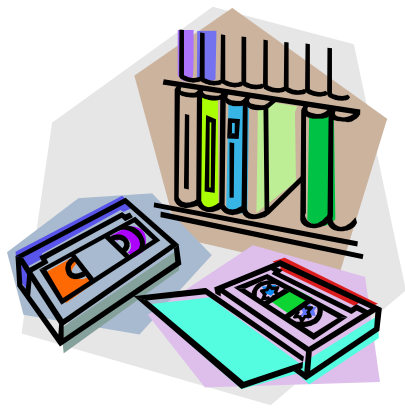


## Getting an Application Form

If you are interested in registering your congregation for a Public Performance Licence, then please contact Barbara Hampson ([bhampson@hamconf.org](mailto:bhampson@hamconf.org) or 905-659-3343 ext. 226)

and an application form will be sent to you directly. Upon receipt of your completed application form and cheque payable to Hamilton Conference for the licensing fee, you will be enrolled in the program. All applications are to be returned to the Hamilton Conference office no later than **Thursday, December 1, 2011.**

Upon payment of your licensing fee with the application as above, your licensing agreement will be in effect as of January 1, 2012. Usually in January you will receive reporting documentation directly from ACF and Criterion. If you are a returning customer, you can simply continue to use your reporting forms as before.



## The Program

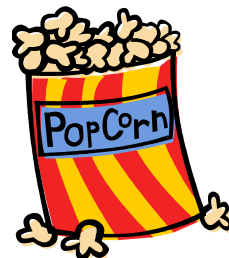
For the seventh year in a row, Hamilton Conference is pleased to offer you the opportunity to obtain a Public Performance Video Licence at great cost savings for your church!

We have negotiated a video licensing agreement with Criterion Pictures ([www.criterionpic.com](http://www.criterionpic.com)) and Audio Ciné Films (ACF) Inc. ([www.acf-film.com](http://www.acf-film.com)) who represent most of the major distributors including Paramount, Universal, Alliance Atlantis, New Line Cinema, Miramax, Disney, Veggie Tales and many, many more!

There are many creative ways that you can use films in your congregation – legally!

It is our hope that the availability of this licensing arrangement will be one more tool that supports your ministries in creative and just ways. If you have any questions about this program, please contact:

**Lorna MacQueen** @ (905) 659-3343 ext. 223; email at [lmacqueen@hamconf.org](mailto:lmacqueen@hamconf.org)



# Public Performance Video Licensing 2012

for  
**Pastoral Charges in  
Hamilton  
Conference**



## Why do we need a Public Performance Licence?

You need a public performance license:

- If you show movies or clips from movies/tv programs for public viewing (unless you are showing 'live-feed' Youtube material)
- Public viewing includes your church school, youth groups, study groups, worship, or family evenings
- It doesn't matter whether you own or rent the movie/clip

The Canadian Copyright Act applies in all cases, even if films are personally owned, brought in from outside sources, obtained from rental outlets, or purchased in retail stores. It applies if films are shown freely, partially, or to small groups, for educational or fundraising purposes. Additional information concerning copyrights can be obtained from the Copyright Board of Canada at [www.cb-cda.gc.ca](http://www.cb-cda.gc.ca).

**Without a public performance licence you are breaking current copyright laws!**

### Criterion Pictures includes:

- Warner Brothers
- Artisan Entertainment
- Alliance Releasing
- Big Idea, Inc. (Veggie Tales)
- 20th Century Fox
- Fine Line Features
- Focus Features
- Odeon Films
- Miramax Films
- USA Films
- New Line Cinema
- Fox Searchlight
- Sony Pictures
- Paramount Pictures Classics
- Mongrel Media
- Nelvana
- DreamWorks SKG
- Lucas Films  
(plus others)

### Audio Ciné Films Inc. Includes:

- Walt Disney Films
- Touchstone Pictures
- Hollywood Pictures
- Christal Films
- Columbia-Tri-Star Pictures
- Equinoxe Films
- Orion Pictures
- Pixar Animation Studios
- Sony Pictures Entertainment
- United Artists
- MGM Studios
- Universal Studios Canada  
(plus others)

## The Cost to your Pastoral Charge

The combined cost for both companies to cover congregations in Hamilton Conference will be \$1.12 per person plus HST based on average Sunday attendance as reported on the 2009 Statistical Return Forms. The licence will be in effect from **January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2012**. Hamilton Conference handles the administration to keep the costs low.

### Example

Average Sunday worship attendance (as reported in the 2010 Year Book):

$$95 \times 1.12 = \$106.40$$

$$\times 13\% \text{ HST} = \underline{\$13.83}$$

$$\text{Total Cost} = \underline{\$120.23}$$

