



RE: Montreal Mayhem 2022

September 8th, 2022

Canadian Cheer was very excited to be back in Montreal after a 2 year hiatus due to Covid-19. We had secured a larger performance space within the facility and were very optimistic about growing this event in 2022 and onward.

In mid-August, we received some bad news from the Palais des Congrès that they could not honour our contract for 2022 as they were directed by the Provincial and Federal governments to host a highly diplomatic international conference – United Nations Conference on Bio-Diversity from December 5 to December 20, 2022. This was a last minute accommodation due to Covid restrictions in Asia, where the conference was initially scheduled to be hosted.

Please see press release from Environment and Climate Change Canada - [here](#)

After an exhaustive search of the Montreal area by the staff at the Palais, Tourism Montreal and Canadian Cheer, we regret that no alternative venue could be located for the designated event date. We are very disappointed, and without a suitable venue we are unable to proceed with this year's Montreal Mayhem.

For those who were planning to use their attendance at Montreal Mayhem to help meet their World bid participation requirements, we will allow Big East Blast in Ottawa to be an acceptable alternative for Quebec-based teams.

We are finalizing the details of our booking for 2023 and will hope to see the Montreal Mayhem resume and grow in the near future.

Thank you for your understanding and patience as we continue to navigate the impacts of Covid-19.