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Midtown Kicks Off Live Performance Series with Jazz Band at Bagby Park

*Jazz Education, Inc.'s Summer Jazz Workshop performs Bagby Park's
first live concert*

Houston, TX (June 30, 2015) – Midtown Houston is pleased to announce the kick off of its **#LiveAtLunch** series with a performance by students from [Jazz Education, Inc.'s HEB Tournament of Champions Summer Jazz Workshop](#), **July 10, from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Bagby Park, located on Gray St. between Brazos and Bagby**. The concert will be the first of many #LiveAtLunch monthly performances by various local artists taking place in the newly remodeled park. The performances will be held on the second Friday of every month. Groups interested in performing should contact MidtownParks@oneworldstrong.com for more information.

The HEB Tournament of Champions Summer Jazz Workshop is a program of Jazz Education, Inc., a non-profit organization dedicated to providing high quality music education programs and projects to the greater Houston community. It is a five-week intensive learning experience that engages students in a combination of master classes, lectures, small and large ensembles, performance engagements, and public speaking. The program is in its 44th season and annually serves about 110 student musicians at two locations, under the directorship of Mr. Craig Green and Mr. Al Campbell. Find more information at www.jazzeducation.org.

Bagby Park adds a new level of vitalization to the area and serves as a hub of activity for residents and visitors alike. From a food kiosk and a dog run to live



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performances and attractive open spaces, Bagby Park has something for everyone.

“Midtown is quickly becoming known as the place where families can enjoy a great quality of life, professionals can work, developers can build and visitors and tourists can come and have a great time,” says Matt Thibodeaux, Midtown’s president and CEO.

For more information about Midtown Houston, visit. www.houstonmidtown.com.

About Midtown Houston

Midtown Houston is comprised of two organizations committed to making Midtown a model of urban living in the center of Houston, Texas. The two organizations are the Midtown Redevelopment Authority / Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone No. 2 and the Midtown Management District. These organizations undertake projects with widespread benefit to the area that are beyond the ability of individual property owners or businesses within the district to provide. Both organizations share the common vision of shaping Midtown into a thriving, pedestrian-friendly urban community with distinct responsibilities.

Midtown is the first district in Texas to receive the Cultural Arts and Entertainment District accreditation from the Texas Commission on the Arts.