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To: The Chief Constable
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And
Such Other Partners as may be appropriate

Dear Sir/Madam

PROPOSED ARBORETUM AND RADFORD AND PARK DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACE ORDER

You may be aware that the City Council has been asked to consider using its powers under The Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 to make a Designated Public Place Order for Arboretum and Radford and Park(as shown on the attached map). The purpose of the Order would be to address problems of nuisance, annoyance and/or disorder associated with the consumption of alcohol in public places within that area. Should the Council proceed with these proposals it is intended that the Order will come into force in {date}.

The Council has already received representations from individual police officers, residents, local businesses and community groups, situated in the above areas regarding problems of nuisance, annoyance and disorder associated with to the consumption of alcohol in that area but wishes to formally consult with you regarding the proposed Order. A Consultation document which gives more information and details about the effect of the proposed Order is enclosed. If you wish to make representations (either in support of or against the proposed Order) please send them to Melanie Fretwell, Principal Enforcement Officer at the address in the top right of this letter. **The closing date for receipt of representations is {date}.**

I look forward to hearing from you

Melanie Fretwell
Principal Enforcement Officer

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The effect of the Order, if made, would be to enable the police and other accredited persons, such as Community Support Officers to take action to curb alcohol-related nuisance, annoyance and/or disorder arising from the drinking of alcohol in public places by asking people who may be causing such problems to stop drinking and/or to surrender the alcohol. Failure to comply with such a request would be a criminal offence. If made, it is envisaged that the proposed Order will come into force in {date}

As your premises are within the proposed designated area the City Council is seeking your views on these proposals. A Consultation document which gives more information and details about the effect of the proposed Order is enclosed. If you wish to make representations (either in support of or against the proposed Order) please send them to Melanie Fretwell, Principal Enforcement Officer, at the address at the top right of this letter.

You may wish to consider using the enclosed questionnaire.

The closing date for receipt of representations is {date}.

Yours faithfully,

Melanie Fretwell
Principal Enforcement Officer

Direct line ☎: 101 ext 801 5473

**Enc: Map of proposed designated area
Consultation document**

**To: Owners and occupiers of land within the designated area
Premises Licence Holders, Club Premises Certificate Holders, and
Temporary Event Premises users within the designated area**





Street Drinking - Designated Public Palce Order - Consultation

As you may be aware Nottingham City Council has been asked to consider using its powers under the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 to make a Designated Public Places Order in the area of Arboretum and Radford and Park shown on the enclosed plan. This is in response to residents concerns regarding irresponsible drinking of alcohol leading to anti-social or nuisance behaviour publicly accessible areas.

By creating such a designated area, if persons are drinking in public spaces and causing anti-social behaviour or a nuisance the police and accredited officers such as Community Support Officers will have the powers to ask the person to stop drinking alcohol and/or take their alcohol from them. If the person refuses to comply with the request, the person could be arrested. This could lead to a Fixed Penalty for the offence or even prosecution of the person and a fine of up to £500.

We need to gather as much evidence as possible to demonstrate the need and to support the implementation of such an order. We would be grateful if you could take the time to complete this short questionnaire.

- 1. Please complete your postcode or street:**
- 2. Have you seen people drinking outside (for example in the street, in a local park etc) in the Arboretum or Radford and Park area shown on the plan?**

Yes No

If you answered 'yes', how often?

Every day 3-4 times a week 2 or 3 times a month

2 or 3 times a year

- 3. Where exactly have you seen people drinking outside? (We need exact locations i.e. name of park, street, place etc)**

- 4. Has this caused any problems?**

Yes No

If you answered 'yes' what problems has it caused?

5. Is there anything else you would like to say about the subject?

6. If you have experienced problems in relation to drinking alcohol on the streets, would you be prepared to provide a formal statement to support the application for the Designated Public Place Order ?

Yes No

If you answered 'yes' please complete your contact details:

Name:

Tel no:

Address:
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Thank you for your time

If you have any queries regarding this process please contact:

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