## **Fredericton Community Alerts**

#### through Voyent Alert!

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#### **Objectives**

- Time-sensitive City information direct to residents
- Customized to what residents want
- Bilingual service
- Gives residents latest information on daily programs/services
- Info on disruptions to those services.
- Non-police emergency info (flood)

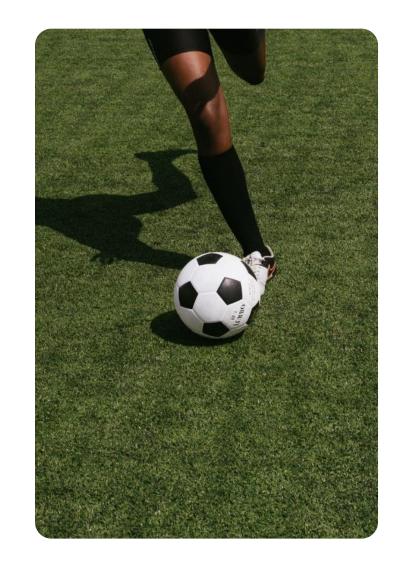






#### Why should I sign up?

- To receive alerts / notifications from the City customized to your preferences
- Receive community alerts directly
- Avoid scrolling through social media
- To stay updated on EMO, floods, emergencies for you and your loved ones





#### Scenario

- It has rained all Friday
- It's Saturday morning
- You ponder scrolling through social media to see if fields are closed



But then you get a notification that the fields are closed



#### How do I register?

- Via the Voyent Alert! mobile app (Apple App Store or Google Play Store)
- Or by web-based registration on the Voyent Alert! website

Registration		
	VOYENTALERT!	
	Welcome to Voyent Alert!	
Enter a	an address, place name, or postal code for the location you'd like to receive	alerts from.
A	ddress, place name, or postal code	
	OR	
	USE MY LOCATION	
		ALREADY REGISTERED?
	NEXT	





### How can I receive these notifications?



#### A Phased Approach : Phase 1

- Recycling schedule
- Emergency Preparedness
- Field Closures
- Downtown Snow Haul



Blue Box Recycling Week // AA Ĥ Semaine de recyclage boîte bleu Issued: Apr 02 2023 10:00AM ADT ~ Ended: Apr 02 2023 11:00AM ADT Issued by: Fredericton Locations: Generated Topics: Recycling Notices // Avis de recyclage Why did I receive this notification? It's blue box recycling week! C'est la semaine de recyclage boîte bleu! **Jones Forks** Village 53 Estey's Bridge **Irtts Corner** 148 Fredericton Penniac 104 Generated eswick Ridge • Noonan Fredericton actaquac 102 oper Hanwell 2 sclear Charters Maugervi reek Settlemen



## What is it not?

- Not the same as the Alert Ready system. This is mostly used by RCMP / GNB
- Not a promotional tool notifications timely information residents NEED to make decisions



#### Launch Strategy

- Update on City of Fredericton Website
- News release, Gleaner Ad
- Social Media Campaign launch
- Interest groups contacted directly

# City alerts customized for you

Sign up for Fredericton's Community Alerts







#### Questions?





