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UMD CO-SPONSORS FOLK CONCERT

Duluth --- Folksinger and songwriter Charlie Maguire will present a free concert August 2, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Green Room of the Duluth Public Library. Weather permitting the concert will be held outdoors.

Maguire, who has written extensively about Minnesota and performed frequently on the popular radio show "A Prairie Home Companion," will sing songs about Duluth and the surrounding area. His songs deal with truck drivers, coal miners, migratory workers and dairy farmers.

In the past nine years Maguire has released three albums and has extensively toured the United States and Canada. In 1980 he received a Minnesota State Arts Board Grant, and in 1984 was a Bush Fellowship finalist.

The concert is being presented by "Duluth Up Close," a free series of outdoor programs being offered this summer by the Duluth Parks and Recreation Department and the Tourism Management and Development Center at the University of Minnesota, Duluth (UMD), and the Duluth Public Library.

Maguire's records will be available at the concert.

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