



REPORT

TO: Mayor Lawlor and Members of Council

FROM: Susie Spry, Manager of Enforcement Services

DATE: March 17, 2023

REPORT NO.: ADMIN-2023-011

SUBJECT: Request for an Exemption from the Noise By-law 2010-0030 at 13807 Trafalgar Road, Town of Halton Hills.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Report No. ADMIN-2023-011 dated March 17, 2023, regarding a request for an exemption from the Noise By-law No. 2010-0030 for a film production be received;

AND FURTHER THAT Council grant the request to allow special effects (squibs) located at 13807 Trafalgar Road, Town of Halton Hills on Thursday March 30 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 am, and Friday March 31, 2023 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 am.

KEY POINTS:

The following are key points for consideration with respect to this report:

- Enforcement Services received a Noise Exemption application to set off special effects (squibs) at 13807 Trafalgar Road, Town of Halton Hills on Thursday March 30 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 am, and Friday March 31, 2023 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 am.
- The Noise By-law 2010-0030 section 3.2 places a limitation on the emission of sound from a stationary source ranging from 40dBA to 50dBA during the requested times of the event.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION:

On March 13, 2023, the Town of Halton Hills Enforcement Services received a Noise Exemption application for a filming event to be held at 13807 Trafalgar Road on Thursday March 30 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 am, and Friday March 31, 2023 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 am.

The Noise By-law 2010-0030 section 3.2 places a limitation on the emission of sound from a stationary source ranging from 40dBA to 50dBA during the requested times of the event.

Therefore, it is likely special effects from the filming may impact adjacent residential properties.

STRATEGIC PLAN ALIGNMENT:

This report is administrative in nature and does not have an impact on the Town's Strategic Plan.

RELATIONSHIP TO CLIMATE CHANGE:

This report is administrative in nature and does not directly impact or address climate change and the Town's Net Zero target.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT:

Public Engagement has been conducted as follows Notice of the application can be found on the Town's website as of March 20, 2023 and publication in the local newspaper general circulation within the Town has occurred on March 23, 2023.

INTERNAL CONSULTATION:

Staff have communicated with the applicant that a report will be going forward March 27, 2023 for Council consideration.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

This report is administrative in nature and does not have any financial implications.

Reviewed and approved by,

Valerie Petryniak, Town Clerk & Director of Legislative Services

Bill Andrews, Acting Chief Administrative Officer and Commissioner of Transportation & Public Works