

Application N	Consultees Name	Recipient Address	Received	Comment	Response
2025/1812/P	Phil Thornton	8 Lisburne Road  NW3 2NR NW3 2NR	08/05/2025 09:52:25	SUPPRT	I fully support this proposal. MAP cafe offers a unique mix of community facilities and jazz live music. Thevenue has been integrated within the local neighbourhood for several years so the extension will not create new issues. Its loss would be a loss for the community
2025/1812/P	Katie Burke	Flat 1 35 Hawley Road NW1 8RW	08/05/2025 10:41:00	SUPPRT	I fully support this planning application as a local resident of three years. MAP is a gathering place for the local community and a bastion of creativity in London. In an age of technology and social media, it's a place to truly be present and social, a place to exchange ideas, catch up with old friends and meet new ones. The live music facilitates this by allowing those performing and those in attendance to connect with each other in a unique way by sharing in their common love of music, the arts, and the people around them. London is a vast city with countless pubs and venues, but none have the same community feel of MAP. It's a North London institution and should remain as such.
2025/1812/P	John Landau	198 Grafton Road London NW5 4AX	08/05/2025 11:22:21	COMMNT	The Map is a massive asset to the neighbourhood—it's a friendly space that welcomes lots of different people and music. I've seen hip-hop and hardcore bebop, and an Irish session there. Grafton Road would be much poorer without it.
2025/1812/P	Freddie Richardson	196, Regents Park Road  NW1 8XP	08/05/2025 16:42:06	SUPPRT	Keeping Map Cafe open is key to the survival of community in North London. They put on varied acts each week with affordable drinks and great food. I can't think of many places that supports the underground scene like here for any creative as it's not just music,e.g someone promoting a magazine launch, Comedy nights, a 50th birthday, I've also seen a tattoo artist pop-up here - A lot is welcome. But it hosts a weekly Chess night that I struggle to find anywhere else in the area and it is packed each time.  They have also given me employment at a time when I was facing many part time work rejections. Map is full of character and characters. I would hate to see its 11 pm licence get taken away.
2025/1812/P	Jeroen van Dijk	39 Hargrave Road, N19 5SR	08/05/2025 16:52:20	NOBJ	I very much support this planning application -this will allow MAP Studio Cafe to keep functioning as a cultural hub and local community space in Kentish Town.
2025/1812/P	Paydro	48 Langler Road Kensal Rise London NW10 5TL	08/05/2025 17:02:33	COMMNT	Map Cafe serves as a lovely local spot for the community, it has a warm friendly atmosphere and the local and wider community would suffer deeply if it wasn't there.
2025/1812/P	Katy	Coity Road	08/05/2025 11:18:16	NOBJ	Please please keep the mixed uses of Map Cafe so it can continue doing what it does so well, it is a crucial part of our community, it plays a key role in developing an arts and night time economy, providing opportunity and access to the arts for our local community.

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2025/1812/P	Martina Geccelli	185 Queens Crescent 2nd. Floor  NW5 4DS NW5 4DS	08/05/2025 10:55:21	AMEND	I like to support the application, as it is important that a friendly nice neighbourhood cafe with some artistic intentions is existing here. Martina Geccelli
2025/1812/P	FRANCIS XAVIER	3 Constable Crescent N15 4QZ	08/05/2025 12:11:52	COMMNT	Map studio Cafe is such a warm and welcoming space but also provides a free and open environment for community, creativity and connection something that's become more necessity that luxury in our increasingly disconnecting and apathetic world of today. Maintaining and championing such grassroots venues not only enrich the fabric and cultural ties within our local community but also ensures space that's provides provides a very tangible service to the public and local community.
2025/1812/P	Florence Bundy	13 Ramsey Court Park Road N88ju	08/05/2025 20:02:24	SUPPRT	I fully support the renewal of the license for MAP Studio Café in Kentish Town. As a long-standing independent community business, MAP plays a vital role in the local area, serving as a welcoming daytime café and restaurant for a broad cross-section of residents, while also offering a unique space for live music and entertainment. Its contribution to the local cultural scene is significant, particularly in fostering young and emerging musical talent. In a time when grassroots venues are increasingly under threat, MAP provides an essential platform for creativity, community connection, and cultural enrichment. Renewing this license will ensure that MAP continues to thrive as a valuable community hub in Kentish Town.
2025/1812/P	Nicole Segre	1 Quadrant Grove London NW5 4JP	08/05/2025 12:34:59	COMMNT	Please ensure that MAP is preserved as a unique venue for live music events and a a welcoming cafe offering good coffee and home prepared food. It has long had a loyal following among locals and visitors alike as a valuable oasis in busy Kentish Town.

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2025/1812/P	Deniz Bayram	5 Hargrave Pl.	08/05/2025 16:33:23	SUPPRT	<p>I am writing in full support of MAP Studio Cafe's application for a mixed-use licence (application no. 2025/1812/P).</p> <p>MAP is far more than just a café or music venue. It is a sanctuary for culture, creativity, and community. In a time where Camden is increasingly gentrified and commercialised, MAP stands as one of the last authentic, inclusive spaces in Kentish Town that actively nurtures local artistic talent. It is a vital meeting point for musicians, artists, and enthusiasts alike, a grassroots haven that embodies the soul of Camden's cultural heritage.</p> <p>The proposed licence allowing MAP to operate as a daytime café and an evening entertainment venue is not only reasonable but essential for its survival. Without it, we risk losing one of the final truly independent cultural spaces in the area, and with it, a piece of Camden's beating heart.</p> <p>As large chain stores and uniform developments dominate our high streets, independent venues like MAP offer something invaluable. They provide a space for connection, inspiration, and belonging. To lose that would be to lose part of what makes Kentish Town unique.</p> <p>I urge you to support this application and preserve the living culture of Camden.</p>

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2025/1812/P	Adam Robertson	First And Second Floor Flat 31 Grafton Road	08/05/2025 17:13:22	OBJ	<p>MAP should be allowed to operate in these time zones - but the manner in which they operate and the measures they take to limit disturbance to nearby residents and families should be a central issue of any license that is awarded. As should the measures put in place to monitor their compliance and swiftly revoke their license should they fail to uphold decent standards.</p> <p>We were, until recently, occupiers of 31 Grafton Road sitting across from MAP Cafe.</p> <p>We lived on the premises for two years and, during that short period, have several run-ins with the owner and operators at MAP.</p> <p>Their almost complete disregard for the impact of their operations on surrounding neighbourhoods was a source of huge frustration to us as a young family.</p> <p>During their operating hours they would make little effort to contain noise and disruption to inside the building. Opening side doors, terraces, and windows which would let the thumping bass travel down the street. Meanwhile their patrons were allowed to spill out on to the street and make noise unchecked. The acoustics of the street meant that sounds travel far and are amplified. Something which the owners did nothing to limit or prevent.</p> <p>The greatest failure was upon / shortly after their closing time (when this was obeyed - which it often wasn't). If you look at restaurants and bars in central London they do a good job of dispersing crowds after a venue closes to limit disruption. MAP have no such infrastructure in place meaning crowds would gather after close creating noise, disturbance, and even damage. The owners / operators had little care as long as they could close up.</p> <p>We like what cafes like MAP can bring to areas such as this. But to paint themselves as a neighbourhood friendly establishment is utterly false and not in keeping with how it's run. In fact very few of the neighbourhood actually use the cafe or take enjoyment from it.</p> <p>If the owners can demonstrate they are complying with and working alongside the requests of their neighbours - everyone will be much happier.</p>
2025/1812/P	Kathleen Pearson	16 Athlone Hous Wilkin St Kentish Town London NW5 4LS	08/05/2025 16:37:33	COMMT	A great hub and addition to the neighbourhood!
2025/1812/P	Mark Ashley	12 Copenhagen Gardens	08/05/2025 16:23:01	NOBJ	Good for the community - great for all generations
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