



## REPORT FOR INFORMATION

# Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario Extension of Hours for Liquor Sales during FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022

**Date:** November 21, 2022

**To:** City Council

**From:** City Clerk

**Wards:** All

### SUMMARY

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On November 18, 2022, the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO) advised municipalities that it will permit liquor sales licensees to extend their hours of sales and service to begin at 7:00 a.m. for the duration of the FIFA World Cup Qatar tournament, as detailed in the communication attached to this report.

A municipality may object to the extension of hours for the FIFA World Cup 2022 by passing a resolution and submitting it to the AGCO. Any such objections will be respected and the usual hours of sale and service will remain 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m. in those municipalities.

### CONTACT

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### SIGNATURE

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### ATTACHMENTS

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Attachment 1: Communication from the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario