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RE: Objection to planning application 2020/1637/P Hawley Wharf : Installation of 34 wall mounted speakers to the railway arches (retrospective) - OBJECTION

This application is certainly not minor. TRACT has raised the issue of noise generation from potential external 'events' from the Hawley Wharf licence applications and some concessions were given e.g. no events to be held on the rooftop restaurants.

Frankly we are astonished that Labs would consider this to be acceptable to local residents. Playing music is bound to increase the ambient noise in the area and is very subjective. Many people find the constant playing of music extremely irritating and nothing more than noise pollution. The Db level is not always the issue.

We are particularly concerned about the potential disturbance to Hawley Primary School.

Those utilising the amenity of the canal towpath and Castlehaven open space will be impacted. Those occupying the residential apartments that are currently not let will be impacted and have no say.

This application is yet more noise, pollution, aggravation and an assault on resident's amenity and we ask you to reject this application.

Yours sincerely,

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Kate Gemmell
TRACT Chair