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Noise/nuisance complaints stemming from alcohol abuse related to Edgewater events:

I live in Kennedy Manor on the fifth floor. I have, ever since the hotel began staging events, felt that I have not been allowed to experience the peaceful enjoyment of my home. On countless occasions, I have endured such problems as:

1. Over-amplified "music," which on one occasion forced me to phone the police, because a houseguest and I could not carry on a conversation due to the "musical" interruption. In that instance, my windows were closed, yet we could not make ourselves heard. An officer did find--and reported--that the music exceeded acceptable levels.

2. Witnessing fights on the terrace for which the police had to be summoned by others.

3. Seeing children dart into the street, likely because of their parents' neglect in those situations.

4. Increased frequency of: ambulance calls, police calls, fire-department calls.

In an effort to ameliorate these negatives I have had to use headphones in order to work, rest, entertain, watch television, etc. I have had to place my bedroom in the very back of my apartment, away from the windows. I have even, on occasion, left my apartment for distance when I'd rather have been at home. All these efforts have entailed expenses I would not have undergone had it not been for Edgewater and excessive alcohol consumption there.

These are just a \underline{few} of the ways in which my life has been impacted. They are examples only. Specific complaints are far too numerous to mention.

Not only are these nuisances annoying and costly to neighborhood residents, they are expenses the city can_scarcely afford.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

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