FINAL ‘COLLAGE’ CONCERT SET FOR FEB. 22

MONROE, Mich. – The final installment of the Monroe County Community College Collage Concert – “MC5 – The Finale” – will be held on Sunday, Feb. 22 in the La-Z-Boy Center.

There will be two performances, each about 90 minutes in length, at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.

The concert, hosted by MCCC’s College/Community Symphony Band and Agora Chorale, will feature a variety of local musical talent showcased in fast-paced, multi-stage format.

The first performance of the MCCC Collage Concert was in 2008, when Mark Felder, director of the Band, brought the concept to Monroe.

The Collage Concert concept was pioneered by the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, N.Y. and the University of Michigan, Felder said.

Collage brings together a diverse variety of musical fabrics and textures. It is a unique presentation of the arts that is a study in antithesis, calling for rapid juxtaposition of musical styles and forms without the interruption of applause.

Opening remarks for the final performance will be given by MCCC President Dr. Kojo Quartey (Act I) and Josh Myers, executive director of The Foundation at MCCC (Act II).

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Performers will include:

- The Adrian Chamber Brass
- MCCC Agora Chorale
- MCCC Licorice Chicks
- Monroe High School Jazz Band
- Kevin and Quri Daniels
- Bedford Chamber Orchestra
- Horns Aplenty
- MCCC Inside Out Dance Ensemble – directed by Kellie Lajiness
- Iridescent Flutes
- Monroe College/Community Symphony Band
- Brad Lieto
- MCCC Percussion Ensemble
- Monroe Recorder Consort
- River Raisin Chorus
- Sweet Adelines International
- Shout
- MCCC Percussion Ensemble
- Myrna Allen Austin
- Mary Vincent
- Tony Marchese

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Tickets are $5 for reserved seating. They can be purchased on the Web at www.monroeccc.edu/theater, in person at the Cashier’s Office in the Warrick Student Services/Administration Building, or via phone using VISA, MasterCard or Discover by calling the MCCC Ticket Hotline at (734) 384-4272.

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