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For Immediate Release:

**CITY THEATRE PRESENTS *POP!*
A NEW MUSICAL ABOUT ANDY WARHOL AND HIS LEGENDARY FACTORY
BY MAGGIE-KATE COLEMAN AND ANNA K. JACOBS**

***"POP! is vibrant, satirical and a hell of a lot of fun...
Warhol would have loved it. And that's something."*—Variety**

**A "musical tumble down the curious rabbit hole of artist Andy Warhol...bold and inventive..."
—*The Washington Post***

**Directed by Brad Rouse
Choreographed by Billy Porter
Featuring Anthony Rapp as Andy Warhol**

May 5-27, 2012

PITTSBURGH, PA (April 9, 2012)—City Theatre ends its 2011-2012 season with a bang as we take a trip back to the fabulous '60s for *POP!*, a new musical in one act by Maggie-Kate Coleman and Anna K. Jacobs. Directed by Brad Rouse, *POP!* runs on City Theatre's Main Stage from **May 5-27, 2012** with an **Opening Night performance on Friday, May 11 at 8pm.**

Who shot Andy Warhol? Welcome to the legendary Factory, where every artist has talent, ego, and a motive to pull the trigger. As the pop icon's life flashes before his eyes, he confronts an unforgettable cast of outrageous suspects and wrestles with the meaning of his own legacy.

***POP!* features Courtney Bassett, Jesse Carrey-Beaver, Alyse Alan Louis, Anthony Rapp, Brian Charles Rooney, Paul Victor, and Bria Walker. The creative team includes Billy Porter (Choreography), Douglas Levine (Music Direction), Anne Mundell (Scenic), Susan Tsu (Costume), Andrew David Ostrowski (Lighting), and Zack Moore (Sound).**

CITY THEATRE PRESENTS

POP!

**By Maggie-Kate Coleman (book and lyrics) and Anna K. Jacobs (music)
Directed by Brad Rouse**

When: May 5-27, 2012

Preview Schedule

Saturday, May 5 at 5:30pm

Sunday, May 6 at 7pm

Tuesday, May 8 and Wednesday, May 9 at 7pm

Thursday, May 10 at 8pm

PRESS / OPENING NIGHT

Friday, May 11 at 8pm

Regular Run Schedule

Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 7pm

Thursdays and Fridays at 8pm

Saturdays at 5:30 and 9pm

Sundays at 2pm

Weekday matinees on Wednesday, May 16 and Wednesday, May 23 at 1pm

There will be no evening performance on Wednesday, May 23.

Where: City Theatre, 1300 Bingham Street on Pittsburgh's South Side

Tickets

\$30 to \$60

Box Office

412.431.CITY (2489) or www.citytheatrecompany.org

Full-time Students and/or Young Professionals Age 26 and Younger may reserve \$15 tickets in advance, except for performances on Friday nights at 8 and Saturdays at 5:30. On Fridays and Saturdays, tickets are available two hours prior to show time and based on availability.

Seniors (age 60+) may purchase \$22 rush tickets at the Box Office beginning two hours before show time.

Groups of 10 or more are eligible for discounts. Call Kari Shaffer at 412.431.4400 x286.

City Theatre is Pittsburgh's largest producing company located outside of downtown's Cultural District. Now in its 37th year and settled on Pittsburgh's historic South Side, City Theatre specializes in contemporary and new plays and has brought to Pittsburgh playwrights such as Adam Rapp, Christopher Durang, Eric Simonson, and Jeffrey Hatcher. Under the leadership of Artistic Director Tracy Brigden, Managing Director Mark R. Power, and a 45-member Board of Directors, City Theatre's mission is to provide an artistic home for the development and production of contemporary plays of substance and ideas that engage and challenge a diverse audience. www.citytheatrecompany.org

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