



## Report to Council

Department: Community Services  
Division: Community Services  
Date: July 21, 2025  
Prepared by: Jake Morassut, Director, Community Services  
Report Number: Community Services-2025-23  
Subject: Special Event Notice – Open-Air at Daisy and Co - Live and Uncorked with Jody Raffoul  
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### Recommendation(s)

**That** Community Services-2025-23 entitled Special Event Notice – Open-Air at Daisy and Co - Live and Uncorked with Jody Raffoul, prepared by Jake Morassut, Director, Community Services, dated July 21, 2025, be received, and

**That** Council approve a temporary noise exemption under Noise By-Law #2038 from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM on Friday, August 22, 2025, on King Street between Queen Street and Victoria Street in the Town of Harrow to accommodate the entertainment for their Open-Air – Life and Uncorked,

**That** Council approve closing King Street between Queen Street and Victoria Street in the Town of Harrow on Friday, August 22, 2025 from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM for the Open-Air event; and

**That** Council approve the Open-Air at Daisy & Co. – Live and Uncorked with Jody Raffoul for Significant Event Status for the purposes of applying for their Special Occasion Permit (SOP) for their event on August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025.

## Purpose

To obtain Council approval of a noise exemption under Noise By-Law #2038, and for approval of a Significant Event Status for the purpose of applying for a Special Occasion Permit for the Open-Air at Daisy & Co. – Live and Uncorked with Jody Raffoul on August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025.

As well, to receive Council approval for a road closure on August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 on King Street in Harrow between Queen Street and Victoria Street from 6:00 PM until 10:00 PM for the purpose of serving alcohol at their outdoor event.

## Background and Discussion

The Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO) requires a municipality to designate a special event as 'Significant Event Status' for the purpose of those applying for liquor licensing permits and approval, regarding their operation of liquor services during their event. For the AGCO to issue the permits allowing the sale of liquor during events on municipal property, they require the municipal designation. The AGCO regulations also state that this designation must be secured annually for the organization to obtain a Special Occasion Permit.

Town Administration and the SERT have reviewed the event and have no objection to any of the activities and recommend an exemption to Noise By-Law #2038 on King Street between Queen Street and Victoria Street to accommodate the entertainment for the Open-Air event on Friday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025, between 6:00 PM and 10:00 PM.

The SERT also concurred with the road closure for the Open Air event on King Street between Queen Street and Victoria Street on Friday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM, for the event.



## Financial Impact

There is no financial impact.

## Consultations

Special Event Resource Team (SERT)

## Link to Strategic Priorities

- Embrace asset management best practices to build, maintain, and continuously improve our municipally owned infrastructure.
- Leverage our Town's competitive advantages to promote jobs and economic investment.**
- Take care of our natural environment and strengthen the sense of belonging to everyone **who makes Essex "home"**.
- Deliver friendly customer service in an efficient, effective, and transparent manner while providing an exceptional working environment for our employees.
- Build corporate-level and community-level climate resilience through community engagement and partnership and corporate objectives

**Report Approval Details**

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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kate Giurissevich". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name and date.

**Kate Giurissevich, Chief Administrative Officer - Jul 14, 2025 - 12:00 PM**