

August 9, 2024

City of Kitchener
PO Box 1118, 200 King Street West
Kitchener, ON
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ATTENTION: Gloria MacNeil, Director of Enforcement

SUBJECT: Blanket Noise By-Law Exemption

As per our request for the 2024 Festival, we are herewith requesting a blanket exemption from the Municipal By Law governing noise for the duration of K-W Oktoberfest which officially runs from September 27 to October 19, 2024.

K-W Oktoberfest has been designated an event of “municipal significance” and as such would respectfully request a little latitude in the enforcement of municipal law on certain days involving a limited number of festival facilities. This is our best guess at what the schedule may look like for this upcoming Festival:

Alpine Club (Habsburg Haus), 464 Maple Avenue	Oct 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19
Bingemans, 425 Bingemans Centre Drive	Sept. 27, 28 & Oct. 4, 5, 11, 12
Concordia Club, 429 Ottawa St.	Oct. 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19 Tent & Indoor
Schwaben Club, 50 Scheifele Place	Oct. 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19
Willkommen Platz in downtown Kitchener	October 11, 12, 13 Tent & Outdoor

We trust that this request will meet with the approval of the Council of the City of Kitchener and that we will be advised of this consideration accordingly.

Respectfully,
K-W OKTOBERFEST INC.



Tracy Van Kalsbeek
Executive Director