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RE: Amplified music @ 1602 Gilson St

April 3rd 2026

Dear Plan Commissioners,

I am writing in opposition to amplified music being played at 1602 Gilson St. We already have plenty of amplified music that can be heard in the tree streets of Bay Creek. From Memorial Day to the end of September, we hear the incessant drone of amplified music; three days of Brat Fest, Juneteenth, Concerts in the Park at Penn, Mexi-fest, Labor Fest and several more depending on how the wind blows. At least with these community centered events there is a date on the calendar, and we can anticipate these events. With the passage of this permit, our rare, blessedly quiet, weekend days will be filled with an unaccountable, for-profit business pumping music for the entertainment of their private guests.

I know you will receive a petition in support of this permit. I ask how many of those signatures live within earshot of this venue? It's easy to slap your signature on something when the noise pollution will not affect you personally. This is not a popularity contest, this a real decision that affects the noise pollution in a neighborhood. I believe more weight should be given to the opinion of those who live nearby and will be affected daily.

Thank you for your consideration,

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