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MEDIA ADVISORY

Music Event In Mitchell Park To Promote Peace

A Friday morning news conference will promote a music-filled festival style event meant to promote peace and empowerment that will take place from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Saturday, July 1, 2006 at Mitchell Park. The event, to be hosted by H.O.M.I.E.S. Ministries and its leader, Pastor Luis Pizarro, will feature more than 10 internationally known DJs and some local and national recording artists. There will be food, games, informational booths and guest speakers. Pastor Pizarro, a recovering drug addict and former member of the Spanish Cobras street gang, is the founder of H.O.M.I.E.S., a street ministry outreach organization which stands for Helping Out Milwaukee In Every Struggle. Alderman Robert G. Donovan praised Pastor Pizarro's efforts and said Saturday's event is meant to "bring Milwaukee's diverse communities together in a spirit of unity and peace." "We need more of these types of events in Milwaukee, where energies are expended in a positive way to build our community up and to show we have more in common than we know," said Ald. Donovan, who is a proud supporter of the event.

Joining Ald. Donovan and Pastor Pizarro at the news conference will be representatives from **Mothers Against Gun Violence**.

WHAT: News Conference for multicultural music event

WHEN: 10:30 a.m. Friday, June 30th

WHERE: Mitchell Park, 524 S. Layton Blvd.
(Corner of S. 27th and W. Pierce St.)

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