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JAMES TAYLOR SPECIAL AIRING ON MONTANA PUBLIC TV

MISSOULA--

KUFM, the Montana Public Television station based at The University of Montana, will air a program titled "James Taylor Live" on Saturday, May 30, at 7 p.m. This live concert originates from New York's famed Beacon Theater and kicks off Taylor's summer concert tour.

During his 30-year career, Taylor has produced an array of hit singles, including "Fire and Rain," "Carolina In My Mind" and "Sweet Baby James." A veteran of 17 albums, he has emerged as one of the preeminent singer/songwriters of our time. Besides many of his greatest hits, "James Taylor Live" will feature selections from Taylor's latest album, the Grammy Award-winning "Hourglass."

"James Taylor Live" will highlight a special evening of music and a minor pledge drive on PBS. "Classic Albums: Fleetwood Mac -- Rumors" will proceed the Taylor special at 5:30 p.m. An encore broadcast of "Roy Orbison & Friends -- A Black and White Night" will air after the Taylor concert, concluding the pledge portion of the evening. The music continues at 10:30 p.m. with "Sessions at West 54th," featuring Shawn Colvin and Yo-Yo Ma, followed by a documentary on Sioux Indian opera star White Eagle.

The programs can be seen on Channel 11 for Missoula-area viewers. However, beginning June 1, KUFM-TV will air on Channel 6 for Fibervision and TCI Cablevision viewers.

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