



## **WGTE TO RECORD AND AIR FREE INDEPENDENCE DAY CONCERT AT HAYES PRESIDENTIAL**

*The concert will air on WGTE FM 91 on Friday, July 8 and WGTE HD on Sunday, July 10*

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**Toledo, Ohio (June 30, 2022)** — WGTE Public Media will be recording and broadcasting the Independence Day concert at the Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library & Museums. This concert, performed by the Toledo Concert Band, will feature members of the Toledo Symphony Orchestra on the verandah of the historic Hayes Home. The Hayes Presidential Library & Museums' annual Independence Day Concert is on Monday, July 4 from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Admission is free to the public.

WGTE will broadcast the concert on FM 91 at 7 p.m. on Friday, July 8, and on WGTE HD (30.1) at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, July 10. Viewers can listen on both dates at [wgte.org](http://wgte.org) and on the WGTE app.

Bruce Moss of the Toledo Concert Band is the conductor, and WGTE's Brad Cresswell, host of *Afternoon Classics* and *Toledo Symphony Lab*, is the emcee. The Toledo Concert Band will perform a variety of songs, including Tchaikovsky's "1812 Overture" while Civil War reenactors fire cannons in sync with the music.

For more information on the event, including parking, food and sponsors, visit [rbhayes.org](http://rbhayes.org).

### **About WGTE**

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