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**Interim Public Protection Manager**  
Flintshire County Council  
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Dear Sirs

Re: Application for Premise Licence at 4 Thornfield Avenue, Connah's Quay.

With reference to the above Application, I write to object most strongly against this application being approved. These premises have in the past been operated as an Off Licence and the residents in this immediate area had their lives made an absolute misery and we do not want this to happen again.

We endured groups of individuals gathering outside the premises in the evenings, arguing and shouting, using obscene language, intimidating members of the public and playing loud music from vehicles into the early hours. This was combined with enormous amounts of litter strewn in the streets and private gardens, urinating in shop doorways and private gateways, damage to garden and garden fencing and drinking in public places i.e. surrounding streets and Wepre Park, which is an alcohol free zone. I would also point out that no other premises in this parade of shops is open after 21.00 hours.

We have a CCTV camera in this area but the situation was so bad that at one time the Police also needed a mobile CCTV unit to try and identify those responsible for all the damage and disruption. The number of complaints and reported incidents by residents to the Police was huge and all of the above can be verified by Police records.

I sincerely hope that we do not have to return to a similar scenario in the future and would stress that the granting of this application will make the residents lives an absolute misery. I strongly urge all concerned to refuse this request in the interests and well-being of the local residents.

Yours faithfully



Mrs I Gorst.