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June 22, 2017

Ald. Russell W. Stamper, II
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MEDIA ADVISORY

“Heal the Hood” event to focus on ending violence, celebrate community

Alderman Russell W. Stamper, II invites Milwaukee residents to attend the **Heal the Hood** block party, and the 23rd annual **Homer Blow’s Birthday Party for the Kids** this weekend, and encourages all to join the conversation on how to end violence and crime in the community.

The event is free and open to the public.

Heal the Hood is a campaign that strives to promote self-sustainability and non-violence. This weekend’s block party will be a gathering of like-minded neighbors coming together as a community to create something positive. It will take place from **12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 24 at N. 30th St. and W. North Ave.**, and will feature free food, local vendors, live entertainment and more. Homer Blow’s Birthday party for the Kids – happening in conjunction with the Heal the hood block party on Saturday -- gives children the opportunity to have a safe, fun experience. Do not miss out on the biggest block party yet!

“This is a prime opportunity for neighbors and the community to come together in a positive way for some fun and for great family-friendly activities – please make plans to attend the party on Saturday,” Alderman Stamper said.

For more information, contact founder of Heal the Hood, **Ajamou Butler**, at **healthhoodmke@gmail.com**.

What: Heal the Hood block party/ Homer Blow’s Birthday Party for the Kids

When: June 24th, 12:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Where: N. 30th St. and W. North Ave.

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