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## News Release

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## Saturday Night Fever Lives on at The Hanover Theatre This May



Worcester, Mass. (April 29, 2016) Saturday Night Fever: The Musical, the iconic story of Tony, the kid from Brooklyn, who wants to dance his way to a better life, is back. Saturday Night Fever is playing at The Hanover Theatre Friday, May 6 through Sunday, May 8.

Back in an all-new production that shares Tony's love for dancing in spectacular new ways and full of vintage Bee Gee hits, this contemporary retelling of the classic story captures the energy, passion and life-changing moments that have thrilled movie audiences since 1977. Now, a generation of dancers meets a new generation of playgoers to explore the soaring sounds and pulsating rhythms of this coming-of-age disco fantasy. BBC raves *Saturday Night Fever: The Musical* as having "hit song after hit song, bright lights and dancing to blow you away."

This all new production of *Saturday Night Fever: The Musical* features direction by Jeffrey B. Moss with choreography by Denis Jones and musical direction by Skip Brevis. Tour direction is by Columbia Artists Theatricals, Gary McAvay, president. The cast features Matthew Baker as Tony Manero, Danielle Marie Gonzalez as Stephanie and Anna Baker as Annette, along with Lance Bordelon, J.J. Butler, Michael J. Clark, Nicole D'Arienzo, Maclain Dassatti, Robert DiGiovanni, Katie Laduca, Mike McLean, Walter A. Milani, Gabriel Andrew Reyes, Gabriel Rodrigues, Benjamin Paul Rowan, Yvonne Strumecki, Gabriella Whiting and Jenna Leigh Zito. For more information, visit www.cami.com.

Audio Description will be available at the 1 p.m. performance on Sunday, May 8 with a 12:30 p.m. pre-show description. American Sign Language services will be available at the 6:30 p.m. performance on Sunday, May 8.

Tickets to Saturday Night Fever: The Musical start at \$40. Discounts are available to members of The Hanover Theatre and groups of 10 or more. Tickets are available online at <a href="https://doi.or/10.2016/nn.nc.2016/">The Hanover Theatre and groups of 10 or more. Tickets are available online at <a href="https://doi.org/>TheHanoverTheatre.org">TheHanoverTheatre.org</a>, by phone at 877.571.SHOW (7469) or at The Hanover Theatre box office located at 2 Southbridge Street in downtown Worcester.

## **About The Hanover Theatre**

The Hanover Theatre continues to draw over 180,000 patrons annually with world-class performances and headlining acts including Broadway hits ("Les Misérables," "Jersey Boys"); comedians (Dave Chappelle, Jay Leno, Daniel Tosh); musical acts (Neil Young, Aretha Franklin, John Legend, Donny Osmond); and everything in between ("A Christmas Carol," Alvin Ailey American Dance Theatre, Alton Brown). Consistently ranked by POLLSTAR as one of the Top Theatres in the World, the theatre opened in March of 2008 following a \$32 million historic renovation. Over the last eight seasons, the theatre has established its place as a world-class performing arts venue, acting as a catalyst for the economic development of downtown Worcester. In the spring of 2015, the theatre finalized the purchase of a vacant, three-floor former office building with street-level retail space at 551 Main Street. The building houses office space for theatre administration, function areas, a restaurant on the ground floor and a performing arts conservatory on the lower level. The building opens June 2, 2016.

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