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KEOS 89.1 FM Receives Plass Arts Foundation Grant

BRYAN/COLLEGE STATION, TX--Brazos Educational Radio KEOS 89.1 FM has received a grant from the Gilbert and Thyra Plass Arts Foundation to cover the costs of broadcasting "World Café," a popular syndicated program aired on KEOS.

The Plass Arts Foundation is a local charitable trust established to continue Thyra and Gilbert Plass's life-long mission of supporting artists and ensuring everyone access to the arts. This is the third year in a row that KEOS has been a recipient of a Plass Arts Foundation grant.

"The costs of broadcasting syndicated programming have risen significantly over the last few years," said KEOS Board of Directors President Krista May. "We are very grateful to the Plass Arts Foundation for this grant, which makes it possible for us to carry a unique and educational music program like 'World Café.' Without this grant, KEOS wouldn't be able to bring our community 'World Café.' We're quite honored to receive a grant from such a well-regarded and community-focused arts foundation."

"World Café," hosted by David Dye, has emerged as the premiere public radio showcase for contemporary music serving up an eclectic blend that includes indie rock, singer-songwriters, folk, alternative country, blues, and world music. "World Café" is produced by WXPB in Philadelphia, distributed by National Public Radio (NPR), and airs each Monday through Friday on KEOS 89.1 FM from noon until 2:00 pm.

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