



## HILARIOUS BROADWAY HIT AVENUE Q MAKES SAN JOSE DEBUT JANUARY 12-17, 2010

SAN JOSE, CA (October 14, 2009) -- **AVENUE Q** is the smash-hit Broadway musical about real life in New York City, as told by a cast of people and puppets through a hilariously irreverent, Tony-winning book and score. **Broadway San Jose** will give the South Bay its first look this three-time Tony Award winning musical **January 12-17, 2010** at the **San Jose Center for the Performing Arts**. The public may purchase tickets (\$20-\$75) either online at [www.sjtix.com](http://www.sjtix.com) or by calling (408) 792-4111.

**AVENUE Q** tells the story of Princeton, a bright-eyed college grad who moves to NYC with big dreams and a tiny bank account. The only apartment he can afford is way out on Avenue Q, where everyone's looking for the same things he is: a decent job, a stable relationship, and a "purpose." Eventually, Princeton learns to embrace the ups and downs of city life and realizes that "the real world" isn't so bad, after all!

*The New York Times* hailed **AVENUE Q** as "a breakthrough musical of a very different stripe. Savvy, sassy and delicious!" and *Entertainment Weekly* claimed it was "one of the funniest shows you're ever likely to see!"

**AVENUE Q** features music and lyrics by Robert Lopez and Jeff Marx, book by Jeff Whitty, based on an original concept by Robert Lopez and Jeff Marx; and is directed by Jason Moore; puppet design by Rick Lyon, orchestrations by Stephen Oremus, choreography by Ken Roberson, scenic design by Anna Louizos, costume design by Mirena Rada, lighting design by Howell Binkley, and sound design by Lew Mead; associate director is Evan Ensign and music

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supervisor is Andrew Graham. Avenue Q is produced by Work Light Productions.

For more information on AVENUE Q visit [www.avenueqontour.com](http://www.avenueqontour.com).

*Due to adult situations (like full-puppet nudity), AVENUE Q may be inappropriate for kids under 13.*

**FOR CALENDAR EDITORS:**

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**WHEN:** **January 12 – 17, 2010**

**SHOWS:** 7:30 pm, Tuesday - Thursday  
8 pm, Friday  
2 pm and 8 pm, Saturday  
1 pm and 6 pm, Sunday

**WHERE:** **San Jose Center for the Performing Arts**  
255 Almaden Blvd, San Jose

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**PHOTOS:** For high res photos, please visit [www.cb-pr.com/press/avenueq.html](http://www.cb-pr.com/press/avenueq.html)