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**SPONSORSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT FOR
WE MAY WELL BE THE ONES**

*A Benefit Concert for Assembly Candidate LuAnn Bird
Produced by Christopher Porterfield and David Ravel*

LIVE AT THE COOPERAGE

THURSDAY | OCTOBER 20 | 7PM SHOW

HALES CORNERS October 4th, 2022— Named after a Paul Westerberg song about the power of ordinary people accomplishing extraordinary things, “We May Well Be The Ones” is a benefit concert in support of LuAnn Bird, candidate for Wisconsin’s 84th Assembly District. This unique event is being produced by Christopher Porterfield of Field Report, and David Ravel, former Artist Director of Alverno Presents. The event will bring together artists from across Milwaukee’s diverse music scene to entertain, inspire, and raise awareness about a campaign with state-wide significance at The Cooperage on Thursday, October 20 at 7:00 p.m.

MORE INFO + TICKETS: actblue.com/donate/wemaywellbetheones

Nine musicians of different backgrounds and styles are donating their time and talent to perform. Field Report, B-Free & Quinten Farr, Tontine Ensemble, Caley Conway, Sarah Vos, Marielle Allshwang, Treccy MT, Ellie Jackson, and Cree Miles will be performing. Songs will highlight the power of collective action to help change the negative political climate. All musicians will perform *We May Well Be the Ones* by Paul Westerberg in an ensemble as the grand finale.

A number of unions, who have endorsed Bird’s candidacy, are sponsoring the event: Milwaukee Area Service and Hospitality Union, Plumbers Local 75, MTEA, IBEW 494, AFT Local 212, AFT Wisconsin, LiUNA, Teamsters Joint Council 39, Sprinkler Fitters Local 183, and IUPAT. Individuals sponsoring the event include: Alex Lasry, Mark Thomsen, and CJ Krawczyk

“The 84th Assembly District is a great opportunity for Democrats to flip a seat in the Milwaukee suburbs this cycle. You can support a passionate and authentic candidate and help defend the Governor’s Veto by going to a concert. How cool is that?” - Representative Evan Goyke

“This seat will likely determine the future of the state. Not enough people are aware of that,” said Christopher Porterfield in a letter to supporters. “We hope to introduce LuAnn Bird to a larger audience and provide a space where all of us can join together around the joy of music to achieve a positive outcome.”

LuAnn Bird is running against former Milwaukee Alderman and Mayoral Candidate Bob Donovan to represent the 84th Assembly District which includes most of Hales Corners and Greenfield along with parts of Greendale and Milwaukee.