

## **BANDS - HELPER SATURDAY VIBES**

Helper Saturday Vibes is a festive outdoor market where family and friends can shop local artists, enjoy live music, learn about local nonprofits, sample a variety of food trucks, peruse the classic car parking, and bounce around the kids' activities—all on Helper's Historic Main Street!

The 2024 Helper Saturday Vibes event will take place on ten Saturdays, May through September Hours 5:00-10:30 pm

May 11 & 25, June 8 & 22, July 13 & 27, August 10 & 24, September 14 & 28

## **IMPORTANT INFO regarding playing at Helper Saturday Vibes:**

- Apply online via our website under the Get Involved page, Bands tab, via Google forms.
- Upon booking you will be required to provide us with band photos, a band bio, and website/social media to be used as promotional material. We also request a tech rider outlining the number and type of inputs/instruments, and a basic map of stage setup. All bands must sign a written contract to confirm commitment to each booking date.
- All sound equipment, including sound tech, will be provided by Helper Saturday Vibes.
- Bands must complete a W9 if payment exceeds \$600. Band payment is valued as a rate per band member; if a member drops out or is unable to make it, the payment will be modified to reflect the change.
- As a part of our zero-waste initiative, we ask that band members bring their own water bottles. There will be a refill station in the green room.

## **Band Parking:**

From US Route 6, take Exit 232 and follow signs toward Helper Main Street. At the south end of Main Street, turn east on Depot St. (at the Phillips Conoco station) into the Amtrak depot parking lot, then take a left onto the unpaved road parallel to the train tracks and follow until you see the park and bandstand on your left. Behind the bandstand is where you will unload, park, and load when your set is finished.

Pin dropped location here.

## **General Event Timeline:**

3:30pm Opening band arrival & stage set-up (no later than 1.5 hrs prior to set time)
4:30-5:00pm Opening band sound check
5:00-7:00pm Opening band set-time
6:30pm Closing band arrival (no later than 1.5 hrs prior to set time)
7:00-7:30pm Intermission music and community announcements, closing band stage set-up
7:30-8:00pm Closing band sound check
8:00-10:00pm Closing band set-time