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RE: DA2019/1234 - 0 Wharves And Jetties MANLY NSW 2095

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on DA2019/1234.

I wish to object strongly to the proposed changes that would allow additional seating for another 438 persons to the already saturated Wharf area, especially if they are situated outdoors.

Although I do not live on the Esplanade my building has sight and sound lines to the wharf and we are already having to cope with excessive noise in the evenings and weekends.

Most of this noise comes from the outdoor seating areas of existing venues, and late at night when well lubricated revellers depart the facilities.

The idea of extra seating encroaching on the second level of the wharf is very disturbing and not just for noise reasons. The whole appearance of this entry portal to Manly from the harbour risks becoming way too commercial and, judging by the current appearance of El Camino, very tacky. We cannot lose more of the Heritage Wharf feel that is already under threat.

I trust good sense and vision for our future, as opposed to allowing allowing unnecessary commercial gain will prevail when considering this application.