CITY OF HAMILTON
NOTICE OF MOTION

Committee Date: April 11, 2011

MOVED BY ........B. McHATTIE.................................................................

SECONDED BY .................................................................

AGCO Liquor License Notification Process

Whereas the method by which the City of Hamilton learns about a new liquor license application is entirely ad hoc, relying on noticing a placard at the applicant’s establishment or by noticing an advertisement in the newspaper;

Whereas, by the time the City of Hamilton (and/or its citizens) learn of a liquor license application, the AGCO’s public comment period may have already passed;

Whereas, there is a strong public interest in the issuing of liquor licence applications.

Therefore be it resolved:

(a) That the City of Hamilton requires that the AGCO establish a formal method of notifying the City of a liquor license application as soon as it is received via written notification to the City Clerk, City of Hamilton,

(b) That the City of Hamilton be notified of any upcoming liquor license hearings involving Hamilton establishments, Including information such as timing of Hearings, etc.