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MELISSA ETHERIDGE

**LIVE AT THE RED ROBINSON SHOW THEATRE
FRIDAY, AUGUST 20**

Coquitlam, BC – Celebrating the release of her new album, *Fearless Love*, singer-songwriter Melissa Etheridge is gearing up for her summer tour which will take her to Europe and across North America. Born in Leavenworth, Kansas, Etheridge first picked up a guitar at the age of eight and began playing in local bands during her teens. After completing high school, she was accepted as a student at Boston's Berklee College of Music but left after only one year to make her way as a performer in Los Angeles. Her bluesy vocal style and riveting stage presence quickly earned her a strong following. Her hits – including "Bring Me Some Water," "Ain't It Heavy," "I'm the Only One," "Come to My Window," "I Want to Come Over," "Angels Would Fall," "I Run for Life" and "I Need to Wake Up" – have rewarded her with five Platinum albums, a pair of Grammy Awards, a Juno Award and an Academy Award for "Best Original Song" from the 2006 documentary film, *An Inconvenient Truth*.

Just this past April, *Fearless Love* – her tenth studio album – was released arriving two years after her autobiographical *The Awakening* and six years after her battle with breast cancer. At this point, her accomplishments are endless and well-documented. This has allowed her to find herself in the enviable position of being able to make exactly the music she hears in her head and feels in her heart ... that music embodies much of what we've come to anticipate from Etheridge – giant, soaring melodies, her bold, expressive voice, plenty of musical, lyrical and emotional drama – and it also embraces a freshness with the appearance of mandolin and more piano along with guest vocals from Joss Stone and Natasha Bedingfield. On the April 27th broadcast of ABC's *Dancing with the Stars*, she performed the title track from the album along with "Come to My Window." Melissa Etheridge's "Fearless Love Tour" begins this month and will include a one-night performance at Boulevard Casino's Red Robin Show Theatre in August.

TICKETS ON SALE THURSDAY, JUNE 3 @ 10:00 AM

DOORS 7:00 PM SHOW 8:00 PM

Tickets: Orchestra \$89.50 & Golden Circle \$109.50 (+ Service Charges)

Tickets available at all Ticketmaster Outlets or charge-by-phone (604) 280-4444 or order on-line at www.ticketmaster.ca

All shows: 19 years and over unless noted

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