location of complainants). The site has been used for Weddings since the last music event where organisers have been asked to comply with the attached, with the noise from the music being reduced at 23.00 and no noise from the site after 1.00am. The weddings have also been asked to ensure that there is no noise emanating from the site boundary along Old Wokingham Road so as to protect nearby residents.

The event organiser has given extra information - see email attached which states that the level will be held at 98 dBA which considering the area of the site the noise level will considerably exceed the background noise level at 2.00am, there is no mention of how the noise will be controlled if the levels were exceeded and also from the attendees who are camping on the site.

Gail Siddall

Team manager

Map showing the location of noise complaints from previous event at Park View Farm



Conditions for Wedding events held at Park View Farm

1. Music at the event (DJ/Band) should only be between a specified timeframe. This will depend on the day of the week. No amplified music/speech will be permitted at the site after 01.00hrs for any event. Generally, we would suggest that amplified music /speech would be lowered at 23.00 (at the latest) and stopped completely at midnight.
2. Noise monitoring should be conducted by the event organiser at the perimeter of the farm on Old Wokingham Road, and the roadside next to the dwelling on Old Wokingham Road in closest proximity to Park View Farm. This is necessary to ensure the amplified music/speech can not be heard outside of the noise sensitive dwelling on Old Wokingham Road. This monitoring should be conducted straight away when the DJ/Band starts playing music, and again following this on an hourly basis (at minimum) until the music ends at the agreed time. This needs to be documented.
3. A letter should be prepared well in advance of the event by the organiser. This should include event details and event organiser mobile contact number, and delivered to the residential dwellings in close proximity to Farm View Farm. This is to inform these residents of the event, the finishing time of the music, and to provide a person who they can contact encase they are being disturbed by noise. This letter should be delivered no later than 7 days prior to the event.

Addresses:

- Houghtons Folly, Waterloo Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3DJ
 - Oakwood, Waterloo Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3DA
 - Bigwood House, Waterloo Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3DA
 - Bigwood Lodge, Easthampstead Park, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3DB
 - Robins Roost, Old Wokingham Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3BX
 - Park Cottage, Old Wokingham Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3BX
 - West Lodge, Old Wokingham Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3BT
 - College Hall, Old Wokingham Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3BT
 - The Cottage, College Hall, Old Wokingham Road, Wokingham, Berkshire, RG40 3BT
4. The loud speakers used at the farm for amplified music/speech should be faced away from noise sensitive dwellings on Old Wokingham Road.
 5. Use of a microphone for public addresses by the DJ/Band or other person should be avoided where possible, and if used should not be heard at the road side, outside of the noise sensitive dwelling in closest proximity to the farm.