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To Whom It May Concern:

I am in opposition to the recent application for Sweeney's Saloon to extend their hours of operation until 2:00 am. This business is located within a residential neighborhood that would be affected by the added bar traffic at these later hours.

Three generations of my family have had the Sweeneys establishment as a part of our lives but extending the hours of operation would be a detriment to the quality of life for the residents in our neighborhood.

The additional unwanted activity after hours in our neighborhood, such as noise disturbances when the customers leave the establishment. With limited off-street parking available patrons often take the few parking spaces on the streets; leaving the residents with few options for residents. At times, illegal parking limits street access for residents as well. Not all individuals make wise choices after consuming alcohol; extending the drinking hours is not likely to improve the situation and may worsen it.

Sweeneys has been a good presence in our neighborhood. I would like to see this continue. Please don't turn a good situation into a bad one by extending the hours of operation. Please keep this a quiet, safe neighborhood where we can retire at a reasonable time and expect to get a quiet night's rest.

Thank you for your consideration,

Respectfully yours

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