THE MUSIC DISTRICT

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FORT COLLINS, Colo., September 14, 2016 – Sept. 7 marked the beginning of a soft opening for the Music District, a 57,000 square foot campus with communal areas, coworking, industry incubation, rehearsal rooms, retail, radio, residences and more.

Throughout the month of September, workshops, rehearsal spaces and tours are available to the general public. Opening activities will culminate with an opening celebration Sept. 30. The event is free and open to anyone curious about the new space. <u>RSVP</u> is required on the Music District's website at <u>www.themusicdistrict.org</u>. A complete calendar listing of current happenings is also available.

"We're excited to have a wide range of folks from all the different music communities and scenes colliding here, whether they're from Fort Collins, the rest of Colorado or the wider music world," said Music District Director Jesse Elliott.

About the Music District:

The Music District is a dynamic gathering hub, workspace and creative playground for the music community. For the novice or pro, it's a place where anyone can hone their craft, learn the business and share skills and passions with musicians and music lovers. The five building campus will connect Fort Collins to regional, national and international music communities through collaboration and partnerships, offering free and fee-based programming for the public and music enthusiasts.

A living laboratory, it will continuously evolve to meet the ever-changing needs of the Northern Colorado landscape and the wider music world. Visit <u>www.themusicdistrict.org</u> for more information, current events and bookings.

Operating Hours: 11 a.m.-11 p.m., Tuesday – Sunday **Closed Mondays and holidays**