



## INFORMATION AND LEGISLATIVE SERVICES *Staff Report*

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REPORT NO: ILS 2022-07

TO: Council

SUBMITTED BY: Dawn Mittelholtz, Director of Information and Legislative Services /  
Municipal Clerk

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REVIEWED BY: Sharon Chambers, CAO

DATE: March 14, 2022

SUBJECT: Lottery License Approval – New Hamburg Firebirds

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### RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the application from the New Hamburg Firebirds be authorized for a raffle lottery licence for May 8, 2022 with a total value of \$25,000.00;

AND FURTHER THAT the authorization to grant this raffle licence be conditional that the lottery be conducted in accordance with the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations, the Lottery Licensing Policy Manual Guidelines on lotteries and raffles, and Township of Wilmot Lottery Licensing Policies.

### SUMMARY:

In accordance with the Township of Wilmot Lottery Licensing Policies, for raffles with prize values from \$10,001.00 up to \$49,999.99, the organization must apply and receive Council approval for this lottery.

**REPORT:**

The New Hamburg Firebirds have submitted an application to conduct a raffle lottery for prizes totalling \$25,000.00. The New Hamburg Firebirds are asking for approval of the licence request.

Staff recommends that the request of the New Hamburg Firebirds to conduct a lottery be approved subject to compliance with the Ontario Lottery Licensing Policy and the Township of Wilmot Lottery Licensing Policies.

**ALIGNMENT WITH THE TOWNSHIP OF WILMOT STRATEGIC PLAN:**

Through the granting of this approval the Township is supporting community events and celebrations. Customer Service is strengthened by working with the New Hamburg Firebirds to assist in their fundraising efforts. The Township is also integrating volunteers and community groups.

**FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:**

The Lottery Licensing Officer will collect the lottery licence fee upon issuing the licence in accordance with the Township's Fees and Charges By-law.