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Main Street Birmingham to open 55th Place Arts to WOODLAWNx visitors

Points of Interest

- Main Street Birmingham will open 55th Place Arts for tours at WOODLAWNx Block Party
- WOODLAWNx is the TEDx Birmingham after party, Saturday, October 8, 3:30–6pm
- Event to be held on 55th Place in Woodlawn

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (October 5, 2011) – Main Street Birmingham is joining Woodrow Hall, One Stop Environmental and Bayer Properties in hosting the WOODLAWNx Block Party, the after party for TEDx Birmingham. The free event features live music, food and drink and a chance to meet the TEDx Birmingham speakers and continue the discussion, themed “Waking the giants.”

TED is a nonprofit organization devoted to Ideas Worth Spreading. TEDx is a program of local, self-organized events that bring people together to share a TED-like experience. At a TEDx event, TEDTalks video and live speakers combine to spark deep discussion and connection in a small group.

After-party attendees will have a chance to tour Main Street Birmingham’s 55th Place Arts, a row of buildings in Woodlawn that is being re-imagined and revitalized as space for studios, offices and galleries for arts-related enterprises.

To RSVP or for more information on WOODLAWNx, please contact Elizabeth Hinson at ehinson@onestopenv.com

Main Street Birmingham, Inc. (www.MainStreetBham.org) is a nonprofit agency working to foster neighborhood commercial district revitalization. In partnership with the City of Birmingham, the program targets nine urban commercial districts to spur economic and job development.

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