

If the application was to be approved, I can think of no reason that any of the above would change other than for the better. I don't believe noise levels would increase nor would there be a change in the behaviour of the clientele (which I have always found to be exemplary).

Based on all the above points, I would like to register my strongest support for the application as I believe it would make the Bull an even bigger asset to the community than it already is.

5. Kim Harrison

Distance from The Bull - 50m

I have lived there 4 years

The Bull is a superb asset to Charlbury especially since it has reopened under the current owners. They have totally re energised this building and business.

The management /owners have been so welcoming to our local residents, including me.

I have not experienced any inconvenience from music or customer noise; the use of the garden has not disturbed me in any way. I often spend time there myself enjoying the new beautiful facilities. The venue is a safe and inclusive place to go, and it does not have issues with anti-social drinking or late-night noise that I have experienced, and as I live so close to it, I would know. I very much hope this application is granted, and I know that the garden will be managed well in the future, so as to avoid noise nuisance or disorder, and be a safe place to go.

I totally support this application and I will continue to support this amazing business that Charlbury needs so much. They have gone out of their way to support our local community and provide employment, and custom for other local businesses. As residents we should welcome this fabulous business. I wholeheartedly support this application and fully expect it to be granted. Thank you.

6. Helen Price

I am a Charlbury resident and I'd like to register my support for the Bull reopening their outside bar. The garden is a delightful place to go both in the summer and winter. The outside bar is fantastic and reduces the crowds inside where it can be hard to get served. As locals it's lovely to have a place that is accessible and relaxed with family and friends. Over Christmas they had some really lovely gatherings outdoors and lots of us took advantage. It would be a shame if this is not allowed to continue.

7. Fergus Mcvey

This is a letter of support for the Bull's application to reopen their outside bar.

Charlbury has long needed a really high quality business to drive activity in the centre of town and The Bull has really given the town the impetus it needs, and multiple new businesses have successfully opened - and are paying business rates as a result. As a former business owner in that location I can attest to the need for real drive and purpose. It is vital that this business be allowed to realise it's full potential, I also strongly believe that those who move in near to licenced premises should expect noise. It is fundamentally absurd for

10. Caroline Montagu

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I have experienced no inconvenience of any sort, including customer noise levels either from my house or just walking past the establishment. This included noise levels coming from the garden. The venue, is in my opinion, very well run by courteous, open and sympathetic management, who oversee a complement of very competent, polite, and inclusive staff. Since it's reopening the Bull has proven an impressive and popular asset to the town. The refurbishment both of the pub and outside areas including the garden has been extremely well done. The attraction of the national media's complimentary coverage of the establishment underscores the excellence of the facility.

I have every expectation that the Bull will continue to be well managed and very confident that they will ensure there is no excessive or disorder, particularly in the well set out garden where clients will be able to go on enjoying the hospitality in a safe and comfortable environment.

I firmly support the application which will prove an enhancement to the town's reputation as a very good place to live.

11. Michael Montagu

I, Michael Montagu, of xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx, am writing in support of the above application. The Bull is situated some 250 metres from my dwelling, where I have been living since September 2001.

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With thanks and kind regards,

12. Edward Bradbury

I live at xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx, opposite the car park of the Bull, so very close to the Pub and garden area in question . We, as a family have been there for 18 months, so have observed at close hand the day to day trading of The Bull.

The first few weeks of last summer were testing as regards music and smoke from fire pits but as time has gone by I have observed as a neighbour and a customer how the Operating team have taken on board concerns and tried to address them. I think both the owners and

the management team understand that they are at the heart of a vibrant community and have learnt, i believe, the responsibility that goes with that.

I know that being able to operate an outside bar will greatly enhance the business and make for a better customer experience without additional noise as people will already be using that outdoor space . I have observed how people enjoy this outside space and also how the operators are clear at 11p.m that the outside space had to be vacated. I believe the team are also happy to discuss concerns and accommodate as best they can those concerns, if any, going forward. The Bull is in incredibly good hands and we as a community are very blessed to have a place like this on our doorstep. They attract trade from all over but are still able to be a great local. Please support this application.