Game Clock Procedures For Timers

The game clock starts on the Referee's start the clock signal after:

- A player in possession of the ball goes out of bounds
- A fumble, or
- A backward pass goes out of bounds NOTE: The rule does not apply in the last two minutes of either half.

The game clock starts on the Referee's start the clock signal after:

• A fumble forward and out of bounds anytime during the game (even the last two minutes of either half).

If the game clock is stopped with two seconds or less in any period and will start on the Referee's signal, run the clock to zero if the ball is legally snapped.