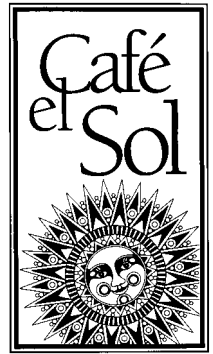




## CENTRO DE LA COMUNIDAD UNIDA UNITED COMMUNITY CENTER

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### **Café el Sol Reaches A New Horizon with Extreme Makeover**

*United Community Center restaurant has new authentic look and flavors in hopes of attracting more business to help fund their social service efforts*

#### **WHAT:**

With phase one complete of their extreme dining makeover, Café el Sol welcomes Mayor Tom Barrett and other community officials to celebrate their new look and new flavors. As part of the United Community Center, Café el Sol is a full service restaurant and catering facility open to the public and groups who wish to use the space for meetings and events. The restaurant helps to support the ongoing and comprehensive social services of the UCC.

Patrons walking into Café el Sol will be immediately transported to an old Mexican village complete with worn windows and doors, and artistically created adobe walls. New flooring and new lighting helps to create the mood, and new delicious menu items will complete the authentic experience.

With support from the City of Milwaukee Community Development Block Grant and Miller Brewing Company, the United Community Center was able to proceed with the renovations. The restaurant hopes to attract more patrons and groups and ultimately increase revenue and staffing.

Future plans include expanding both indoor and outdoor signage for the restaurant as well as improved and updated kitchen facilities.

The Dedication event will include short remarks by the Mayor and representatives from Miller Brewing Company who has contributed \$20,000 to the project.

#### **WHO:**

**Mayor Tom Barrett**  
**Jose Ruano of Miller Brewing Company**  
**United Community Center Board and Staff, Ricardo Diaz – Executive Director**  
**Community Members and Restaurant Patrons**

#### **WHEN:**

**Thursday, October 13**  
**Noon**

#### **WHERE:**

Café el Sol  
Located in the lower level of the United Community Center  
1028 S. 9<sup>th</sup> St.  
Milwaukee, WI 53204

United Community Center (UCC):

*The United Community Center (UCC) provides programs to Hispanics and near South side residents of all races and ages in education, cultural arts, recreation, community development and health and human services in an effort to help individuals achieve their potential by focusing on cultural heritage as a means of personal development.*