

Toronto, January 13, 2016

To: Office of the Clerk, City of Toronto

Re. Request for Municipal Significance designation & letter of Non-objection for the 2016 edition of Dundas West Fest.

This letter is to request a formal designation for our upcoming community festival, scheduled to take place on **June 11, 2016 from 11am to 10pm**, as of municipal significance, for the following reasons:

- This is a unique collaboration between two Business Improvement Areas in Toronto (Dundas West BIA and Little Portugal BIA), which together represent over 300 local businesses of diverse sizes and types, with regards to the organization of a significant community engagement event;

- The area covered by this community event is 13 city blocks along Dundas Street West in Toronto, between Lansdowne Avenue in the west to Shaw Street in the east;

- It will be an occasion that brings together all local stakeholders, including (school & parents groups, faith groups, non-profit agencies, local business and residents associations, local arts groups, neighbourhood organizations, etc.), providing them all with an opportunity to participate, showcasing their work and themselves to their neighbours within the geographic area covered by our two BIAs and extending north and south from Dundas Street West.

Further, we respectfuly request from City Council a **letter of non-objection** so that our BIA member businesses can extend their existing liquor serving licenses to create outdoor patio areas in front of their establishments on festival day. We have attached a list of all of the establishments for which we may request such temporary extensions.

For any information or clarification, please contact: Helder Ramos, Organizer, Dundas West Fest: dundaswestfest@gmail.com or 416-540-6750

Respectfully

Lubo Brezina, Chair Dundas West BIA Anabela Taborda, Chair Little Portugal BIA

c.c. Office of Councillor Ana Bailão, Ward 18, Toronto
Office of Councillor Mike Layton, Ward 19, Toronto
Licensing and Registration, Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario

## # Name

- 1729 Branca
- 1665 Wallflower
- 1635 Swan Dive
- 1608 Bola Bar
- 1602 Half Point
- 1600 Bivy
- 1588 CAFÉ+BAR+PASTA
- 1576 \*
- 1574 Black Dice
- 1570 Amigos da Dundas
- 1566 Brazil Bakery
- 1560 Bairrada
- 1603 Pho Phuong
- 1595 Four Aces
- 1585 Lula Lounge
- 1532 \*
- 1516 The Derby
- 1484 The Cure
- 1543 Brockton Bar & Sports
- 1454 Antler
- 1442 Sukho Thai
- 1438 The Federal
- 1436 Midfield
- 1415 Unlovable
- 1430 Loveless
- 1424 Gayley's
- 1422 Eggs Sunrise
- 1405 Europa catering
- 1375 Solita
- 1371 E L Ruddy
- 1369 Sex Laser
- 1288 Enoteca Sociale
- 1282 The Saucy Pierogi
- 1280 The Dock Ellis
- 1276 Goleard's Sports Bar
- 1321 Porter House
- 1307 Universal Billiards1305 Remix Lounge
- 1265 Mr. Flamingo
- 1261 Fountain
- 1247 Milk Glass
- 1242 Brazilian Star 1216 Ufficio
- 1212 Churchill
- 1472 0110101111
- 1172 Nova Era
- 1166 The Contender
- 1164 Ossington Stop
- 1209 Caldense Bakery
- 1197 The Garrison
- 1185 The Red Light

1181 Get Well

1173 Camp 4

1149 Communist's Daughter

1132 Lakeview Diner

1116 First Choice

1112 Opera Bobs

1108 Bunda Lounge

<sup>\*</sup> license transfer / new establishment's name unknown