

Virtual Soca Party, Called Road Rage, Looks to Set Stage for New Soca Cruise Experience Coming November 2021

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Portion of the Road Rage event flyer By SMALL ISLAND CRUISE

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May 14, 2021

Nomination packets are due back to GERS by 3:00pm.

May 17, 2021

GERS begins the candidate vetting process reviewing nomination packets.

May 19, 2021

Candidates notified by GERS.

May 21, 2021

GERS provides YesElections with the eligible voter file data and candidate information.

June 7, 2021

Election opens. Ballots are mailed and online/telephone voting opens 9am.

July 7, 2021

Election closes at 5:00pm

July 8, 2021

YesElections provides results.

July 9, 2021

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Nomination packets are now available for pick up in the GERS Building in the lobby area on St. Croix during the hours of 9am—4pm or fillable nomination packets are available for download on our website at www.usvigiers.com.

Packets must be received by mail or emailed to GERSElections@usvigiers.com by May 14, 2021

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But November, 2021 is a year and a half away, and young entrepreneurs from around the Caribbean are planning a new entertainment cruise experience called Small Island Soca Cruise, with a strategy to create an all-inclusive event with entertainment from live bands, and stops in some of the most desirable Caribbean islands — among them St. Martin/St. Maarten, Antigua, Dominica, Tortola and St. Kitts — for a six-day, five-night affair replete with Caribbean music, fashion, comedy, cuisine and, of course, the unique sound of Soca music.

To build momentum, Small Island Soca Cruise, which is the name of the company, has teamed up with the Consortium to launch what is being called Road Rage, a virtual series of entertainment events, the first of which will be streamed from St. Maarten (SXM) on Sunday, May 31.

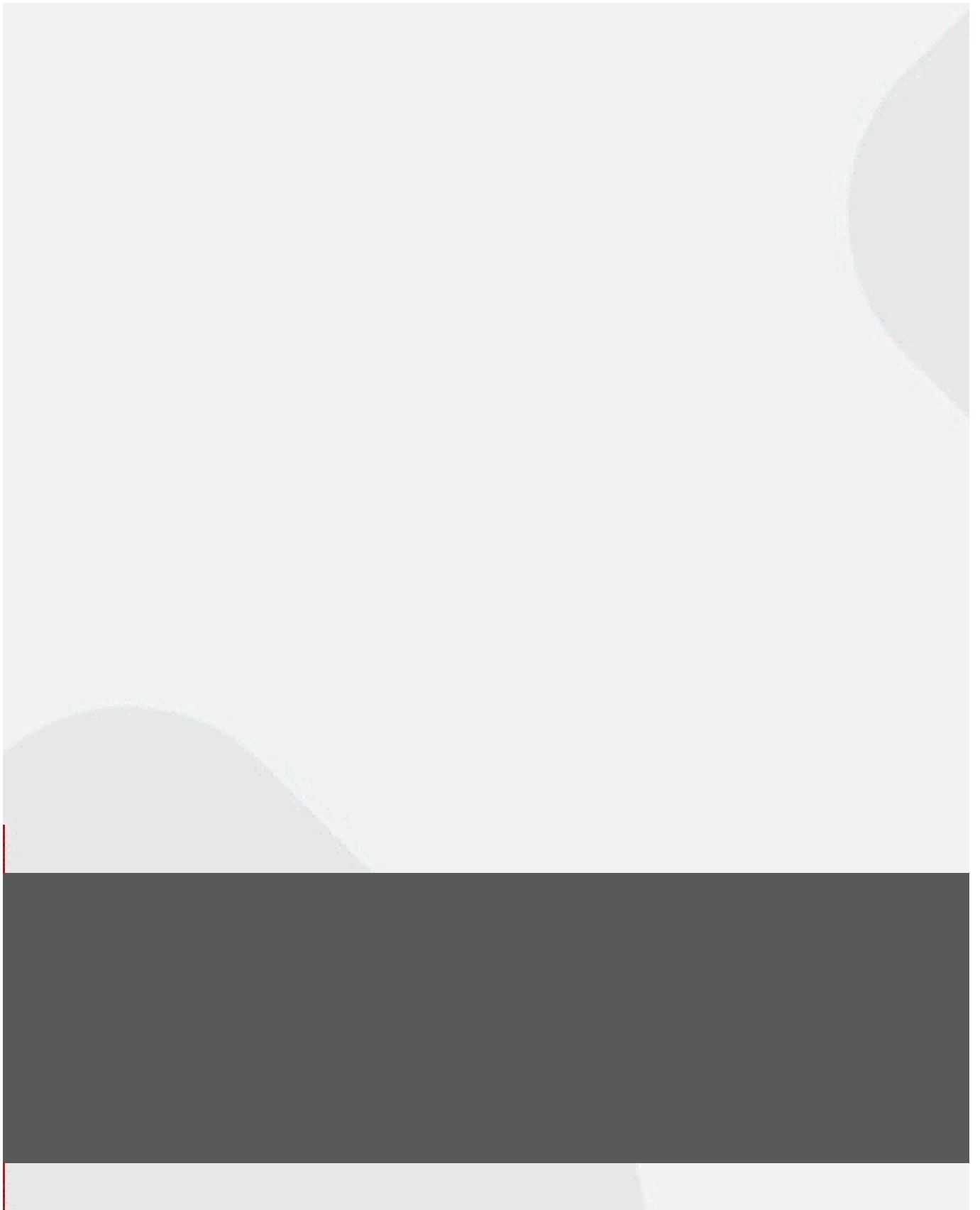
The SXM event will highlight the unique sounds of live bands from St. Martin/St. Maarten, including The Official Band (SXM's reigning Band of the Year, an award similar to what other Caribbean countries call Road March), ZTB, Skillful Band, 4MHD, DJ Main Event, DJ Siw'roo, Mixmaster Pauly

and Shadowman.

"Road Rage celebrates the live bands that rock the road during our jams, jouvets and carnival parades — usually on a moving trailer in front of thousands of revelers," said Austin Helliger, general director of Small Island Soca Cruise. "We wanted to create a similar virtual experience, to help people get familiar with the type of live band music they'll hear on the Small Islands Soca Cruise."

The SXM event is the first of many expected to be put on in a number of Caribbean islands leading up to November, 2021 when the cruise sets sail (more details on the cruise in the coming months).

You can be part of the virtual audience by watching the event live on VI Consortium's Facebook page [here](#), and the website.



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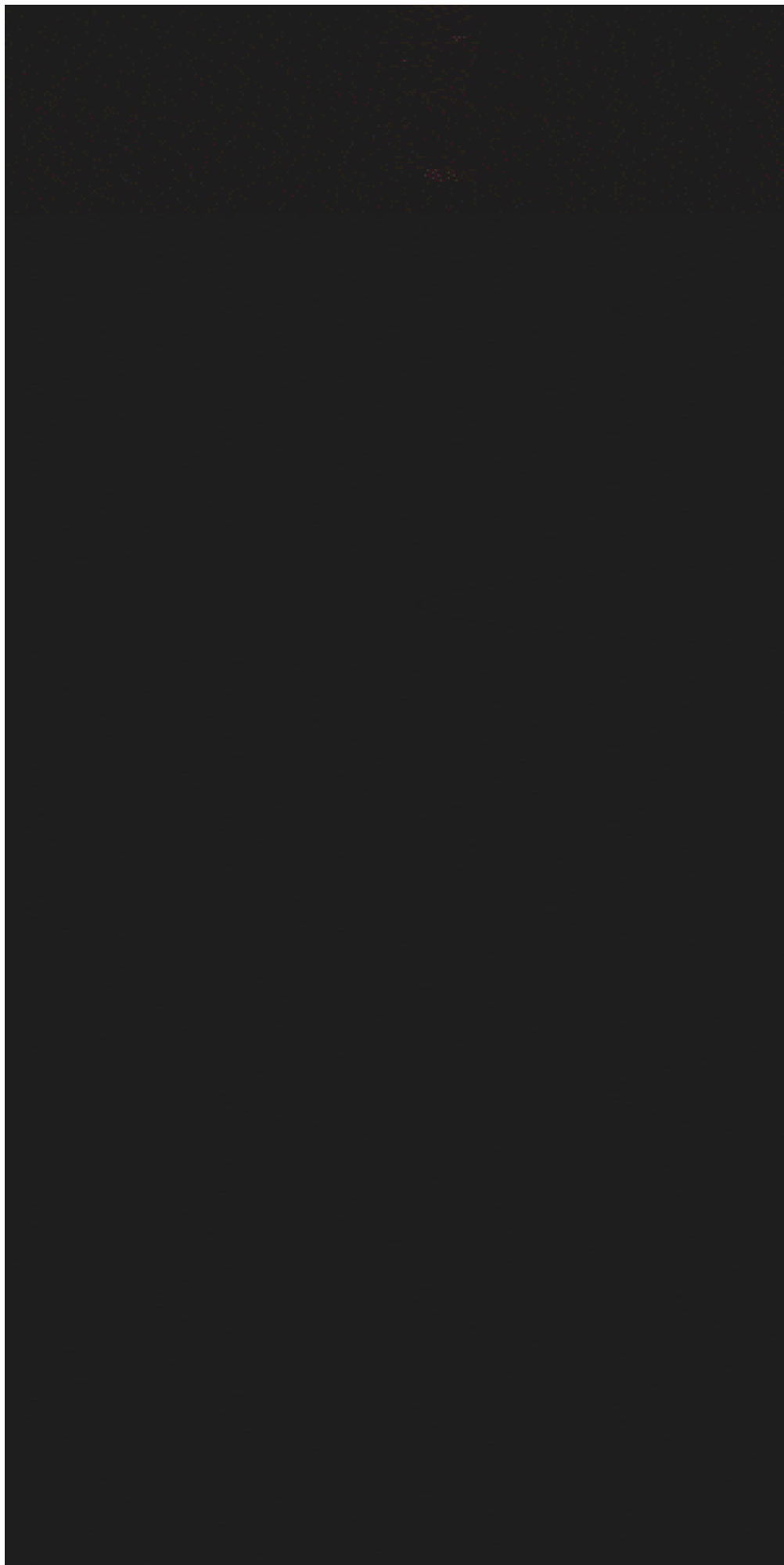
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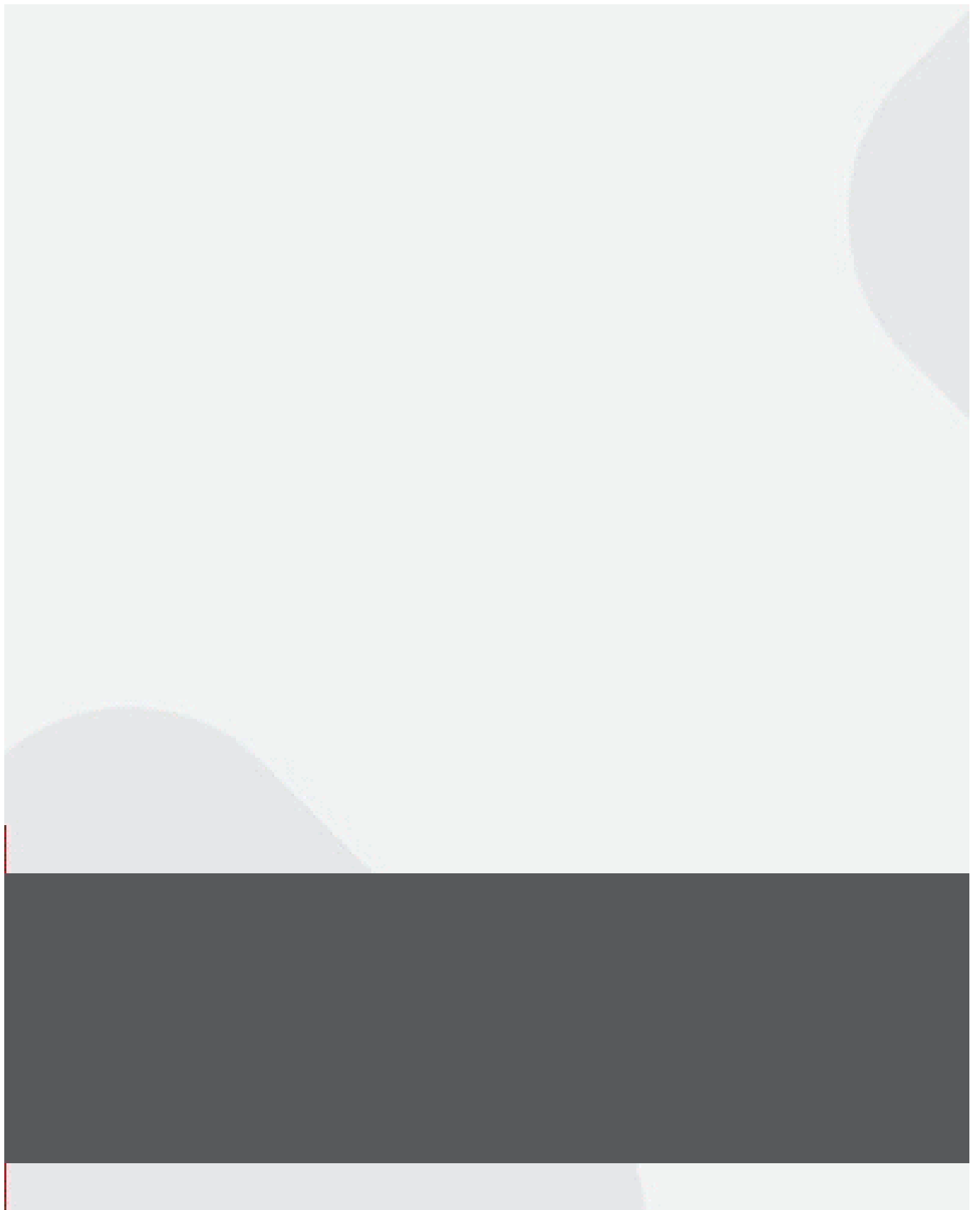
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