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Rebel Voices Sing at _____

"On the heels of Nirvana, the next big Seattle group to make a national splash should be the folk duo **Rebel Voices** . . ." (KDVS-FM). ". . .[they bring] ringing, resonant voices to music that inspires, sobers, tickles, and thought-provokes. . . Their wit and theatrics delighted us." (*Victory Review*).

You can see **Rebel Voices** for yourself in concert at

_____ (Time)
on _____, _____ at _____.
(Day of the week) (Month/date/year) (Hall/Venue & Address)

The concert is sponsored by _____.

General admission to the concert is _____. Tickets will be available at the door or at _____.

Janet Stecher and Susan Lewis are the singing duo Rebel Voices. Their provocative repertoire combines political punch and wry wit with intricate harmony and dramatic flair. This powerful and inspiring duo promises an evening of thought provoking, zany, reaffirming music to lift the spirit and prick the conscience.

Janet and Susan have been singing together for almost 40 years. As members of the women's trio *Belles of Hoboken* in the early 80s, they performed throughout the New York City area and recorded numerous songs for the "Fast Folk" musician's cooperative monthly musical "magazine." Then, they moved to

Seattle, where they were founding members of *Shays' Rebellion*, a quartet whose 'songs of social movements past and present' have been heard across the United States and Canada.

Since 1989, Janet and Susan have been performing and recording as the duet **Rebel Voices**. They have appeared in concert at coffeehouses, K-12 schoolrooms, colleges, festivals, living rooms, conventions, rallies, picket lines, and union halls across the U.S. and Canada, and as far away as England and Portugal. The thousands of hours they've spent working together and the love of the material they sing are evident in their confident and inspiring performances. **Rebel Voices** can take a song you think you've heard, and through their striking arrangements and uniquely haunting harmonies, make it their own. Their performances for organizations and events representing a broad spectrum of political and social causes have gained them enthusiastic fans wherever they go.

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This is the general format we use for the press release. If you want more coverage, by all means, add as much information as you want that will generate interest in the event.

Feel free to add any details that add interest for potential audience, for example:

- This is a benefit or fundraising concert for . . . etc. (If so, add information about the people or organization that will receive proceeds)*
- The concert will be opened by . . .etc. (Add appropriate information)*
- Are there any additional ticket outlets? Cheaper advance purchase price? Reservations recommended? etc.*
- Let the audience know if the concert will be held in a smoke free environment, if food, child care, or sign language interpretation is available, etc.*