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## THE PROVIDENCE PERFORMING ARTS CENTER **ANNOUNCES** A GALA CELEBRATION STARRING **JOSH GROBAN** SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 2022

Providence, RI - J.L. "Lynn" Singleton, President and CEO of the Providence Performing Arts Center (PPAC), is delighted to announce that the theatre will hold A GALA CELEBRATION STARRING JOSH GROBAN on Saturday, April 2, 2022. The concert will begin at 7:30P.

Tickets for A GALA CELEBRATION STARRING JOSH GROBAN will go on sale to the general public on Monday, September 20, 2021 at 10A at the PPAC Box Office (220 Weybosset Street in downtown Providence), online at ppacri.org, and by phone at 401.421.ARTS (2787). Tickets are \$175 - \$49; all ticket prices include a \$4 per ticket restoration charge and are subject to change without notice. Box Office phone and window hours are Monday through Friday, 10A to 5P.

PPAC does not have any capacity restrictions; all event staff are fully vaccinated. PPAC is a GBAC STAR® accredited performing arts venue, indicating that the theatre has adopted the most stringent protocols for cleaning, disinfection, and infectious disease prevention. PPAC is following current COVID-19 health and safety guidelines as recommended by the CDC and state government (PPAC's COVID-19 Safety Measures can be accessed here).

### **About JOSH GROBAN**

Grammy, Tony, and Emmy Award-nominated singer, songwriter, and actor **JOSH GROBAN** has entertained fans across the globe with his multi-platinum albums (over 35 million sold worldwide) and electrifying live performances. He has appeared in multiple films and TV shows, and starred on Broadway in *Natasha*, *Pierre & The Great Comet of 1812*, which *Time Out New York* called, "one of the best musicals of the decade". Over the past year, he released his latest album *Harmony*, a collection of timeless songs, and has performed a series of intimate concerts livestreamed to audiences all over the world.

Groban maintains his position as the consummate American showman in 2021 and beyond. He remains an active arts education philanthropist and advocate, and his *Find Your Light Foundation* helps enrich the lives of young people through arts, education, and cultural awareness.

#### **About PPAC**

The Providence Performing Arts Center (PPAC) presents national touring Broadway productions and contemporary engagements. Broadway will be back for the 2021/2022 Season in October 2021 with the national tour launch of **PRETTY WOMAN: THE MUSICAL**, followed by a return engagement of **HAMILTON**, and a <u>full line-up of shows</u>. Located in the heart of Providence's arts and entertainment district, PPAC is the second largest theatre of its kind in the country. The Loew's Theatre Building, which is the historic home of PPAC, opened in October 1928 and has been applauded for its beauty and grandeur. PPAC is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and has been ranked by *Pollstar* as one of the Top Venues in the world. PPAC is managed by Professional Facilities Management and is the home of their corporate office.

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