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*****MEDIA ADVISORY*****

**NEW PROGRAMS AND NEW PARTNERSHIPS FEATURED IN
ST. LOUIS PUBLIC RADIO'S JULY SCHEDULE**

“State of the Re:Union” to Air on St. Louis Public Radio

St. Louis Public Radio | 90.7 KWMU will air “State of the Re:Union” with Al Letson, starting Saturday, July 2, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. The series will run every Saturday through July 30, 2011. “State of the Re:Union” explores the resonating themes, stories, challenges and cultural components that create communities across the country and celebrate the commonality that links us as a people.

Two Teenage Cellists From Missouri to be Featured on NPR'S *From The Top*

St. Louis Public Radio | 90.7 KWMU's July 2, 2011 episode of NPR's *From the Top* will feature two teenage cellists from Missouri: Naomi Benecasa, 17, of Springfield and Richard Mazuski, 18, of Olivette. Benecasa and Mazuski were featured on an episode of *From the Top* that was taped on May 4, 2011 at the Sandler Center in Virginia Beach as part of the Virginia Arts Festival. *From the Top* airs on 90.7 KWMU on Saturdays from 7 p.m. – 8 p.m.

St. Louis on the Air to Broadcast Live from Missouri Botanical Garden

St. Louis on the Air will broadcast live from Missouri Botanical Garden's Shoenberg Theatre on Wednesday, July 6 at 11 a.m. Don Marsh and international conservation experts will discuss efforts to save the nearly quarter of the earth's plant species which are in danger of going extinct. The broadcast is open to the public. Doors open at 10:30 a.m.



St. Louis Public Radio is Cooking up Something New with Sauce Magazine

St. Louis Public Radio | 90.7 KWMU and Sauce Magazine have partnered on a new series about the food, people and trends that make St. Louis a delicious place to live. The series, called “Sound Bites” will explore the unique flavor of the region as it relates to dining out, cooking at home, or growing on the farm. The first installment of “Sound Bites” will air on Friday, July 8 at 11 a.m. on *Cityscape*.

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St. Louis Public Radio | 90.7 KWMU provides the St. Louis region award-winning, in-depth news, insightful discussion, and entertaining programs that focus on the issues and people who shape our community, our country and our world. Signature programs include: *Morning Edition*, *All Things Considered*, *Fresh Air*, *This American Life*, *Marketplace*, *Car Talk*, *St. Louis on the Air*, *BBC World Service*, *The Tavis Smiley Show*, *Wait Wait...Don't Tell Me!* and *A Prairie Home Companion*.

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