

March 9, 2009

City Clerk 100 Queen St. W. 10th Floor, West Tower Toronto, ON M5H 2N2

Attn: Ulli Watkiss

Dear Ms Watkiss:

I'm contacting you to make a formal request that the North by Northeast Music & Film Festival and Conference be declared an event of municipal significance. In addition, North by Northeast (NXNE) would like the City to grant us permission to serve alcohol **until 4 am from June 18 until 4 am on June 22** at selected Festival venues.

I am also submitting to TEYCC a list of the venues for which we are requesting extended hours.

I understand that the next Committee meeting on this matter is scheduled for March 26, and I'm hoping the NXNE application will be on the agenda. Please let me know if you need any other documents from me, or if you have any questions about this request.

Sincerely,

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