

# RIDE THE PCC's ON GIRARD AVENUE NYD-ERA TRIP TO PHILADELPHIA

Sunday, September 25, 2005

**Bonus: Ride the NJT River Line**

Please note the new NYC departure point.

The New York Division, Electric Railroaders' Association, is pleased to announce a bus trip to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on **Sunday, September 25, 2005**. Our first stop will afford attendees a walk-through tour of the Callowhill Depot, home to the rebuilt PCC's that will be serving the #15 Girard Avenue line beginning Sunday, September 4<sup>th</sup>. Afterwards, the bus will drop you off on the #15 line, where you will have at least two to three hours to ride and photograph the PCC cars on the #15 line. You will have the option to ride other nearby SEPTA lines, including the Broad Street and Market-Frankford subway lines, each of which intersect with the #15. You should have lunch on your own wherever you wish. In the afternoon, the bus will pick everyone up at a designated time and place and convey everyone to Camden, New Jersey, where attendees will have the option to ride the River Line (at one's own expense) from Camden to Trenton. The charter bus will then pick up the River Line riders in Trenton and return home.

Our chartered bus will depart from Gate #402 of the Port Authority Bus Terminal (note this new departure point!). The bus will leave promptly at 8:15 AM from this point (Stop #1). There will be an additional pickup point in Metropark at the bus stop area in front of the New Jersey Transit/Amtrak Metropark Station (Stop #2). The pickup at this Stop #2 will be at 8:45 AM. (Parking is available at \$3.00 in the garage at the station.) **Please indicate below at which stop you will be boarding the bus.** Our estimated return time to Metropark is 7:00 to 7:30 PM, 7:30 to 8:00 PM to New York City. Please see the note on the other side about the departure times.

Please join us for a special trip to be one of the first to experience the return of the PCC cars to Route #15. The ticket price is \$45, and includes your charter bus transportation and the SEPTA rides. Seniors over 65 should bring their Medicare card or other valid ID. The fare for the River Line is not included. For further updates and information, please call (718) 784-3643 evenings. This trip operates rain or shine.

To: NEW YORK DIVISION, ERA, INC.  
Post Office Box 3001  
New York, NY 10008

(718) 784-3643 evenings  
for info or updates

Enclosed is \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ tickets at  
\$45 per ticket for the trip to Philadelphia  
on Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>.

FARE: \$45.00

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

I will board at Stop #1 (NYC)       I will board at Stop #2 (Metropark)

Please enclose a **stamped return envelope** for your ticket(s). Thank you.

See other side for important information.

## **RULES OF CONDUCT**

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## **DEPARTURE TIMES**

Each attendee is responsible for being at the bus departure points several minutes prior to the scheduled departure time. With regard to the initial departure times, you should be aware that numerous g.o.'s are frequently in effect on the subways almost every weekend and these may delay your normal trip from your home or connection to the trip departure point. It is your responsibility to check for g.o.'s and other service notices that may affect your trip beforehand, so that you can plan your arrival time with plenty of cushion to spare. There will be no ticket refunds for failure to show up on time. It is important that you adhere to announced return departure times.