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LOVE & LAUGHTER BLOCK PARTY

FEATURING BETTY WRIGHT, KCI&JOJO, LENNY WILLIAMS & HOSTED BY ACTRESS/PRODUCER VIVICA A. FOX

COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, January 19, 2018– Betty Wright announced earlier today that she will be performing in Columbus, Georgia alongside K-Ci & Jojo and Lenny Williams on Valentine’s Day Weekend. The Love and Laughter Block party will take place in Columbus, Georgia at The Columbus Civic Center on Friday, February 16th, 2018. Tickets are available for purchase at all Ticketmaster outlets and The Columbus Civic Center Box Office.

About Betty Wright

Singer Songwriter Betty Wright know for such hits as “Clean up Woman” and “Tonight is the Night”. “Clean up Woman” reached number two on the R&B charts, where it stayed for eight weeks. It crossed over to the pop charts, peaking at number six and staying on the [Billboard Hot 100](#) for 14 weeks. It eventually sold over a million copies and was certified [gold](#) on December 30, 1971. Wright made history as the first black female artist to score a gold album on her own label, when her 1987 album, *Mother Wit* achieved that certification. The album was notable for the come-back hits "No Pain, No Gain," which returned her to the top 20 on the [R&B chart](#) for the first time in a decade, and "After the Pain".

About K- Ci and Jo Jo

K-Ci & JoJo's first sign of independence came in 1994 when [K-Ci covered Bobby Womack's](#) hit "If You Think You're Lonely Now" for the movie [Jason's Lyric](#). Early in 1996, K-Ci & JoJo teamed up for the song "How Could You" for the movie [Bulletproof](#)

starring [Damon Wayans](#) and [Adam Sandler](#). By July 1996, K-Ci & JoJo finally had a hit on their hands as guest artists in [2Pac](#)'s number-one R&B hit "[How Do U Want It](#)". It also topped the [Billboard Hot 100](#). They also gained popularity with 2Pac's last music video, "[Toss It Up](#)". Their single "All My Life" was the number-one song on the Hot 100 for three weeks, the album "All My Life" was the number-one song on the Hot 100 for three weeks. K-Ci & JoJo's second studio album, [It's Real](#) was released on June 22, 1999. It peaked at number eight on the *Billboard* 200, peaked at number two on the R&B/Hip Hop Albums, and was certified platinum by the RIAA. Outside of the US, the album reached top 20 on the [Dutch Mega Album Top 100](#), the [Canadian Albums Chart](#), and appeared on the [New Zealand Top 40 Albums](#) and the ARIA Charts.

About Vivica A. Fox

Fox began her career with roles on the daytime television soap operas [Days of Our Lives](#) (1988) and [Generations](#) (1989–91), subsequently shifting to the prime-time slot starring opposite [Patti LaBelle](#), in the [NBC](#) sitcom [Out All Night](#) (1992–93). Fox's breakthrough came in 1996, with roles in two box-office hit films, [Roland Emmerich](#)'s [Independence Day](#) and [F. Gary Gray](#)'s [Set It Off](#).

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