

Port Authority

SPECIAL SERVICE OPERATING THIS WEEKEND

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (December 6, 2019) - Port Authority invites the greater Pittsburgh community to “Loop the Loop” in the Golden Triangle this weekend by celebrating the past and looking toward the future of public transit in Allegheny County.

On Saturday, December 7, and Sunday, December 8, Port Authority will operate the 96A-Golden Triangle, a route that has not run in more than 30 years, as we retire our last remaining buses manufactured by Neoplan USA.

The buses will depart East Busway - Penn Station Stop C every 45 minutes between 9 a.m. and 8:15 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. They will make a loop as they serve 13 stops in downtown Pittsburgh. No fare will be charged.

Neoplan buses have been part of Port Authority’s fleet since 1982, one year after the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation purchased more than 1,000 buses and distributed them to transit agencies across the state.

In the 37 years since their first arrival, several models of these buses have been the workhorses of Port Authority’s system and have been a familiar sight for two generations of transit riders. Today, just two Neoplans remain in use, both of which will be retired after Sunday.

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