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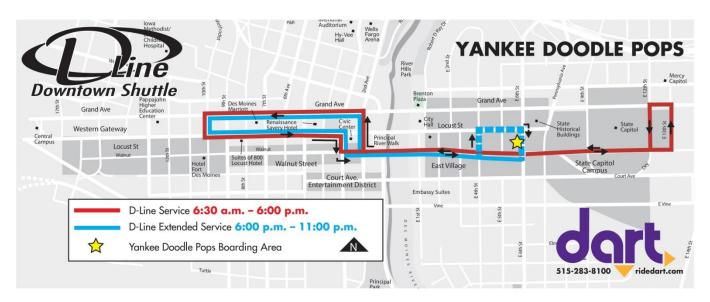
## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

Friday, June 28, 2013

## **DART extends D-Line hours for Yankee Doodle Pops**

The hours of the free-to-ride D-Line Downtown Shuttle will be extended to 11 p.m. on Wednesday, July 3, to take people to the Des Moines Symphony's Yankee Doodle Pops concert.

Concert goers can more easily find parking in the downtown area west of the Des Moines River, then ride the D-Line to the concert. The D-Line loops through downtown on Grand Avenue and Locust Street and picks up passengers at any of the designated stops along the route. The shuttle will take them back to their stops afterward.



The D-Line's route will be detoured all day due to bridge closures that day:

- 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. The D-Line will operate on Grand and Locust to 10th Street west of the river, and on Walnut Street over the river, through the East Village and to the Capitol.
- 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. -- The D-Line will operate on Grand and Locust to 10<sup>th</sup> Street west of the river, and on Walnut Street over the river to East 6<sup>th</sup> Street in the East Village. The shuttle will not travel around the Capitol during these hours.

For more information, please call 515-283-8100 or email dart@ridedart.com.

The Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority is the public transportation provider that serves Polk County. DART operates a family of transportation services that makes getting around the Greater Des Moines area easier and more convenient. For more information about DART services, schedules, route changes, or directions to the nearest DART stop, visit the website at <a href="https://www.ridedart.com">www.ridedart.com</a> or call 515-283-8100.