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MotorCity Casino Hotel Proudly Welcomes Roger Hodgson, Legendary Singer-Songwriter formerly of SUPERTRAMP Sound Board November 6, 2014

(Detroit – June 25, 2014) MotorCity Casino Hotel is proud to welcome Roger Hodgson, Legendary Singer-Songwriter formerly of SUPERTRAMP, to Sound Board on Thursday, November 6, 2014 at 8:00 p.m.

Roger Hodgson has been recognized as one of the most gifted composers, songwriters and lyricists of our time. As the legendary voice and composer of many of the band Supertramp's greatest hits, he gave us "Give a Little Bit," "The Logical Song," "Dreamer," "Take the Long Way Home," "Breakfast in America," "It's Raining Again," "School," "Fool's Overture" and so many others that have become the soundtrack of many lives. Roger's trademark way of setting beautiful introspective lyrics to upbeat melodies resonated and found its way into the hearts and minds of people from cultures around the world. His songs have remarkably stood the test of time and earned Roger and Supertramp an adoring worldwide following.

During the time that Roger was with the band, Supertramp became a worldwide rock phenomenon, selling well over 60 million albums to date. In 1974, the band released the album "Crime of the Century" with Roger's song "Dreamer" becoming their first hit and driving the album to the top of the charts. For the next nine years, dubbed by fans as the "Golden Years," Supertramp saw four studio albums, numerous tours, and the worldwide success of "Breakfast in America."

Following his heart, in 1983, Hodgson left Supertramp and Los Angeles after the "Famous Last Words" album and mega rock stadium tour. He moved his family away from the Los Angeles music scene to live a simpler lifestyle close to nature and be home with his children as they were growing up. His first solo album "In the Eye of the Storm" was released in 1984 and became an international hit, selling over two million copies.

In 2006, Roger released his first ever DVD from one of his live solo concerts in Canada. "Take the Long Way Home – Live in Montreal" went Platinum in just seven weeks and hit #1 in all of Canada and is now multi-Platinum and Gold in France and Germany. Featuring hits "Dreamer," "Give a Little Bit," "School," "Breakfast in America," "It's Raining Again" (to name a few), and a bonus orchestral version of "Fool's Overture," this DVD is a stunning reminder of the musical genius of Roger Hodgson.

Currently, Roger is touring worldwide, selling out shows all over the globe and receiving fantastic



reviews from media and fans alike. To learn more about Roger Hodgson, please visit <u>www.rogerhodgson.com</u>.

Tickets are \$50, \$42, \$40 and go on-sale Thursday, July 10, 2014 via Ticketmaster. To purchase tickets, please call Ticketmaster at (800) 745-3000 or visit on line at <u>www.ticketmaster.com</u>. Tickets are also available through the Sound Board Box Office Saturday and Sunday and on show days**. Guests must be at least 21 years old to attend this performance.

SOUND BOARD, an intimate live performance venue is located at MotorCity Casino Hotel. The venue features four bars and several private suites that are available to create an unforgettable live entertainment event. Free and convenient valet and self-parking are available.

Visit http://www.SoundBoardDetroit.com/ for more information about tickets, hotel packages, and Sound Board. Get in touch with us at 866-STAY-MCC or info@SoundBoardDetroit.com.

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