



## Liquor Consumption in Parks By-law & Pilot Program

*Excerpted from Minutes 2020-07-06*

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Report Recommendation

MOVED by Commissioner Demers

SECONDED by Commissioner Dumont

- A. THAT the Vancouver Park Board approve the proposed amendments to the Parks Control By-Law Regarding Liquor Consumption in Parks, as set out in Appendix A of this report, to temporarily designate the park sites listed in the by-law as places where liquor may be consumed;
- B. THAT the Director of Legal Services be instructed to immediately bring forward a by-law for enactment by the Park Board generally in accordance with Appendix A;
- C. THAT, subject to Board adoption of Recommendations A and B above, along with the enactment of the By-law referenced within those Recommendations, the Vancouver Park Board direct staff to implement the Liquor Consumption in Parks Pilot Program as outlined in this report.

*Motion to Refer*

MOVED by Commissioner Demers

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- A. THAT the Vancouver Park Board refer the report recommendations back to staff for changes that aim to expand and improve this pilot program, with specific consideration given to:
  - i. Including at least one park in each of the 23 distinct neighborhoods of the city;
  - ii. Limiting the by-law amendment to require that liquor may only be consumed with a meal;
  - iii. Reviewing pilot sites to ensure there is sufficient space for users to observe mandated physical distancing;
  - iv. Identifying a larger, more suitable location to replace the currently proposed location in Vanier Park.
- B. FURTHER THAT staff report back to the Board no later than the Committee Meeting scheduled for July 20 for consideration of any revised recommendations.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY