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## **Westland Announces Summer Events Lineup**

**Westland, MI (May 27, 2021)** – The City of Westland has administered over 15,000 doses of the COVID-19 vaccine since vaccination roll out began in March.

Last week, Michigan Governor Gretchen Whitmer announced that Michigan has surpassed eight million doses across the state.

“Michigan is emerging from the once-in-a-century pandemic and gearing up to jumpstart the economy. The hope that we feel today is thanks to the millions of Michiganders who have gotten vaccinated to keep themselves, their families, and communities safe,” commented Governor Whitmer.

The Governor also announced on June 1st, there will no longer be any restrictions on outdoor events at 100% capacity and indoor events can proceed at 50% capacity. She went on to note that by July 1st, only a few targeted guidelines to keep vulnerable populations safe would remain.

“The City of Westland has worked hard to distribute vaccines to our residents and we are looking forward to hosting a slate of summer events which our community has long awaited for,” commented Mayor William R. Wild.

Scheduled community events for the summer include:

Memorial Day Parade – May 30, 2021

Park It "Outdoor Movie Night" Community Gathering – June 23, 2021

Corrado Park "Public Safety" Community Gathering July 21, 2021

Blues, Brews and BBQ – August 6 and 7, 2021

Smooth Summer Nights Concert Series – August 19 and 26, 2021

For more information, please call (734) 467-3200.

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Westland, Michigan is the state's 10<sup>th</sup> largest municipality, with a population of over 84,000.

Westland has been recognized as one of 24/7 Wall Street's America's Best 50 Cities to Live, offering residents and visitors an ideal blend of single – family affordable homes, apartments and condominiums, great schools, and access to numerous outdoor activities. Public safety is delivered by full-service, professional law enforcement and firefighting personnel.

Westland is well known as a premier destination for shopping and dining in Wayne County with hundreds of shops and restaurants anchored by the Westland shopping Center, one of the country's original four regional malls.

The City is served by two public school districts. Wayne-Westland Community Schools serving 12,000 youth was recently named one of the best schools in Michigan by WXYZ-TV and is the proud recipient of 14 Golden Apple and two Michigan Blue Ribbon Exemplary School Awards. Livonia Public Schools, educating nearly 15,000 students, is proud of their MEAP/MME scores that exceed State averages and the district has also earned Golden Apple and Michigan Blue Ribbon Exemplary School awards.

The City provides competitive incentives for those who are interested in investing in Westland, making it one of the hottest investment markets in the region. Westland's Fast-Track to Business Team, which consists of key decision makers who work diligently to “cut the red tape” and expedite the approval process for new business development.