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## WACO'S BRAZOS NIGHTS CONCERT SERIES & ANNUAL CINCO DE MAYO CELEBRATION RETURNS TO DOWNTOWN THIS FRIDAY

**WACO, TEXAS (May 1, 2024)** — The City of Waco's annual Brazos Nights concert series returns to Indian Spring Park in downtown Waco this Friday, May 3. The evening will feature artists representing Texas music and Hispanic heritage in celebration of the Cinco de Mayo holiday.

## Friday, May 3 Schedule of Events:

- 6 p.m. Event opens with food trucks
- 7:40 p.m. Grammy-award-winning Tejano legend Little Joe Y La Familia
- 9:15 p.m. Austin singer-songwriter-guitarist Shakey Graves
- 11 p.m. Event ends

At 7:40 p.m., Little Joe Y La Familia will take center stage, bringing a dynamic blend of Tejano, Tex-Mex, and conjunto music to the heart of Waco. With decades of experience and countless hits, Little Joe and his band deliver high-energy performances that keep the crowd on its feet. The group performed previously for Brazos Nights in 2005 and 2018, and it's an honor to welcome them back.

Wrapping up the evening festivities is one of the biggest and brightest names in Texas music — Shakey Graves. With an international following and a genre-defying sound that blends folk, blues, roots rock and Americana, the Austin musician is the embodiment of raw talent and authentic artistry.

Admission to Brazos Nights is free. Lawn chairs and blankets are welcome. Coolers with drinks and snacks are allowed, but glass bottles and containers are prohibited.

An additional Brazos Nights concert will take place on Friday, June 7. The series will conclude on Thursday, July 4 with the annual Fourth on the Brazos celebration and H-E-B Fireworks Extravaganza at McLane Stadium's Touchdown Alley. For information and updates, visit brazosnightswaco.com or follow Brazos Nights on Facebook and Instagram.

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