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“Sounds of Summer” Pop-up Concerts to Begin *2nd annual series to offer Friday afternoon concerts throughout Downtown*

The Downtown San Diego Partnership’s annual “Sounds of Summer” pop-up concerts series is set to begin on June 26. The pop-up concerts feature local musicians at different locations throughout Downtown on Friday afternoons.

The free concert series is presented by THE US GRANT, the Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation, Gig Town and Pacific Records. The kickoff event will offer concerts at THE US GRANT and Horton Plaza, and will feature Joe Cardillo and the 22 Kings.

“THE US GRANT is proud to partner with Sounds of Summer for its second consecutive year. We believe the program not only activates Downtown streets, but also unites its community of residents and businesses to support local arts and culture,” said general manager Douglas Korn. “Sounds of Summer encourages us all to take a moment’s pause from our schedules to relish in the beauty and vibrancy of our city.”

The Downtown San Diego Partnership launched the “Sounds of Summer” pop-up concert series last year as part of its larger initiative to energize Downtown with a variety of cultural happenings and activities.

Kris Michell, president and CEO of the Downtown San Diego Partnership, said the pop-up concert series was a huge success last year and looks forward to energizing the streets of Downtown for workers and residents again this summer.

“Whether you love jazz, classical music or electronica, we’ve got an incredible line up of great music events throughout the summer,” said Michell. “We hope Downtown workers, residents and visitors alike will join us to enjoy summertime in our city.”

2015 Sounds of Summer Dates and Locations

June 26

THE US GRANT at 4th and C
Street
Westfield Horton Plaza

July 2

THE US GRANT at 4th and C
Street
Wells Fargo Building at
401 B Street

July 10

THE US GRANT at 4th and C
Street
Westfield Horton Plaza

July 17

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 Wells Fargo Building at 401 B Street

July 24

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 Emmes 1 Columbia Place

July 31

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 4th and Island

August 7

The US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 Mission Brewery at 1441 L Street

August 14

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 Lane Field Park at 900 West Broadway

August 21

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 Wells Fargo Building at 401 B Street

August 28

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 Westfield Horton Plaza

September 4

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 Emmes 1 Columbia Place

September 11

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street
 4th and Island

September 18

THE US GRANT at 4th and C Street

Artists will be announced on the Downtown San Diego Partnership website. For more information about Sounds of Summer, as well as dates, times and concert locations, please visit: www.downtownsandiego.org.

The Downtown San Diego Partnership is a non-profit, member-based organization that serves as the leading advocate for the revitalization and economic health of Downtown San Diego. To learn more about the Downtown Partnership, visit www.downtownsandiego.org.

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