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**\*\*PRESS RELEASE\*\***

**Souls to the Polls, Faith and Community Partners to Host “Live at Capitol Drive,” a Block Party and Gospel Concert to Get Out the Vote on Saturday, October 19, 2024**

**MILWAUKEE, WI**—Souls to the Polls WI will host “Live at Capitol Drive,” a day of free food, music, and fellowship to get out the vote ahead of the upcoming 2024 presidential election. Souls to the Polls, a non-partisan voting rights group, will educate community members about the power of their votes in a critical swing state like Wisconsin, and the importance of the November ballot. The day-long block party will take place in the parking lot of the new Capitol Drive Voting Center, located in the heart of Midtown at 6001 W. Capitol Drive.

“Live at Capitol Drive” is a celebration of our democracy. On holding the event, **Rev. Greg Lewis, Executive Director of Souls to the Polls WI** stated:

*“We’re ‘Live at Capitol Drive’ to let our community know that their vote is power! This is our opportunity to show the power of faith and community. The results of this election will come down to us. Milwaukee is one of the most important cities in the world right now. Rise up. Vote, Milwaukee!”*

“Live at Capitol Drive” will feature free food (while supplies last) as well as performances from gospel and faith-based acts including [6x Grammy Award nominee Ricky Dillard](#), Serita Campbell, Legacy, Sapphire, and Anthony McGahee and Praise Motivated. Voting rights activists and community organizers will be passing out information and speaking to voters about their voting plan. Reverend Greg Lewis is available to speak to the media about this event and how Souls to the Polls is getting out the vote in Milwaukee’s Black neighborhoods.

**DETAILS**

**WHAT:** An early vote faith and community block party focused on Black voters; featuring gospel and faith-based performances, community information tables, signage and remarks from voting rights activists

**WHO:** Rev. Greg Lewis and other faith leaders; voting rights activists; performers including 6x Grammy Award Nominated [Ricky Dillard](#), [Serita Campbell](#), Legacy, Sapphire, and [Anthony McGahee and Praise Motivated](#).

**WHEN:** Saturday, October 19, 2024

- Press conference at 11:30am
- Entertainment from 12pm - 2pm
- Block party from 10am - 3pm

**WHERE:** Capitol Drive Voting Center, 6001 W Capitol Drive, Milwaukee, WI 53209

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