

ANNUAL HUDSON-BERGEN LIGHT RAIL SYSTEM TRIP

The New York Division, Electric Railroaders' Association, is pleased to announce the latest annual chartered bus trip to the Hudson-Bergen Light Rail System on **Saturday, January 14, 2006**. Our main focus will be on the new construction presently underway at the north end of the current operating trackage. Although public operation to Bergenline Avenue is not expected until later in January at the earliest, we are optimistic that arrangements can be made for our group to ride a non-revenue car through the tunnel to Bergenline Avenue and the Tonnelle Avenue loop. This, alone, will be worth the price of the trip! There will be other photo opportunities along currently operating trackage. Following lunch on your own, our group will view the current status of the above-ground construction involving the extension of the Newark City Subway to the Broad Street RR Station, projected to open in 2006. You will also have the option of riding the Newark Subway between Grove Street and Newark Penn Station.

Our chartered Lakeland bus will depart from Gate #402 of the Port Authority Bus Terminal (note this new departure point!). The bus will leave promptly at 8:30 AM from this point (Stop #1). There will be an additional pickup point at the Hoboken Terminal, at 9:00 AM, along the southerly curb at the bus terminal and bus turnaround point adjacent to the train terminal (Stop #2). **Please indicate below at which stop you will be boarding the bus.** It is expected that the bus will return to Hoboken and New York before dinner time.

Warm up your winter and join us for this very special trip to the newest electric light rail system in the New York metropolitan region. The reasonable ticket price includes the trip by charter bus and a ride on the light rail line. (The modest Newark Subway fare and lunch will be optional at your expense.) For further updates and information, please call (718) 784-3643 evenings. This trip and tour operates rain or shine.

To: NEW YORK DIVISION, ERA, INC. (718) 784-3643 evenings
Post Office Box 3001 for info or updates
New York, NY 10008

FARE: \$25.00

Enclosed is _____ for _____ tickets to the Hudson-Bergen Light Rail Trip on Saturday, January 14, 2006

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

I will be getting on the bus at: _____ Stop #1 at 8:30 AM (NY City)
_____ Stop #2 at 9:00 AM (Hoboken)

Please enclose a stamped return envelope. Thank you.

See other side for important information.

RULES OF CONDUCT

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Disruptive behavior shall include but not be limited to the possession of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, illegal weapons or any other illegal substance or item.

The provisions of these NY Division Rules of Conduct shall apply to NY Division members and non-members alike.

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.