



City of Cincinnati

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FINDLAY MARKET OPENING DAY PARADE 2009

Beginning at 7:30 A.M. on Monday, April 6, 2009, the following streets **will be closed** for the annual Findlay Market Opening Day Parade, which is scheduled to start at 10:30 AM:

- 1) Race Street - between Liberty Street and McMicken Street
- 2) Elm Street - between Liberty Street and McMicken Street
- 3) Findlay Street - between Central Parkway and Vine Street
- 4) Elder Street - between Central Parkway and Vine Street
- 5) Green Street - between Vine Street and Logan Street
- 6) Henry Street - between Race Street and Dunlap Street
- 7) Dunlap Street - between Findlay Street and McMicken Street
- 8) Logan Street - between Liberty Street and Findlay Street

Beginning at 10:00 A.M. the following parade route and cross streets **will be closed** in advance of the parade:

Parade Route:

- 1) Race Street - between Fourth Street and Liberty Street
- 2) Fifth Street - between Elm Street and Sentinel Street

Cross Streets:

- 1) Liberty Street – between Central Parkway and Vine Street
- 2) Fifteenth Street - between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 3) Fourteenth Street - between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 4) Thirteenth - between Race Street and Vine Street
- 5) Twelfth Street - between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 6) Central Parkway - between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 7) Court Street – between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 8) Ninth Street – between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 9) Eighth Street – between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 10) Seventh Street – between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 11) Sixth Street - between Elm Street and Vine Street
- 12) Vine Street – between Fourth Street and Sixth Street
- 13) Walnut Street – between Fourth Street and Sixth Street
- 14) Main Street - between Fourth Street and Sixth Street
- 15) Sycamore Street - between Fourth Street and Sixth Street
- 16) Broadway Street - between Fourth Street and Sixth Street

Access to downtown hotels within the parade route closures will be maintained and motorists should seek the assistance of a detailed Police Officer.

All parking within the closed areas will be restricted. Motorists are reminded to pay attention to any special parking restrictions and remove their vehicles to avoid being towed.

Metro will maintain service, but will be delayed due to the parade. Motorists are urged to use alternate routes around the downtown area due to the congestion caused by the parade and heavier than normal traffic attending the opening day baseball game.

Streets will remain closed until it is determined safe to open, after the parade has passed.

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