

MEDIA ADVISORY PHOTO OPP: Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle Launch

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Service Begins for the Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle courtesy of VISIT PHILADELPHIA® and serviced by PHLASH®

PHILADELPHIA, **PA (November 23, 2018)** – This holiday season, the **Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle courtesy of VISIT PHILADELPHIA® and serviced by PHLASH®** provides free access to 11 stops located near Philly Holiday Festival signature events, beginning November 23 through December 30, every Thursday – Sunday, from 6 – 9 p.m., every 20 – 30 minutes.

To kick off the start of service, the media is invited for a photo opportunity of the Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle (decorated inside and out) as it stops at the Independence Visitor Center:

- WHAT: Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle first evening of service
- WHEN: Friday, November 23, 2018, 6:15 p.m.
- WHO: Local media, hospitality, partners, social media influencers, visitors PHOTO/TV/RADIO OPPORTUNITY:
 - Social media personality, Kedzie Teller, sharing live on social media
 - PHLASH representatives distributing purple candy canes to riders
 - Historic Philadelphia, Inc. History Maker
 - Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle with festive bus wrap and interior holiday lights
 - Visitors boarding Philly Holiday Shuttle for free courtesy of Visit Philadelphia
 - On-site contacts available to interview:
 - James J. Cuorato, President & CEO, IVCC
 - Jennifer Nagle, VP, Business Development, IVCC
 - Kellianne Nicholas, VP, Marketing & Event Branding, Welcome America, Inc.
- WHERE: **Stop H2**, northeast corner of 6th & Market St., Independence Visitor Center <u>Click here for complete Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle route map.</u>

Other holiday attractions located along the Philly Holiday Festival Shuttle include:

- H1: Chestnut St. Overpass, Blue Cross RiverRink Winterfest
- H3: 15th St. & John F. Kennedy Blvd., Philly Holiday Tree and Winter in Dilworth Park
- H4: 16th St. & John F. Kennedy Blvd., Christmas Village in LOVE Park
- H5: 17th St. & John F. Kennedy Blvd., The Comcast Holiday Spectacular
- H6: 16th & Market Sts., One Liberty Observation Deck "A Very Philadelphia Holiday"



- H7: 13th & Market Sts., Macy's Christmas Light Show and Dickens Village
- H9: 3rd & Arch Sts., Betsy Ross House Courtyard Tree designed by Petit Jardin en Ville
- H10: 6th & Race Sts., Franklin Square Holiday Festival & Electrical Spectacle
- H11: Columbus Blvd. & Race St., Cherry Street Pier Marketplace and Performances

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