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R&B Group Silk To Headline "Wednesday Wind Down In The Point"

EAST POINT, GA - The City of East Point is pleased to announce the second concert of the Wednesday Wind Down in The Point Summer Series, Powered by Sickle Cell Foundation of Georgia, Inc. The event will be held on Wednesday, June 28, 2023, from 5:00p.m. - 9:00p.m. in the Downtown Commons, located at 2714 East Point Street in East Point, Georgia. Admission is free and open to the public.

This concert series will feature an incredible lineup headlined by R&B group Silk, best known for their 1993 hit single, "*Freak Me*", which reached number-one on the US Billboard Hot 100. They also quickly climbed the charts in the 90's with other hits like *Lose Control, Meeting in my Bedroom and If You. Silk* was discovered by R&B legend, Keith Sweat.

Also performing is R&B singer, Miki Howard, Ro James, The Ultimate Sound Band and International Performer Dakarai. The Sickle Cell Foundation of Georgia, Inc., will offer free onsite testing. There will also be a variety of food trucks and vendors. In addition, Canadian influencer Auntie Jillian will host Wednesday Wind Down in The Point alongside V103's Big Tigger Morning Show.

"When I first started Wednesday Wind Down In The Point, my goal was to bring the community together through music, attract new businesses, and create opportunities for local businesses to thrive. It has exceeded my expectations," said Sharon Shropshire, East Point City Councilmember At-Large. "We are excited about the opportunity to raise health awareness and promotion through our partnerships with the Sickle Cell Foundation of Georgia, Inc.," said Shropshire.

Attendees are encouraged to ride MARTA, as the venue is conveniently located across from the East Point MARTA Train Station at 2848 East Main Steet. For more information about Wednesday Wind Down In The Point and parking locations, visit www.eastpointcity.org.

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