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Subject: Correspondence from the Middlesex-London Board of Health re: Reducing Alcohol Harms: A Primer for

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Good afternoon Middlesex County Clerk colleagues,

At the July 18, 2024 Middlesex-London Board of Health meeting, the following motion was passed:

It was moved by **M. Steele, seconded by M. Smibert,** that the Board of Health:

- 1. Receive Report No. 50-24 re: "Alcohol Density and Related Harms" for information; and
- **2.** Direct staff to send Report No. 50-24 (including <u>Appendix A</u>) to the City of London, Middlesex County, and lower tier municipalities within the County of Middlesex.

When building a healthy community, local governments are in a unique position to foster healthy environments and healthy behaviours. The "Reducing Alcohol Harms: A Primer for Municipalities" provides an overview of the health implications of alcohol use and possible actions for local governments to explore. The goal of the document is to support our communities in having informed discussions on how to reduce alcohol related harms locally.

Please click the image below to download "Reducing Alcohol Harms: A Primer for Municipalities":



We would encourage you to share this with Council, staff and members of community via your next

agenda for Council.

Thank you and if you have any questions, please reach out and we would be pleased to answer them,

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