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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

**Please publish/read this public service announcement over the air through Friday, December 23.**

### **News Release/Public Service Announcement**

**Cottonwood, Arizona (November 16, 2013) CAT/LYNX Will Be Operating on Christmas Eve, December 24, and New Year's Eve, December 31, To Provide Rides to ADA and Fixed Route Customers**

Cottonwood Area Transit (CAT) is pleased to announce that it will be operating regular service on Tuesday, December 24<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, December 31<sup>st</sup>. However, neither CAT nor LYNX will be in service on Christmas Day and New Year's Day. This will give our drivers time to be home with their families for the holidays.

Any ADA riders that want a ride on Thursday, December 26<sup>th</sup>, the day after Christmas, are encouraged to call the CAT office at 634-2287 no later than 5pm on Tuesday, December 24<sup>th</sup>. For rides on Thursday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, please call no later than 5pm on Tuesday, December 31. The CAT office will open at its usual time of 8:00 am on Thursday, December 26<sup>th</sup> and Thursday January 2<sup>nd</sup>.

CAT provides two fixed routes and ADA Paratransit service for Cottonwood, Clarkdale and Verde Villages, Monday through Friday, 7:00 am to 5:00 pm.

For further information, contact the CAT office at 928-634-2287.

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