

## Walker, Bryan

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**From:** [REDACTED] on behalf of Anne Alvarez [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 08, 2016 5:25 PM  
**To:** Sound Permits; Walker, Bryan

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Hello,

I would like to appeal the decision to grant Scoot Inn an outdoor music venue permit. Would you please email me the formal appeal form? According to the letter I received, I must file the appeal by July 14th.

Thank you,  
Anne Alvarez



City of Austin Planning and Development Review Department  
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OUTDOOR MUSIC  
VENUE APPEAL

If you are an applicant and/or property owner or interested party, and you wish to appeal a decision on an Outdoor Music Venue permit, the following form must be completed and filed with the Director of Planning and Development Review Department, City of Austin, at the address shown above. The deadline to file an appeal is 14 days after the decision was issued by the accountable official. If you need assistance, please contact at (512) 974-2686.

CASE NO. SO-2016-0209

VENUE NAME Scout Inn

VENUE ADDRESS 1308 E 4th St.

CITY CONTACT Bryan Walker

SECTION OF CODE APPEALED: 9-2-SS

DATE APPEAL FILED July 14, 2016

YOUR NAME Anne Alvarez

SIGNATURE Anne Alvarez

YOUR ADDRESS 1212 E 3rd St.

YOUR PHONE NO. ( ) WORK

(512) 366 0588 HOME (cc)

INTERESTED PARTY STATUS: Indicate how you qualify as an interested party who may file an appeal by the following criteria: (Check one)

- ☒ I am the notice owner of single family use
- ☐ I am the applicant or agent representing the applicant
- ☐ I am a representative of a neighborhood association and submitted my opposition in writing (date)
- ☐ I am the notice owner of a multifamily use located adjacent to the venue (new permits only)

In addition to the above criteria, I qualify as an interested party by one of the following criteria: (Check one)

- ☒ I am the notice owner of single family use located within 600 feet of the subject site.
- ☐ I am the notice owner of a multifamily use located adjacent to the venue.
- ☐ I am an officer of a neighborhood or environmental organization whose declared boundaries are within 600 feet of the subject site.

DECISION TO BE APPEALED\*: (Check one)

- ☒ Approval of an Outdoor Music Venue Permit
- ☐ Denial of an Outdoor Music Venue Permit

Date of Decision: 7/01/2016

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STATEMENT: Please provide the decision being appealed and the specific grounds for the appeal. If specific grounds are not provided appeal will not be considered valid:

I am writing to appeal the decision to grant Scout Inn an outdoor music venue application. Please see the reverse side for list of grounds.

(Attach additional page if necessary.)

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- Since Doug Butler took over the Scoot Inn in 2012 and started using it as an outdoor music venue, they have repeatedly gone past our law with extremely loud music - enough to keep my family awake at night and shake the windows. We have had to call 311 with complaints repeatedly.
- ~~I have~~ The Scoot Inn provides virtually no parking for the hundreds of music-goers, who then have to park on the street in front of our house and return to their cars drunk and loud.
- I have two young children who wake up early, so our bedtime is 9pm. We cannot fall asleep until the music has stopped and the loud guests have left the street in front of our house - which means 10-11pm Sun-Thurs and 12-1am Fri-Sat, with the current permit.
- There are many residences within a few hundred feet of the Scoot Inn that have expressed similar concerns as mine.
- I have tried other solutions such as meeting personally with Scoot Inn management and with the neighborhood association representatives.