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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **Taste of Downers Grove coming September 25, 2008**

*A 93.9 WLIT Sponsored Event*

Downers Grove, Ill. (September 11, 2008) – The Downers Grove Hospitality Alliance will host the Taste of Downers Grove Thursday, September 25, 2008. This event will be located at 1801 Butterfield Road, The Esplanade, at the corner of 355 and Butterfield from 4:00 pm-8:00 pm. The Taste of Downers Grove features more than 25 food items from Downers Grove restaurants with live entertainment throughout the event.

Downers Grove offers a wide range of festivals and events throughout the year. The newest event is the 2008 Taste of Downers Grove. The Downers Grove restaurants have come together to create the Taste of Downers Grove which will feature some of the Downers Grove Hospitality Alliance members. These restaurants will be providing a mix of sample sized dishes priced \$2-\$6 each. This family friendly event is an ideal place to enjoy over 25 signature dishes offering an array of local Downers Grove cuisine. To round out the event, enjoy live entertainment featuring Chicagoland's own acoustic duo, Frank and Dave. There is no entrance fee for guests.

This event is sponsored by The Lite 93.9 WLIT, who will be providing many guest accommodations. Dominick's and Hamilton Partners are also proud sponsors of the Taste of Downers Grove. Proceeds will go to District 58 Education Foundation, District 99 Education Foundation, and Good Samaritan Hospital.

The following restaurants will be participating in the event:

- Carlucci Restaurant & Bar
- Doubletree Guest Suites
- Dunkin' Donuts
- Emmett's Ale House
- Gatto's Restaurant & Bar
- Heineken USA
- Jimmy John's
- Marriott Suites Downers Grove
- Omega Restaurant & Catering
- Parkers' Ocean Grill
- Roundhead's Pizza Pub
- Stillwater Restaurant & Wine Bar and Joyful's Café & Custom Catering
- ZED451

Come enjoy the live entertainment and tons of food, and experience the Taste of Downers Grove. And once you've tasted the fine cuisine at the Taste of Downers Grove, enjoy an evening with the merchants in Downtown Downers Grove for Girls' Night Out. Don't miss the special treats, tastings, demonstrations, drawings, pamperings, and SALE's.

For additional information on the Taste of Downers Grove, please contact Cindy Klima, Director of Marketing and Tourism, Downers Grove Economic Development at 630-729-0380 or cklima@dgedc.com.

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