

PH 2 - 2. Zoning and Development By-law Amendments to Amp up the Arts Event License Policy to Support Arts & Culture in Vancouver - Support

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2023-10-17	13:01	201000911858	PH 2 - 2. Zoning and Development By-law Amendments to Amp up the Arts Event License Policy to Support Arts & Culture in Vancouver	Support	This is moving in the right direction. I urge council to adopt the staff report and get this moving. o	Michael Dobbin	s.22(1) Personal and Confidential	West End	
2023-10-17	20:35	201000912813	PH 2 - 2. Zoning and Development By-law Amendments to Amp up the Arts Event License Policy to Support Arts & Culture in Vancouver	Support	<p>Our organization has used the Arts Events License program many times over the years to run a variety of fundraising events. It is so appreciated to have staff helping in the process where it might otherwise be filled with beauracracy and red tape. It goes a long way to dispelling the "no fun city" narrative. The requirements and process are all very reasonable and leave no room for excuses people might give to run unsafe events not by the book. Everyone benefits from the city having a vibrant arts and culture scene and this program shows the municipality's support.</p> <p>By expanding the program you'll be enabling many more artists and organizations to achieve financial sustainability in an increasingly expensive, unlivable and inhospitable city for emerging artists, cultural minorities and non-profits. Specifically the increased capacity will allow for increased chances for events to be financially sustainable as regardless of guest head count many costs in event production are fixed or don't scale linearly with attendance.</p>	organization The eatART Foundation	s.22(1) Personal and Confidential	Mount Pleasant	