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**SUBJECT: Cold Front February Returns to Canal Park February 1-3!**

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[Duluth, MN] – Duluthians have a history of embracing what makes this community unique, vibrant, and one of the best outdoor cities in the country, and winter is no different. Last year's inaugural Cold Front Festival was an incredible success, with 96% of attendees rating it a positive February winter celebration experience. The City of Duluth and its partners are once again shining a bright light on what can be one of the quieter winter months in the city. With numerous fun activities planned for the weekend of February 1-3, 2019, attendees can expect the return of the snow hill for sledding, fat tire biking, vendors, food, music, snow sculpting, and more!

"Residents braved the bitter cold winds last year and showed up bold and strong. We had over 1,000 participants, great food, hundreds of adults and kids testing their skills on the snow hill, yoga in the snow, and capped it off with great music under the big tent in the evening. Cold Front helps residents and visitors stay active during a quieter time of the year, and best of all, most activities are free. Let's get out there and show how Duluth does winter!" said Mayor Emily Larson.

The detailed schedule of activities for Cold Front can be found at <http://www.coldfrontduluth.com/> or follow the event on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/events/515593518923803/>

Due to the Lakewalk Trail storm damages; there will not be an ice skating track this year.

Cold Front is a collaboration between the City of Duluth, the Canal Park Business Association, Visit Duluth, Greater Downtown Council, the DECC, and many other local restaurants and retailers, with financial support from the Knight Foundation.

**Friday, February 1**

**Celebration Grounds Open to the Public 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM**

**The Event Grounds include:**

A snow play hill, luminary hike between the Event Grounds & Endion Station, fire pits, fat tire biking, comfortable seating, s'mores, snow sculpting, hot beverages, music inside the heated tent and at Endion Station.

**Saturday, February 2**

**Celebration Grounds Open to the Public 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM**

**The Event Grounds include:**

A snow play hill, local vendors, food and beverages for purchase inside the heated tent, snow sculpting, fire pits, comfortable seating, s'mores, fat tire biking, activities by the Duluth Children's Museum, and live music in the evening.

**Sunday, February 3**

**Celebration Grounds Open to the Public 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

**The Event Grounds include:**

A snow play hill, local vendors, fat tire biking, flag football, fire pits, s'mores, and beverages for purchase inside the heated tent.

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**FEBRUARY 1-3 IN CANAL PARK**