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SINGER-SONGWRITER SUSAN WERNER TO PERFORM AT RAMAPO COLLEGE

(Mahwah) – Singer-songwriter Susan Werner, regarded as one of the finest performers on the acoustic circuit, will perform on Friday, October 7 at 8 p.m. in the Sharp Theater on the campus of Ramapo College of New Jersey.

Werner's music has its roots in jazz, classical, country and popular song. National tours with Joan Armatrading and a PBS special with Peter, Paul & Mary have helped her build an enthusiastic following in the United States and Canada. Her newest release, *I Can't Be New*, features 12 original songs in the style of the Great American Songbook.

Werner received a master's degree in classical voice; writing and singing in the songbook style is considered a bold departure. Of *I Can't Be New*, the artist says, "These are all new songs done in an old way."

Tickets for Susan Werner are \$24 for adults, \$21 for senior citizens and \$15 for youth. The Sharp Theater is located in the Angelica and Russ Berrie Center for Performing and Visual Arts on the Ramapo College campus. For more information call 201.684.7844.

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