



**Lowertown Funk & Blues Festival Returns to
Mears Park, St. Paul, MN on Friday, July 21st and Saturday, July 22nd**

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Saint Paul, Minn., March 17, 2017 - Now in its fourth year, and now a two day event the Lowertown Funk & Blues Festival returns to Mears Park on Friday, July 21st for the Funk night & Saturday, July 22nd for the Day of Blues. This has become the Twin Cities' largest, two-day free festival. As the festival continues to grow, this year's two-day lineup starts with the funky sounds of Average White Band, Chase & Ovation (Salute to Prince) and Mick Sterling and the Stud Brothers. Saturday's lineup includes the blues and soul staples of Tommy Castro and the Painkillers, Shannon Curfman, The Jimmys, Reneé Austin, Colin Campbell and the Shackletons on the Main Stage. The Juke Joint second stage will also feature the sounds of the McNally Smith Funk Ensemble, Crankshaft, Moses & Paul, Brother Jon and Ken Valdez.

Back by popular demand will be "Preferred Seating" in front of the stage. Members will gain access to reserved seating. Entry is limited to 100 people, maximum of 6 passes per customer, and can be purchased for \$60 for a one day pass or \$100 for a two day pass [HERE](#) (online only).

The Lowertown Blues and Funk Festival runs from 4:00 pm – 10:00 pm on Friday and noon – 10:00 pm on Saturday. All ages are welcome to this free festival.

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