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TWO RIVER THEATER RECEIVES RENEWED SUPPORT FROM THE SPRINGPOINT SENIOR LIVING FOUNDATION AND THE HORIZON FOUNDATION FOR NEW JERSEY TO EXTEND THE REACH OF ITS ACCESS PROGRAMS THROUGHOUT THE STATE

RED BANK, NJ— Two River Theater, under the leadership of Artistic Director John Dias and Managing Director Michael Hurst, announces renewed support from two leading New Jersey foundations, The Springpoint Senior Living Foundation at the Atrium at Navesink Harbor and The Horizon Foundation for New Jersey, to extend the reach of the theater's access programs.

Two River Theater has established an ongoing partnership with The Springpoint Senior Living Foundation at the Atrium at Navesink Harbor, a nonprofit that provides senior housing and care in New Jersey. Through this partnership, Two River will continue to work with Springpoint Senior Living to conduct outreach to the local senior community, and explore new ways to increase accessibility of the arts for Springpoint's more than 1,500 residents and seniors in affiliated communities throughout New Jersey, by increasing awareness about the theater's productions and programs and as well as the accessibility of its facility.

The Horizon Foundation for New Jersey, an affiliate of Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey, promotes health, well-being, and quality of life in New Jersey's communities; priority areas include health and the arts. Funding from The Horizon Foundation will again support Two River's theater access programs for seniors and individuals with disabilities to ensure all individuals can participate in the creation of great American theater. This renewed support from both The Horizon Foundation for New Jersey and Springpoint Senior Living will ensure Two River Theater can continue to offer its access programs at no cost.

"Springpoint Senior Living is thrilled to support Two River Theater and its access initiatives," says Gary Puma, President and CEO of Springpoint Senior Living. "Easy access to the arts benefits us all by improving our physical, spiritual and mental well-being. Through these initiatives, Two River and Springpoint Senior Living share a common goal of making a meaningful difference in people's lives as they age and in their communities."

Two River's "Theater Access" programs include assistive listening devices and large-print programs at every performance; and open captioning, audio description, American Sign Language-interpretation at select performances of each production. The Two River Theater facility, which opened in 2005, was

designed by the renowned architectural firm Hardy Holzman Pfeiffer Associates to be a fully accessible community resource. The theater has comfortable seating, free parking, on-grade entrances, elevators, railings, and wide doorways that provide patrons easy access to its theater spaces. Throughout its season, Two River Theater also offers discussions with artists and the Artistic staff before and after performances to deepen and enhance the theater-going experience.

To order tickets for audio described, open captioned, or sign-interpreted performances, patrons should contact the Box Office at 732.345.1400. For general inquiries, specific concerns, or special requests about Two River's access programs, contact Michele Klinsky, Access Coordinator, at 732.345.1400 ext. 1808 or mklinsky@trtc.org. For more information, visit www.trtc.org.

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TWO RIVER THEATER COMPANY, under the leadership of Artistic Director John Dias and Managing Director Michael Hurst, is dedicated to producing great classics from the American and world stage, creating new plays and musicals for the American theater, and serving its diverse and multigenerational community through unique partnerships and education programs. Founded in 1994 by Joan and Dr. Robert M. Rechnitz, the theater supports the most exceptional and adventurous artists in the American theater and provides opportunities for its audiences to be part of the creative process. Two River Theater is a member of the League of Resident Theaters (LORT), Theatre Communications Group (TCG), the New Jersey Theatre Alliance, and ArtPride New Jersey, and has been designated a "Major Arts Institution" by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts. Visit TRTC.org.