

CANADIAN BAR ASSOCIATION- ALBERTA BRANCH
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Host Policy Resolution

Whereas:

Alcohol is permitted at some CBA Alberta Branch functions. Members of the legal profession are expected to be responsible toward alcohol consumption.

Be it resolved that

To promote the responsible consumption of alcohol at CBA - Alberta Branch functions, the following guidelines are recommended:

1. An “event co-ordinator” will attend to assist with:
 - a) Controlling the opening and closing of CBA hosted service of alcoholic beverages.
 - b) Discouraging further use of alcohol by a person who appears intoxicated.
 - c) Taking reasonable steps to provide alternative transportation, including making it known taxi cabs are available and payment will be reimbursed by the CBA.
 - d) Seeking assistance if a person who appears intoxicated refuses to take the advice of the event co-ordinator for alternative transportation.
2. Non-alcoholic beverages will be available. Service of non-alcoholic drinks will continue after the service of alcoholic drinks has closed.
3. Food will be available at all events where alcohol is served
4. Notices of events and events will include “Don’t Drink and Drive” and “taxi receipts will be reimbursed” signage.