

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

Notice is hereby given that Deacon Transportation Inc. d/b/a Old Town Trolley Tours of Boston, John Welby, Manager, has applied to amend their Jitney Route.

Current Route is: Enter Cambridge on Broadway from Longfellow Bridge, Right onto Third Street Right onto Binney Street, Left onto Land Boulevard (stop at the Sonesta), Left onto O'Brien Highway (stop at the Hampton Inn), Left onto Third Street, Left onto Cambridge Street, Right onto First Street, Right onto Binney Street, Left onto Broadway (stop at the Residence Inn), U-turn onto Main Street (stop at the Marriott), Right onto Ames Street, Left onto Broadway, Right onto Quincy Street, Left onto Cambridge Street, Left onto Massachusetts Avenue, Right onto Concord Avenue, Right onto Bond Street, Right onto Garden Street (stop at the Sheraton Commander), Right onto Massachusetts Avenue, Right onto Mt. Auburn Street, Left onto University Road, Left onto Bennett Street (stop at the Charles Hotel), Right onto JFK Street, Left onto Memorial Drive (stop at the Radisson), Left onto Magazine Street, Right onto Granite Street, Right onto Brookline Street, Left onto Memorial Drive, Left onto Amesbury Street (stop at the Hyatt), Right onto Vassar Street, Left onto Massachusetts Avenue, Left onto Sydney Street, Left onto Green Street (stop at the LeMeridian Hotel), Left onto Landsdown Street, Right onto Massachusetts Avenue, Left onto Vassar Street, Right onto Main Street (stop at Kendall Square), Exit Cambridge via Longfellow Bridge.

Current Detour Route/Proposed Route: Enter Cambridge on Massachusetts Avenue from Mass. Ave./Harvard Bridge, Right onto Vassar Street, Right onto Main Street (stop at Kendall Square), Stop at M.I.T. Bookstore, Exit Cambridge via Longfellow Bridge.

Proposed Detour Option: Enter Cambridge on Broadway from Longfellow Bridge, Left onto Ames Street, Left onto Main Street (stop at Kendall Square), Right onto Hayward Street, Right onto Amherst Street, Right onto Ames Street, Left onto Main Street, Left onto Vassar Street, Left onto Massachusetts Avenue, Exit Cambridge via Mass. Ave./Harvard Bridge.

Proposed new Detour Option: Enter Cambridge via Massachusetts Avenue, Right onto Memorial Drive, Left onto Wadsworth Street, Left onto Amherst Street, Right onto Ames Street, Right onto Main Street Stop at the M.I.T. Bookstore; exit Cambridge via the Longfellow Bridge.

The hearing on this application will be held on Tuesday evening, March 10th, 2009 at six o'clock in the Michael J. Lombardi Municipal Building, 831 Massachusetts Avenue, Basement Conference room, Cambridge, MA 02139.

Richard V. Scali
Gerald Reardon
Robert C. Haas

License Commission



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February 19, 2009

John Welby
Deacon Transportation, Inc.
380 Dorchester Avenue
South Boston, MA 02127

RE: Application to amend jitney route
Deacon Transportation, Inc.
d/b/a Old Town Trolley Tours of Boston
380 Dorchester Ave, South Boston, MA

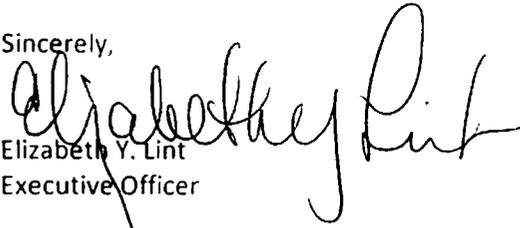
Dear Mr. Welby,

The hearing on your application to amend the Old Town Trolley of Boston's Jitney route will be heard by the Board of License Commissioners on Tuesday evening, March 10th, 2009 at six o'clock in the Michael J. Lombardi Municipal Building, Basement Conference Room, 831 Massachusetts Avenue.

On July 1, 2008 the License Commissions hearing and advertising fees increased to \$175.00. Please submit a check for the balance of \$35.00 no later than March 3, 2009 or your application will not be heard.

Please be sure to attend the hearing.

Sincerely,


Elizabeth Y. Lint
Executive Officer

Cc: Richard Scali, Chairman; Chief Gerald Reardon; Commissioner Robert Haas; Deputy Chief Dan Turner.



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MEMORANDUM

To: Elizabeth Lint, License Commission
From: Adam Shulman, TP&T
Date: February 12, 2009
Re: Old Town Trolley Route

DRAFT

The Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department (TP&T) has reviewed a request from Old Town Trolley to make their Detour route into their regular continuous route and vice versa as shown below:

EXISTING ROUTES:	PROPOSED ROUTES:
<p>Continuous loop throughout the day Every 10-30 minutes depending on season. Enter Cambridge on Broadway from Longfellow Bridge Left onto Ames Street Left onto Main Street Stop on Main Street at Kendall Square Straight onto Broadway Exit Cambridge via Longfellow Bridge</p> <p>Detour Option Enter Cambridge on Massachusetts Avenue from Mass. Ave./Harvard Bridge Right onto Vassar Street Right onto Main Street Stop on Main Street at Kendall Square Exit Cambridge via Longfellow Bridge</p>	<p>Continuous loop throughout the day Every 10-30 minutes depending on season. Enter Cambridge on Massachusetts Avenue from Mass. Ave./Harvard Bridge Right onto Vassar Street Right onto Main Street Stop on Main Street at Kendall Square Exit Cambridge via Longfellow Bridge</p> <p>Detour Option Enter Cambridge on Broadway from Longfellow Bridge Left onto Ames Street Left onto Main Street Stop on Main Street at Kendall Square Straight onto Broadway Exit Cambridge via Longfellow Bridge</p>

Old Town Trolley has also requested approval of a new Detour route as shown below:

<p>PROPOSED NEW DETOUR ROUTE: Enter Cambridge via Massachusetts Avenue Right onto Memorial Drive Left onto Wadsworth Street Left onto Amherst Street Right onto Ames Street Right onto Main Street. Stop On Main Street at Kendall Square. Continue on Main Street and exit Cambridge via the Longfellow Bridge</p>

Lastly, there will be no change to the existing approved route to hotels once daily in the mornings.

Old Town Trolley Tours of Boston

Information sheet for City of Cambridge

Compiled 2/4/09

Business Names: Old Town Trolley Tours of Boston
Minuteman Tours

Corporate Names: Deacon Transportation, Inc.
Boston-Cambridge Trolley Tours

Address: 380 Dorchester Avenue
South Boston, MA 02127

Phone: 617-269-7150
Fax: 617-269-8018

Emergency Contact: Matthew Murphy (General Manager) cell # 617-908-8201
John Welby (Operations Manager) cell # 617-908-8202

Parent Company: Historic Tours of America
Address: 201 Front Street
Key West, FL 33040
Phone: 800-868-7482

Fleet: 43 Vehicles, consisting of (1) 25 ft shuttle bus and 42 trolley-style tour
busses of various lengths (up to 33.5 ft)

Garage Address: 380 Dorchester Avenue, South Boston, MA 02127

Operating Days: Year round every day except: Patriots Day, Thanksgiving & Christmas
Operating Hours: 9:00 am to 7:00 pm (May through October)
9:00 am to 6:00 pm (November through April)

Frequency: Every 10 to 30 minutes, depending on seasonal demand

Stop Location: Kendall Square on Main Street by the M.I.T. Bookstore

Route: (current) Enter Cambridge via the Longfellow Bridge onto Broadway, left onto
Ames Street, left onto Main Street, stop at M.I.T., exit Cambridge via the
Longfellow Bridge*
(would like to change to) Enter Cambridge via Massachusetts Ave., right onto Vassar St., right onto
Main St., stop at M.I.T., exit Cambridge via the Longfellow Bridge.*

*This is the main route followed but does not include the daily hotel
shuttle route or detour routes – see attached document

The TP&T Department reviewed the proposed route change and new Detour route. The streets have existing bus activity and are wide enough to accommodate the trolley. We approve the request with the following conditions:

- The proponent should obtain approval from the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) for the proposed new Detour route because it uses Memorial Drive, which is owned by DCR.
- The TP&T Department should approve any routing changes to this service.
- No illegal u-turns shall be done.
- Changing of directions should be conducted as indicated on the routing plan.
- Stopping shall only occur at the permitted jitney stop on Main Street in Kendall Square.
- No operations may occur before 9 AM and after 9 PM.

Let me know if you have any questions.