

## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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### **LIZ PHAIR SUPPORTS *SOMEBODY'S MIRACLE*, SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 4<sup>th</sup> RELEASE, WITH NORTH AMERICAN FALL TOUR**

**Liz Phair** will launch her new album, ***Somebody's Miracle***, with a headlining tour of North America that kicks off in Ft. Lauderdale on October 6<sup>th</sup>. Highlights include shows at New York's Irving Plaza (10/17,18), Chicago's Vic Theater (10/25) and at the House of Blues in Los Angeles (11/7).

***Somebody's Miracle***, a bold, ambitious work featuring 14 songs written by **Phair**, has already captured critics' attention in advance of its October 4<sup>th</sup> release:

"Liz Phair doesn't need your stinking 'indie cred.' She's not nostalgic for her bad-girl years. And she's back with her best album yet," said *New York Magazine* in a recent feature, which went on to note "She is thinking about more than hooking up on this album; she is writing about stuff that is (even) more interesting than sex."

Her stripped-down, sold-out summer club tour, which was limited to eight cities, put her songwriting front and center. Said the *New York Post* of a recent show: "What's incredible about Phair, who just finished an intimate, two-show engagement at Joe's Pub, is how she musters the courage to sing about her deepest sexual desires. No other artist, male or female, comes close to understanding lust like Liz....As hot as her lyrics are, she's much more than a pretty blond waif who likes to talk dirty. Her songwriting and unconventional guitar playing shine through the steam."

Later this month, Phil Harder will direct the video for "**Everything To Me**," the album's first single. ***Somebody's Miracle*** is the follow-up to **Phair's** 2003 self-titled album, which included the Gold single "Why Can't I."

Tour dates are as follows:

#### **LIZ PHAIR – FALL 2005 NORTH AMERICAN TOUR**

10/6	Ft. Lauderdale, FL	Revolution
10/7	Orlando, FL	House of Blues
10/8	Tampa, FL	Janus Landing
10/10	Atlanta, GA	Roxy Theatre
10/12	Washington, DC	9:30 Club
10/14	Boston, MA	Avalon
10/16	Philadelphia, PA	TLA

10/17, 18	New York, NY	Irving Plaza
10/20	Buffalo, NY	Center For The Arts
10/22	Montreal, QC	Café Campus
10/23	Toronto, ON	Phoenix
10/25	Chicago, IL	Vic Theater
10/26	Milwaukee, WI	Pabst Theater
10/27	Minneapolis, MN	First Avenue
10/29	Denver, CO	Gothic Theater
10/31	Dallas, TX	Gypsy Ballroom
11/1	Austin, TX	La Zona Rosa
11/2	Tulsa, OK	Cain's Ballroom
11/7	Los Angeles, CA	House of Blues
11/8	San Francisco, CA	Fillmore
11/11	Vancouver, BC	Commodore Ballroom
11/12	Seattle, WA	Neumo's
11/13	Portland, OR	Crystal Ballroom
11/15	Anaheim, CA	House of Blues
11/16	San Diego, CA	House of Blues

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