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**PITTSBURGH PRIDE EVENT STREET CLOSURES**

**PITTSBURGH:** On **Saturday, June 15, 2013** beginning at **4:00AM**, Liberty Avenue will be closed to all vehicular traffic between 9<sup>th</sup> Street and 10<sup>th</sup> Streets and Smithfield Street from Liberty to 7<sup>th</sup> for "**Pride in the Street**" featuring **Adam Lambert**. The hours for this event will be from **5:30PM – 1:30AM**. The listed streets will close Saturday morning and remain closed through the events on June 16, 2013 at 11:00PM.

Beginning at 6 AM on Sunday, June 16, the Liberty Avenue street closure will be extended to 6<sup>th</sup> Street for "**Pride Fest**." This will also include the cross streets of Tito Way, 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Wood Street, 9<sup>th</sup> Street and 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

On **Sunday, June 16, 2013** limited street closures will occur for the "**Pride March**" which will take place from **12:00 – 1:00PM**. The parade route will include the following:

- Staging area will be on the Blvd. of the Allies between Grant and Wood. The route will begin at the Blvd. of the Allies, left onto Grant Street utilizing the outbound lanes, left onto Fifth Avenue, right onto Liberty Avenue and will end at Sixth and Liberty. The parade will go directly into the "**PrideFest**" event at 7<sup>th</sup> and Liberty which will take place from 1:00 – 6:30PM.

Signs for **NO PARKING** will be posted on Saturday, June 15 indicating parking restrictions after **7:00AM** which will be in effect on Sunday, June 16 for the parade at the following locations:

- Blvd. of the Allies (both sides) from Grant Street to Market Street, Fifth Avenue between Grant Street and Liberty Avenue and Liberty Avenue between Fifth and Seventh. Barricades will be erected in cross street areas as applicable and Officers will be posted at major intersections for the safety of the marchers as well as the citizens.

For additional information regarding the "**Pride in the Street**" event, "**PrideFest**", and/or the "**Pride March**", please contact:

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