GRANGER SMITH BOILERPLATE

Country music trailblazer, **Granger Smith**, is the flagship artist on **BBR Music Group**'s imprint, **Wheelhouse Records**. With sold-out national tours, a social media following of more than 5 million, and YouTube views exceeding 50 million, Granger Smith has amassed a rabid audience, while building a truly groundbreaking career. Granger's newest album, *Remington*, released March 4 via Wheelhouse Records, claimed the **No. 1** spot on the **iTunes country album chart** on release day and garnered him the **No. 1** debut for first week sales via **Nielson Soundscan** (3/14). The album, produced by Granger Smith and Frank Rogers, features the hit single "Backroad Song," which landed the **No. 1** spot at country radio (Billboard Country Airplay, Mediabase and Music Row charts). The follow up single "If The Boot Fits," is climbing the charts and *Billboard* calls it one of their Country Songs of the Summer Picks.

Granger's "YEE YEE NATION" national tour has consistently sold out and broken attendance records and merchandise records at nearly every venue over the past two years. He is playing some of the country's biggest festivals throughout the summer and will be on tour with Florida Georgia Line this fall/winter.

Granger's comical country boy alter-ego, **Earl Dibbles Jr.**, has its own fanatical following and garnered him a weekly segment called "**Dip 'Em and Pick 'Em"** on **CBS Sports Network's** "**Inside College Football,"** in which he has appeared for the past three seasons. Granger has even been recognized by **Variety** for being the brainchild behind Earl Dibbles Jr. (among other character alter-egos including Donny Cowboy and Live with Lionel) and named one of their annual and lauded **10 Comics to Watch for 2016**.

Accolades continue to pour in for the fast-rising star. Granger has been named "Country's Next Big Star" by Forbes, MusicRow's "Next Big Thing," Rolling Stone Country's "New Country Artists You Need To Know," Billboard's "Artist To Watch," Huffington Post's "Top 20 Artists To Watch," Taste of Country's "Hottest New Act of 2016," among others. He has appeared on the Today Show, Fox & Friends and performed on the outdoor stage at Jimmy Kimmel Live! to a jam-packed crowd. Granger celebrated another milestone in his prolific career when he made his Grand Ole Opry debut, delivering back-to-back performances at the legendary Ryman Auditorium also known as the "mother church."

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