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STEPHON HARRIS AND CHERYL PEPSII RILEY TO HEADLINE CAPITOL HILL JAZZ FOUNDATION'S SECOND ANNUAL "HILLFEST": CONFERENCE, MUSIC EXPOSITION, AND DAY-LONG MUSIC FESTIVAL.

Washington, DC Wednesday August 29, 2018: HillFest, produced by the Capitol Hill Jazz Foundation (CHJF) in partnership with the DC Department of Parks and Recreation (DCPR), will take place on Wednesday October 3 through Saturday October 6, 2018.

An all-day free concert on two stages in Capitol Hill's Garfield Park, featuring international touring and recording stars, Stephon Harris and Cheryl Pepsii Riley, will conclude four days of conference and music exposition events in venues that include Eastern Market's North Hall, the Capitol Hill Arts Workshop, Mr. Henry's Restaurant, the Corner Store, and the Wilson Building, home to DC's political leadership.

HillFest will bring musicians together with local and national government officials and educators as part of CHJF's efforts in pursuit of its mission to impact both public policy and performances.

"We are excited to present another year of activities that celebrate the breadth of Jazz musicians, venues and education programs in Washington, D.C."-Herb Scott, Founder/Executive Director of the Capitol Hill Jazz Foundation.

"The musicians are the heart of the Jazz scene. We are honored and excited to welcome all of our performing acts," said Aaron Myers, Capitol Hill Jazz Foundation Board Chairman.

For a full schedule, list of performers, participants in the conference panels and marketplace, please visit www.hillfest.org.

About the Capitol Hill Jazz Foundation: The Capitol Hill Jazz Foundation's mission is to serve the Washington, DC Jazz community by providing a weekly jam session, an annual Jazz festival, and arts advocacy on behalf of DC Jazz musicians. The Foundation's vision is to financially assist Washington DC-based Jazz musicians, venues, and education programs. For further information on CHJF, visit www.capitolhilljazzfoundation.org, or follow the Capitol Hill Jazz Foundation on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

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