Attention: OIC, 22 Division, Toronto Police Services
Toronto Fire Services, c/o Glenn Mihurski
Clerks Office, City of Toronto
Health Department, City of Toronto

Re: Application by the Ontario Australian Rules Football League ("O.A.F.L.") for a special events permit for Canada Day Football Carnival to be held July 1st 2010 at Colonel Samuel Smith Park, Kipling Avenue and Lake Shore Blvd. W., Etobicoke.

Dear Sir/Madam,

This letter of notification is required by the City of Toronto and the Ontario Licensing and Gaming Commission to advise you of the application that has been submitted to Special Events Section of the City of Toronto for a proposed football event.

Event Details

Name: Canada Day Football Carnival
Date: Thursday, July 1, 2010, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Location: Colonel Samuel Smith Park, Kipling Ave. and Lake Shore Blvd. W., Etobicoke.

Background

Northwind is the name given to the National Canadian Australian Rules Football Team. The Northwind team is made up from the best Canadian Australian Rules footballers chosen from football leagues in Ontario, Alberta and British Columbia and the team competes in National and International Competitions. For the past five years, the Ontario Football League has been organizing a gala football day that matches the National Canadian Team “Northwind” against the best “Australian” football players (“The Aussie AllStars”) that reside in the O AFL here in Ontario.

Colonel Samuel Smith Park (“CSSP”) has been the home of the Etobicoke Kangaroos Australian Football Club (“EKAF”) for the past five years and they are the permit holders for the use of the field for evenings from Monday to Friday between the months of May to October as well as for the Thursday, July 1st, 2010 event. This event, Canada Day Football Carnival has been held successfully at this CSSP field in previous years on Canada Day.

Proposal

The O.A.F.L. are proposing to host this event on Thursday, July 1st, 2010. This event will involve the usage of open grass spaces next to the playing field at the Colonel Samuel Smith

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Park. The attached satellite photo shows the proposed usage of tents for food and beverage preparation and consumption.

The following is proposed for the event:

- The erection of one 10 X 30 ft tent, not pegged but weighted down.
- An area immediately in front of this tent that is fenced off with professional portable City approved steel fencing for the consumption of food and beverages.
- The use of this tent will be for the preparation, sale and consumption of food and beverages (beer and wine, BBQ ribs, soft drinks and water).
- All alcohol to be served in plastic cups.
- Smart servers will be used to provide the alcohol.
- The use of a paid duty officer as required by the L.C.B.O.
- Washroom facilities will be the renting of the City-owned Pumphouse located 100 meters from the food and beverage tent area. It is acknowledged that there will be a fee for the use of this facility.
- A separate tent of 10 X 10 ft will be erected to sell OAFL and Australian Football merchandise.
- A small generated operator PA system will be used to play national team anthems, introductory speeches and for a small two-man band.
- A small fenced-in 3500-watt generator will be used.

Spectators will be encouraged to use the large parking facility located to the west side of the Pumphouse that is no further than 150 meters from the playing field.

There will be no fireworks or open fires of any kind.

The OAFL will assume responsibility to maintain the cleanliness of the area and will remove all excess waste at the end of the day.

Additional Information

It is not unusual to see the game attract a small spectator crowd of approximately 150 people as well as certain local media organizations such as CTV, CBC and CP24. The focus of the event is to showcase the sport, Australian Rules Football at its best here in Canada. The OAFL is a registered not for profit organization ("Number 850 220 815 RC0015").

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions.

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