



## Staff Report

**Report Title: Noise Exemption Request – 23 Railway St., Ripley, 1648 County Rd. 1, Holyrood.**

**Prepared By: Kelly Lush, Deputy Clerk**

**Department: Legislative Services**

**Date: Sep. 6, 2023**

**Report Number: CLK-2023-09-51**

**File Number:**

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### **Attachments:**

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### **Recommendation:**

THAT the Township of Huron-Kinloss Committee of the Whole hereby receives for information Report CLK-2023-09-51 prepared by Kelly Lush, Deputy Clerk;

AND grants an exemption to Noise By-Law No. 2005-101 to permit music at a wedding reception on September 16, 2023, from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 17, 2023 at 23 Railway St., in Ripley;

AND FURTHER grants an exemption to the Noise By-Law No. 2005-101 to permit music at a wedding reception on September 23, 2023 from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 24, 2023 at 1648 County Rd 1, Holyrood.

### **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;

3.5 The operation of any electronic device or group of connected electronic devices incorporating one or more loudspeakers or other electromechanical transducers, and intended for the production, reproduction or amplification of sound between the hours of 2300 one day to 07 00 next day (09 00 Sundays).

Council may by resolution grant an exemption to the Noise By-Law.

The Township received a request from Donald and Laurie Martyn to have music played at 23 Railway St., Ripley for a wedding reception on Saturday, September 16, 2023 from 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 17, 2023 and a request

from Brad Hayes to have music played at 1648 County Rd. 1, Holyrood for a wedding reception on September 23, 2023 from 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 24, 2023.

**Discussion:**

The requests were circulated to Township Staff. No concerns were noted. Staff recommends approval of the exemption requests 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