
Sent: 1/04/2024 2:14:38 PM
Subject: Complaint to Northern Beaches Council.

Dear Northern Beaches Council and Mr Amon

I am writing to express my strong objection to the decision restricting The Joey's operating hours.

It has come to my attention that this decision has been made due to a mere handful of complaints, a decision that I find deeply troubling and unjust.

The hospitality sector plays a pivotal role in the vitality of our community, providing not only employment opportunities but also serving as gathering places where friendships are forged and memories are made.

The Joey although in its short time of being open and previous to this, The Boathouse has been an integral part of our community, offering not only exceptional service but also a warm and welcoming atmosphere that is cherished by residents and visitors alike.

Today we had another institutional venue close down, Casa as a result of a few neighbours.

What an absolute joke!

It is imperative that we support and nurture establishments like The Joey, which contribute so significantly to the fabric of our community. Quality operators, such as those behind The Joey, are essential in maintaining the high standards of service and experience that our residents deserve.

I am dismayed to see that the voices of a few residents have led to such drastic action by the council. It is my firm belief that these individuals do not speak for the broader community and are unfairly influencing decisions that affect us all. I urge you to reconsider this decision and to resist any undue pressure or influence that may be exerted by these individuals.

Furthermore, I implore you to examine the motivations behind these complaints and to ensure that the council and its councillors are not being manipulated or coerced by individuals with ulterior motives. Transparency and accountability are paramount in ensuring the integrity of our local governance, and I trust that you will uphold these principles in your deliberations.

Let us stand together in preserving the vibrancy and diversity of our local hospitality sector, for the benefit of all.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely

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