Palace Theatre Project Update

October 26, 2016
The Palace Theatre is a historic Saint Paul venue, located downtown on 7th Place, which opened as a vaudeville house in 1916.

Closed to regular use since 1977, the city will redevelop the Palace Theatre into a 2,800-capacity venue for music from new acts and old favorites.

The Palace Theatre will fill a need in the current entertainment venue market by offering a contemporary music venue twice as large at First Avenue and about half the size of Roy Wilkins Auditorium.

The Palace Theatre will attract more than 100,000 people downtown annually.

Enhancing the vibrant downtown entertainment district is at the core of this project, which is a part of Saint Paul’s commitment to creating vibrant places and spaces.

This project will help attract millennials to Saint Paul, who often choose where they live and work based on a city’s rich cultural offerings and vibrant street life.

Construction will be completed in December 2016, in time to celebrate the building’s 100th anniversary.
Southern Theater, Mpls
Georgia Theater (Athens)
BAM Harvey, Brooklyn
Turner Hall, Milwaukee