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Big Engine is a finely tuned rock n' roll machine! Hailing from Jacksonville, Florida, the band brings their high-performance rock show to festivals, rallies, events, and clubs throughout the United States. Performing thousands of shows, appearing on local and national television, receiving radio airplay, producing ten albums and a live DVD has made Big Engine one of the most well known and popular rock bands in the southeast United States.

Origin of the band name: On and before December 31st 1990, the band was known as *The Motion*. That night after the countdown and "Auld Lang Syne" at the band's New Year's Eve show; Tony announced that the band would now be known as ***Big Engine***. People often ask "where did you get the idea to name the band Big Engine?" Tony said that the seed of the idea to change the band's name was planted when his father told him "Boy, all you think about are *Big Engines*". He thought, "Hey that sounds like a cool name for the band!"