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Inspector Sally Hutchings

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Dear Inspector Hutchings

As ward councillor for Devonport and cabinet member of this authority I fully support the need for a DPPO in Devonport, in fact I and my fellow ward councillors have been pushing for this over the past few years.

The problems associated with drinking in and around the area have caused damage to the community as we aim to rebuild the community after the investment of the 97 million pounds investment from the last government in the Devonport area for new deals for communities.

Devonport has come a long way and this DPPO will help to address some of the community tensions help reduce crime.

I fully support and endorse this application for the DPPO.

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Dear Inspector Hutchings,

I am writing to you as a Devonport ward councillor in support of the Designated Public Place Order which we so badly need in Devonport. Street drinking has been one of the biggest sources of community tension since I was elected - and long before – and I am so pleased we are, at last, at the stage where we are able to do something about it.

Street drinking not only divides the communities in the area and creates tension, but it has slowly been undoing all of the hard work put into restoring the community pride in Devonport, brought mainly by the huge regeneration we saw in the area. I believe that other approaches and attempts to deal with this issue haven't been as successful as we would have hoped, and now think it's about time a different approach was taken to tackle this issue and improve the lives of local residents who have had to live with this issue for so long.

I am looking forward to the positive outcomes that this DPPO will bring to the area, and for that reason, I fully endorse this application.

Kind regards,

Councillor Kate Taylor
Labour Councillor for Devonport