

## **Friday, August 9th**

**8:00pm – 8:45pm**

### **JOSH MERRITT BAND**

The genuine sense of Josh Merritt grabs you the moment he starts to perform. This very powerful singer/songwriter has been described as a head turner and a performance stand-out by his peers and people from all around. His Southern Hospitality is immediately absorbed through the music that he makes and it's no wonder why his name is being heard more and more as he makes his way up the ladder of success. A native of Owensboro, KY, Merritt has been making music since the early age of 9 years old after his father brought him home his first instrument. As a child he quickly picked up a love for writing songs and even more so for performing them. His warm heart and eagerness to entertain made him a natural on stage in no time at all. With a variety of influences ranging from bluegrass and traditional country to blues, rock and even hip-hop, Merritt puts on a diverse show that leaves you wanting more. He is steadily building a hefty Resume working and performing with such artists as Corey Smith mg, LoCash Cowboys, Colt Ford, Charlie Daniels, and Hank Williams Jr. With a new Album in the works, 2023 will be a promising year for this thriving entertainer. *Sponsored by Home Mutual Insurance. Located on the Brau Garten Stage, City Hall Park*