

Dripping Spring Songwriters Festival

September 22, 2023

To: NEIGHBORS OF THE DOWNTOWN HISTORIC DISTRICTS

NOTIFICATION OF EVENT: October 20-22, 2023 at 8 Venues in the Historic Downtown Districts

We will be holding the 9th annual Dripping Springs Songwriters Festival on Friday, October 20 – Sunday, October 22. This is the notification of the event.

We expect to draw 5,000 people to the Historic Downtown Districts throughout the 3-day festival. The Festival starts on Friday, October 20th at 12 pm and ends Sunday, October 22nd by 6pm. All events will take place in 8 venues in the Historic Downtown Districts on Mercer Street and on Old Fitzhugh Road: The Barber Shop, Acopon Brewing Co., Mazama Coffee Co., Hudson's on Mercer, The Warehouse District, Sidecar Tasting Room, Haus of Jayne and Dog & Bone. Each venue will be providing restrooms, food and beverages to the festival attendees. Additional portable toilets and handwashing stations will be near the venues. Off-duty constables have been hired for traffic and crowd control.

The shows will end by 6pm on Friday and by 8:00pm on Saturday and 5pm on Sunday. The artists will be playing instruments that will be run through a PA system. We have volunteers that will make sure that all trash is picked up and properly disposed of during the Festival.

On Saturday, October 21, the City will close Mercer Street at 6am from N. Bluff Street to N. San Marcos Street until 8pm on Sunday, October 22. We will set up a stage in front of the old Dripping Springs Rental on Sunday for a final afternoon of music from 2-6pm. Traffic flow will not be obstructed on any surrounding streets (San Marcos or Bluff).

We will host songwriters from across the United States and internationally to perform for the Festival and we hope to bring in hundreds of new visitors to the City. City and school parking lots will be used for the event.

There's going to be a lot of talent in Dripping Springs, please come out and enjoy the FREE Festival!!!

Please contact me if you have questions or need more information.

We appreciate your hospitality to the Festival participants.

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