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Good morning,

I met with you and several local residents with regard to the music being played at the billet. I walked away under the impression that they do not yet have permission for an event on 10th sept, yet they are saying on Facebook that it's a sell out!

As I said at the meeting I am not adverse to people enjoying themselves but why should it be at the expense of all local residents.

We have spent a small fortune on making our home and garden our little haven to relax and entertain family and friends, but unfortunately the noise coming from the billet is completely ruining it.

The last event was so loud we could not sit in the garden. It was hot so even in the house we could not escape it as we couldn't have the windows closed and using electric fans is not an option with the price of electric bills.

There was music Saturday just gone and when I went to bed at 11.15 it was still going strong.

I have lived here 29 years and it's getting unbearable and making our lives miserable when they have the music going on. It's becoming detrimental to our wellbeing!

Not only is it music but it's also the DJ shouting hyping up all the drunk drugged revellers who in turn start shouting and screaming.

None of this is policed we have had people fighting on our driveway and vehicles damaged due to people that have been to the billet. The drug dealing and evidence of drug taking is blatant.

There was also an alleged rape quite recently. The smashed glass and rubbish is also an issue. They might clean up the car park but what about the rubbish left near our homes as well as human excrement and toilet paper left in the street!

The authorities need to start making changes and stop passing the buck. We are just wanting to live in a nice environment, not what we are having to put up with now!

I hope you really do take into consideration the wellbeing and concerns of the local residents and not just about giving the billet the green light to carry on making as much noise as they want with a nice profit at our expense.

I look forward to your response.

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