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## MEDIA ALERT

## TEMPE MARKETPLACE SUPPORTS LOCAL BANDS AND MUSICIANS EVERY WEEKEND Free Concerts on Friday and Saturday Nights at the District Stage and Near the Barnes & Noble Fountain

What:Let's be real: nothing beats live music. Especially after a long week at work, we all know there is nothing like<br/>sitting back and relaxing to the sounds of guitar or maybe even a little harmonica. It's a good thing that<br/>Tempe Marketplace offers live music every Friday and Saturday evening.

This January, guests have the chance to enjoy rhythm, jazz, pop, contemporary, funk, soul, folk, classical, top 40... you name it! Popular Valley performances will include:

When:Friday, Jan. 22, from 7 to 10 p.m., District StageSistahs Too will deliver a high energy show with powerful sultry vocals and musical sounds;

Friday, Jan. 22 from 7 to 9 p.m., Barnes & Noble Fountain Janelle Loes offers fusing elements of jazz, pop and contemporary music with a soothing voice;

Saturday, Jan. 23 from 7 to 10 p.m., District Stage Knee Deep Experience is known for their signature Llama mascot (yes, Llama!) and is sure to bring the funk;

Saturday, Jan. 23 from 7 to 9 p.m., Barnes & Noble Fountain **M Squared** is a musical married duo that combines their talents of vocals, piano, flute and saxophone with jazzy combos;

Friday, Jan. 29 from 7 to 10 p.m., District Stage **Eclectic World Music Band** is an innovative, new fusion of world music and rock using traditional ethnic instruments combined with all the power of a full blown rock band;

Friday, Jan. 29 from 7 to 9 p.m., Barnes & Noble Fountain **Sherry Finzer** is a one-woman flutist bringing ambient music with a unique blend of New Age, Latin and Flamenco sounds, to name a few;

Saturday, Jan. 30 from 7 to 10 p.m., District Stage Jeordie & The Mixology Project is a blend of modern pop themes and folk rock guitar with an upbeat Top 40 hit list; and

Saturday, Jan. 30 from 7 to 9 p.m., Barnes & Noble Fountain John Calvert will bring earthy tunes from folk, jazz, flamenco and classical music with a calming yet adventurous spirit.

Where: Tempe Marketplace, 2000 E. Rio Salado Parkway, Tempe (on the SW corner of Loops 101 & 202)

Info: For more information, visit www.tempemarketplace.com/events/live-music