Waterfront Maestro

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As he stood on the dock at the Waterfront in Alexandria, VA, playing his violin for tips, he watched a flag flap in the summer breeze. People on the Waterfront started calling him "Maestro" because of his violin and tailcoat image. One night he heard a melody in a dream. He woke up and recorded the melody by humming as much as he could remember. He downloaded FL Studio and made a backing track for his melody. That song became "The Breeze". As he was thinking of names for his band, Waterfront Maestro seemed obvious. Two studio albums later, Waterfront Maestro has developed a unique style. Instead of rock songs with lead guitar, these are rock songs with lead violin.

Michael Francis Haley has been playing the violin professionally since 1983, performing mostly at weddings. He has been in and out of folk bands since 2010. Waterfront Maestro came into existance in 2014.

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