



Staff Report

Report Title: Noise Exemption Request – Lucknow Community Centre and 5 Queen Street, Ripley

Prepared By: Kelly Lush, Deputy Clerk

Department: Legislative Services

Date: May. 1, 2023

Report Number: CLK-2023-05-27

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Attachments:

Recommendation:

THAT the Township of Huron-Kinloss Committee of the Whole hereby approves Report CLK-2023-05-27 prepared by Kelly Lush, Deputy Clerk;

AND grants an exemption to the Noise By-Law at the Lucknow Community Centre, 694 Willoughby St, Lucknow Friday, June 23 from 11:00 p.m. to Saturday, June 24 at 1:00 a.m. and Saturday, June 24 from 11:00 p.m. to Sunday, June 25 at 1:00 a.m. for a Lucknow Kinsmen ball tournament and beer garden;

AND at 5 Queen Street, Ripley on Saturday, August 5 from 11:00 p.m. to Sunday, August 6 at 1:00 a.m. for a wedding reception with a live band.

Background:

The Township of Huron-Kinloss By-Law No. 2005-101 being the By-Law to control noise outlines prohibitions of noise by time and place. The By-law prohibits the production of amplified sound between the hours of 11:00 p.m. one day to 7:00 a.m. the next day (9:00 a.m. Sunday). Council may by resolution grant an exemption to the Noise By-Law.

The Township received two requests for an exemption to the Noise By-Law;

694 Willoughby St, Lucknow Friday, June 23 from 11:00 p.m. to Saturday, June 24 at 1:00 a.m. and Saturday, June 24 from 11:00 p.m. to Sunday, June 25 at 1:00 a.m. for a Lucknow Kinsmen ball tournament and beer garden and 5 Queen Street, Ripley on Saturday, August 5 from 11:00 p.m. to Sunday, August 6 at 1:00 a.m. for a wedding reception with a live band.

Discussion:

The requests were circulated to Township Staff. No concerns were noted. Staff recommends approval of the exemption request for the event and will encourage the applicants to notify their neighbours in proximity of the event. If approved, the Township By-Law Officer and South Bruce O.P.P will be notified by the Deputy Clerk.

Financial Impacts:

There are no financial implications with this report.

Strategic Alignment / Link:

We are a spirited community that takes pride in calling Huron-Kinloss home and welcoming others by maintaining a sense of connection and cohesion with each other and engaging in our community.

Respectfully Submitted By:

Kelly Lush, Deputy Clerk

Report Approved By:

Mary Rose Walden, Chief Administrative Officer