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### **Burlington's Third Annual Juneteenth Celebration**

Friday 6/17 from 5:30pm – 7:30pm at North Park (817 Sharpe Rd)

**Burlington, NC** – The City of Burlington, in partnership with local organizations, invites folks to the third annual Juneteenth Celebration this Friday (6/17) from 5:30pm to 7:30pm at North Park (847 Sharpe Rd). The free community event will feature live music, kids' activities, and giveaways from local, Black-owned businesses.

Music will be provided by Rodney Milton of RMJ Movement with live performances from Balanced Composition Performing Arts, Jae Emanuel, LaMoves Afro-Blendz, and North Park's Soul Line Dancing group.

Dinner and desserts will be provided to the first 200 guests. The meal is provided by Big Pat's Soul Food using produce from Miles Family Farm and Kindred Seedlings Farm. Desserts are provided by Sincerely Yours Gifts and Treats and by bakers from the Dream Center Community Kitchen (Suga Rush and Carlton's Creative Desserts). Cold treats will be provided by Brain Freeze, Inc.

The Juneteenth Celebration is sponsored by Glen Raven, Inc., Piedmont Health, Healthy Alamance, Elon University, and the African American Cultural Arts and History Center.

Organizations involved with planning the Celebration include City of Burlington's Mayco Bigelow Community Center and Special Events Division, the African American Cultural Arts and History Center, Healthy Alamance, Kindred Seedlings Farm, and Alamance Achieves.

Additional support was provided by Tiffanie King, Hollo's Bargains 4U, Wiley Girl Promotions, International Minute Press, and Color Flow Designs.

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