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POP ICON ADAM ANT RETURNS TO NORTH AMERICA WITH HIS *ANTHEMS – THE SINGLES TOUR*

Pop Icon Adam Ant will bring his *Anthems- The Singles Tour* to Florida Theatre in downtown Jacksonville, Florida on Sept. 10 at 7:30pm. General public tickets for this concert go on sale Friday, March 24, and can be purchased at floridatheatre.com, by calling the Florida Theatre Box Office at 904.355.ARTS (2787) or in person, at the Box Office, located at 128 E. Forsyth St.

For his Florida Theatre performance Adam will play his classic chart-topping singles as well as rare singles, B sides and personal favorites.

From his early days in London as an underground, post-punk artist with a cult-like following to his explosion on the world stage that would lead him to become one of the most celebrated artists of the 80s, Adam's musical career spans the course of nine albums, and 25 chart-topping singles. He has sold more than 40,000,000 albums, and had eight singles in the Top 40 in one week, globally.

Kings of the Wild Frontier catapulted Adam to the world stage, where it spent 12 weeks at number one in the UK. From the album, Adam produced three chart-topping singles : "Dog Eat Dog", "Antmusic" and "Kings of the Wild Frontier." The album also features Adam's trademark Burundi Beat style of Central African drumming, a musical signature that remains to this day.

The Florida Theatre's 2017 season is sponsored by Community First Credit Union. For a complete list of upcoming season events, including the 90th Anniversary celebration on April 8, please visit floridatheatre.com.

Florida Theatre : From ballet and opera to contemporary pop, jazz, rock, country and blues the nonprofit Florida Theatre offers 200 cultural and entertainment events annually for every taste and age. More than just an entertainment center, The Florida Theatre is also home to graduations, awards ceremonies, lectures, business meetings and charity events that support the community's schools, churches, hospitals and civic groups. As an anchor to downtown development along the beautiful St. Johns River, The Florida Theatre draws 250,000 people to Jacksonville's center each year. The magnificently restored Florida Theatre is recognized as one of the finest concert venues in the Southeast. It is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Florida Theatre holds special memories for four generations. From the Vaudeville acts and silent films of its earliest days to today's blend of performances of all kinds, The Florida Theatre has served as Jacksonville's premier entertainment center since 1927.