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To: <u>Toronto East York Community Council</u>

**Subject:** Reguest for Municipal Designation: June 15th during the NXNE Festival

**Date:** Tuesday, May 31, 2016 3:11:10 PM

Importance: High



## To Whom It May Concern

Oasis Aqualounge is a licensed established, located in the downtown core and we are looking to extend our liquor license serving hours, on Wednesday June 15<sup>th</sup>. We are holding a special NXNE-themed event, in celebration of the week-long, annual NXNE music festival that is occurring from June 13<sup>th</sup>-June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016. We understand that other, licensed establishments have been able to extend their liquor serving hours during this festival and we are hoping to receive Municipal Designation, in order to apply for the extension from the ACGO.

Our event is from 9pm-3am and will feature a live musical performance by the independent band 'Starship Experience.' The event will also feature 'Rock n' Roll Trivia,' in theme with NXNE. The event is only one night, although our regular hours of business are 11:00am-3:00am, 7 days a week. We also have a promotional team that will be promoting this event during the week of the NXNE festival.

In general, Oasis Aqualounge has wonderful community ties within the city and we have had liquor extension approval in the past via Pride Toronto. Since the process to apply was longer than expected and because our event occurs one day after your community council meeting (June 14<sup>th</sup>), we are requesting Municipal Designation before the community council meeting occurs. We appreciate your time and effort and look forward to hearing back soon. Please contact me directly with any questions or concerns you may have.

Best;

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