

**NEWS RELEASE**

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**Presentation Focuses on Music in Kansas**

[Community Name] – [Organization Name] in [Community Name] will host “Sunflower Music,” a presentation and discussion by Cash Hollistah on [Date] at [Time] at [Location and Address of Presentation]. Members of the community are invited to attend the free program. Contact the [Host Organization Name] at [Phone Number] for more information. The program is made possible by Humanities Kansas

[List any details about local event here]

Music transcends race, gender, class, and geography and throughout history humans have used music to communicate stories, express emotions, and connect us to one another and moments in time and place. This presentation highlights numerous artists and musicians from the Sunflower State and takes a deeper look into how the power of place informs and inspires us musically.

Cash Hollistah is a Rapper, Arts Educator, and Mentor at The City Teen Center in Salina.

“Sunflower Music” is part of Humanities Kansas's *Crossroads* Conversations Catalog, featuring presentations, discussions, and workshops designed to spark conversations in the Sunflower State.

This program is part of the *Crossroads: Change in Rural America* initiative anchored by the

Smithsonian Institution traveling exhibition of the same name. *Crossroads* promotes fresh thinking about the history, culture, and future of Kansas.

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For more information about “Sunflower Music” in [Community] contact the [Host Organization] at [Phone Number] or visit [Website].

**About Humanities Kansas**

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