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Factory Portland Launches services, website

Portland, Maine - July 11, 2010 - Factory Portland is pleased to announce the launch of its services and website (www.factoryportland.com). The website offers many great features, including searchable databases of local musicians and local, music-related businesses and services. The website outlines Factory Portland's offerings to musicians, which include photography, design, social networking and website assistance. Factory Portland is the brainchild of Portland's Stephen Quirk and Megan Dougherty. Stephen has been working with musicians since 1997 and hopes to streamline the publicity and networking process for musicians.

Factory Portland provides the business and marketing support local musicians and bands need to survive in a competitive marketplace. Factory strives to advance the diverse and exciting nature of the Portland music scene by giving the bands and musicians that are a key part of this community the help they need to focus on what they do best: create and perform their art.

To celebrate the launch, Factory Portland will hold its first event on Friday, July 23rd at SPACE Gallery in Portland, Maine. The evening will feature live music from New England based musicians José Ayerve, Bullyclub, The Red F, The No. 9, TJ Metcalfe, Wesley Hartley and the Traveling Trees, and Greyshield. The event is open to the public; doors will open at 8:00pm with music commencing at 8:30pm. The show is 18+ with a \$6 admission.

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