



RESTAURANT GUIDELINES

(Including Establishments with Exotic Dancers and Strippers)

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These guidelines are to be used in conjunction with a district schedule of the Zoning and Development By-law or with an official development plan by-law for development permit applications for a restaurant with dancing or live entertainment involving three or more persons or the use of an amplified musical instrument and patron participation (Restaurant - Class 2), including any increases in capacity or redevelopment of the premises. Restaurant - Class 2 is defined in Section 2 of the Zoning and Development By-law.

- (1) For any proposed development, a restaurant - class 2 or establishment with exotic dancers or strippers should not be located abutting, with or without the intervention of a street or lane, a residential use, R district, school, church, community centre, hospital or other institutional building where activities may take place in the evening.
- (2) For any proposed restaurant - class 2, a public notification to owners within a 2 block radius should be conducted.
- (3) Development permits for establishments with exotic dancers or strippers should be limited in time to three years.