

City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 25-1885, Agenda Item #: 40.

9/11/2025

Posting Language

Approve an ordinance waiving certain requirements of City Code Chapter 14-8 (Temporary Closure for Special Events and Block Parties) and modifying certain requirements of City Code Chapters 4-20 (Special Events), 14-8, and 25-10 (Sign Regulations) related to notice requirements and requirements for sound equipment and signs for the City co-sponsored 2026 South by Southwest Conference and Festivals to be held March 9-18, 2026.

Sponsors

Sponsor: Mayor Kirk Watson, Co-Sponsor: Mayor Pro Tem Vanessa Fuentes, Co-sponsor: Council Member Zohaib "Zo" Qadri, Co-sponsor: Council Member José Velásquez