**MEDIA ADVISORY**

MAYOR TECKLENBURG TO PERFORM WITH INTERNATIONALLY RENOWNED RECORDING ARTISTS DAYNA STEPHENS AND LISA HENRY AT PEER-TO-PEER JAZZ EDUCATION PROGRAM

Charleston, S.C.—Mayor John J. Tecklenburg will perform at the Thelonious Monk Institute of Jazz “peer-to-peer” public school concert at 9:30 a.m., Friday, April 15 at Burke High School.

Combining performance with educational information, the “informance” will be presented to students of Burke High School by seven exceptionally gifted music students from Houston’s High School for the Performing and Visual Arts (HSPVA). The students will be featured with internationally acclaimed jazz saxophone recording artist Dayna Stephens, Kansas City jazz and blues vocalist and past winner of the Thelonious Monk Institute International Jazz Vocals Competition Lisa Henry, and renowned jazz educator Dr. J.B. Dyas.

Mayor Tecklenburg will join the artists to perform two Thelonious Monk works, “Blue Monk” and “Well You Needn’t.”

The concert will be followed by jazz workshops for Burke High School’s jazz band and choir with the visiting student performers playing alongside and sharing ideas with their Charleston counterparts. Charleston was one of five cities nationwide selected this year to receive the free jazz education program.

**WHO:** Mayor Tecklenburg, Dayna Stephens and Lisa Henry

**WHAT:** Thelonious Monk Institute of Jazz “Peer-to-Peer” Concert

**WHERE:** Burke High School, 244 President Street

**WHEN:** 9:30 a.m., Friday, April 15, 2016

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