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PLAY CHICAGO PRESENTS CORNMEAL WITH CATFISH HAVEN ON JUNE 14

Live show at the Chicago History Museum features progressive local bands

WHAT: *ComEd Powers PLAY CHICAGO*, a concert series at the Chicago History Museum in partnership with 93XRT. For the first 90 minutes, guests can enjoy the Museum and view the exhibition, *The Essential Art Shay: Selected Photographs*. ComEd Powers *PLAY CHICAGO* is a 21+ ages show. For the summer, concerts will be held outdoors on the plaza pending weather.

WHO: The Play Chicago stage welcomes Cornmeal, Chicago's premiere bluegrass band, featuring vocalist/banjoist Wavy Dave Burlingame, vocalist/guitarist Kris Nowak, vocalist/bassist Chris Gangi, vocalist/drummer JP Nowak, and vocalist/guitarist Allie Kral-Fiddle. The band is known for hit songs such as "Magic Stone Mountain" and "Hillbilly Ride."

Catfish Haven is closely associated with the Indie Rock genre and known for its infusion of rock and blues. Recently, they have played alongside Kings of Leon, Magnolia Electric Co. and My Morning Jacket, and at events such as Hopefest and Lollapalooza.

WHEN: Thursday, June 14, 2007 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Advance tickets are \$15; \$20 at the door. Tickets and information available at www.chicagohistory.org or at 312-642-4600.

WHERE: Chicago History Museum, 1601 North Clark Street (Clark and North Avenue). Parking is conveniently located at the corner of LaSalle and Clark streets, enter lot from Stockton Drive.

The partners that make this concert possible are ComEd, Perillo, Miller Genuine Draft, Stoli Vodka, Big Creek Productions, 93XRT, Time Out Chicago, Blue Plate Catering, and Hotel Indigo.

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The Chicago History Museum, a major museum and research center for Chicago and American history, is located at 1601 N. Clark Street. The Museum can be reached by CTA buses 11, 22, 36, 72, 151, and 156. Parking is conveniently located one block north of the Museum at Clark and LaSalle Streets (enter on Stockton Drive). Admission to the Museum is a suggested donation of \$12 adults, \$10 seniors/students, free for children 12 years and younger. General Admission is free on Mondays. Please call 312.642.4600 or visit us at www.chicagohistory.org. The Chicago History Museum is affiliated with the Chicago Historical Society and acknowledges the Chicago Park District's generous support of all the Museum's activities.