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Since 1989 **The MoFo Party Band** has been spreading the blues along Central California's Highway 99 via their home of Fresno. Influenced by West Coast and old-school Chicago Blues, **The MoFo Party Band** provides a sound and show that is all about having a good time. "People tell us they like us because it always looks like we are having fun," says lead guitarist Bill Clifton, "that's because we are and we love what we do."

The MoFo Party Band's first European tour of summer 2006 was a roaring success, with enthusiastic crowds everywhere. The reviews were great - with quotes such as "hit of the year", "the best band that ever played the Beersel Festival" and "amazing and sensational show". This great response has resulted in many new offers for next season. **The Mofo Party Band** is now scheduling more visits to Europe for 2007.

The MoFo Party Band has played many festivals such as the Sonora Blues Festival, the San Francisco Blues Festival and an appearance on the B.B. King Blues Festival tour. From playing as the backup band for late Chicago blues legend Luther Tucker, to sharing the stage with blues legends Bo Diddley, Robert Cray, Charlie Musselwhite, Los Lobos, Otis Rush, Little Charlie and the Night Cats, Tommy Castro and others, **The MoFo Party Band** is a well respected and hard working band on the West Coast blues scene.

The MoFo Party Band is led by the Clifton brothers Bill & John. The current line up includes: Bill Clifton on lead guitar, John Clifton on lead vocals and harp, Jake Cobra Finney on upright bass and Daniel Burt on drums. Both regional and international press, in addition to niche print publications, have covered **the Mofo Party Band** over the years. "Invigorating, straight forward, honest stuff!" says Ken Smith, Red Lick Records, Wales, UK.

With four records on the shelf, **The MoFo Party Band** is currently working on their fifth release, due out in early 2008. Consistently playing over 100 shows a year for more than a decade, positions **The MoFo Party Band** to take their show across North America & Europe. Internet and specialty radio servicing along with continued in-store promotional stops are being scheduled in conjunction with their live performances.

The MoFo Party Band's high-energy show will keep blues fans dancing all night long. "These guys are crowd pleasers, and they go the extra mile no matter if it's a big festival or small club audience!" – Mark Hummel, Promoter of "Harmonica Blowout Tour".

Keep your cocktails chilled and your dancin' shoes polished when The MoFo Party Band comes to town, because you will be sure to experience a show like no other.