



PARK CITY COMMUNITY GUIDE

SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL JANUARY 22-FEBRUARY 1, 2026



THE SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL

The Sundance Film Festival, held in Park City Thursday, January 22-Sunday, February 1, 2026, is an exciting time in Park City, Summit County, and throughout the State of Utah with visitors joining us in person and virtually from around the globe. An iconic international event, the Festival celebrates independent film and storytelling, alongside Park City's unique culture. This guide is intended to answer frequently asked questions and help you navigate town during the Festival.

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

Sundance Film Festival Customer Service

- Email sundancesupport@sundance.org
- Visit sundance.org/customersupport and complete a form
- Click the "Help" widget in the bottom right corner of festival.sundance.org

Park City Municipal Corporation

- Main Line | 435-615-5000 | parkcity.gov
- Special Events | 435-615-5194
- Building and Code Enforcement | 435-615-5101
- Police Dispatch | 435-615-5500 | Dial 911 for emergencies
- Park City Transit | 435-615-5301 | parkcitytransit.org
- Parking | 435-615-5301
- Public Works (Streets, Parks, Building Maintenance, Water) | 435-615-5301

Summit County

- Special Events | 435-336-3249
- High Valley Transit | 435-426-1538 | hvtutah.gov





STAY IN THE KNOW

Park City Alerts

For updates on emergencies, traffic and transportation, health, and weather impacts:

- **Text** "FILMFEST" to 888-777 for real-time text alerts during the Festival
- **Follow** @ParkCityGovt and @ParkCityTransit on social media
- **Listen** to KPCW at 91.7 FM, or online at kpcw.org
- **Sign up** for Park City's Emergency Alert Program at parkcityalerts.org to receive notifications about emergencies

See Something. Say Something.

Staying informed plays a critical role in keeping our community safe. Report suspicious activity to the Police by calling 435-615-5500. **In an emergency, dial 911.**

Accessing the Main Street Post Office

The Main Street Post Office holds standard hours during the Festival, although it is recommended to pick up your mail before 11:00 a.m.

Trash and Recycling Pick Up

Residential and commercial waste collection will remain as scheduled throughout the Festival. For any significant delays due to weather, please visit republicservices.com.

Recycle Utah, 1951 Woodbine Way, is open Monday-Saturday from 8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. and Sunday from 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Dining During the Festival

If you plan to dine out during the Festival, call ahead for a reservation. Visit parkcityrestaurants.com for information regarding local restaurants and bars.

For information about lodging, nightlife, recreation opportunities, shopping, and more, go to visitparkcity.com.

ACCESSIBILITY

Park City Paratransit Service

Residents and visitors are eligible for Park City paratransit services. Call 435-615-5353 (Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.) or visit parkcitytransit.org for details.

For further information about para-transit service or for an ADA Eligibility Application, contact Park City's Transit Certification Office, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. at 435-615-5353 or TTY at 435-615-7041. TTY en Español 888-346-3162.

Valley Ride

Complimentary ADA paratransit service throughout Summit County is available from 5:15 a.m.-12:45 a.m. Eligibility is determined through an application process.

Contact: valleyride@hvtutah.gov or 435-246-1538.

ADA Parking

ADA parking is free in Park City for those displaying a placard. All City parking lots that are open offer ADA spaces. Additional ADA spaces are available at the top of China Bridge (entry from Marsac Avenue) and Brew Pub Lot.

ALTERNATE MODES OF TRAVEL

Transit, Shuttles, Taxis, Rideshare, and Carpool Information

Do your part to reduce congestion and Park City's carbon footprint by taking Park City Transit, walking, biking, or carpooling. Park City's free transit system is the easiest, most efficient, and inexpensive way to get around town.

Park City Transit

Park City Transit services are extended during the Festival, operating from 6:40 a.m.-2:00 a.m. with increased frequency. Plan your trip at parkcitytransit.org. During the Festival, the last bus leaves the Old Town Transit Center at 2:00 a.m.

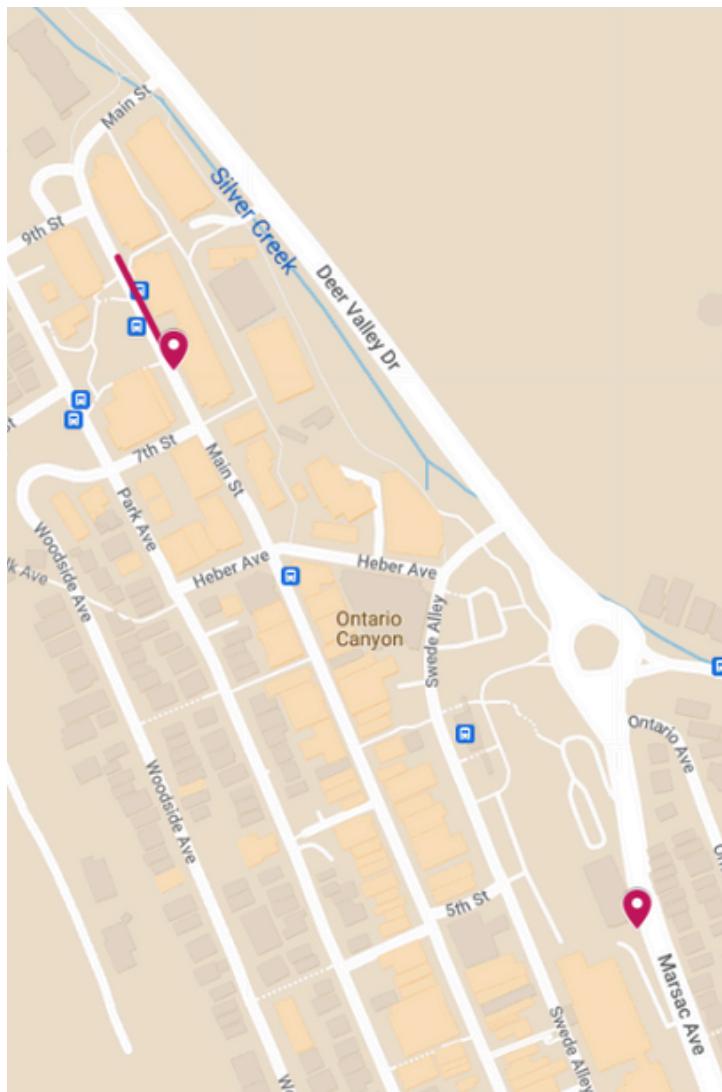
Transit App

Download the **Transit App** for help planning your trip and real-time transit updates. Visit parkcitytransit.org or call 435-615-5301 for more information.

High Valley Transit (HVT)

HVT is Summit County's transportation system, serving riders in the Wasatch Back with micro and fixed route services. Visit hvtutah.gov to plan your ride.

DROP AND LOAD, TAXIS, RIDESHARES, AND SHUTTLES



Drop and Load areas on Lower Main Street and Marsac Avenue

To use Drop and Load areas, drivers must remain in the vehicle, pull to curb as to not block traffic, and actively drop and load passengers. Double parked vehicles will be ticketed. Drop and Load areas are also available at the following locations:

- South Marsac Lot
- Lower Main Street (between 7th and 9th Streets)

The Drop, Load, and Staging (DLS) program is suspended until Tuesday, January 27. To inquire about DLS program for hotels, shuttles and transportation companies, contact pcparking@parkcity.gov.



TEMPORARY STREET CHANGES AND RESIDENTIAL ACCESS

Street Restrictions and Adjustments

In order to reduce residential traffic, increase transit priority and ensure public safety, the following restrictions will be in place from January 22-February 1. Please follow all posted signs:

- Hillside Avenue — accessible with a Residential Access Pass only.
- Park Avenue — one-way north (downhill). Those with a Residential Access Pass may travel south.
- Main Street — Main Street from Swede Alley to 7th Street will close to vehicles at 11:00 a.m. each day from Thursday, January 22-Monday, January 26.
- Swede Alley — accessible with a Residential Access Pass or ADA placard only.

Residential Areas

Regardless of why you're driving or where you're going, **please** do not cut through residential areas. During the Festival, additional security will be in place to deter cut-through traffic.

Residential Access Passes were delivered in late December. If you need additional Residential Access Passes, contact Chris Phinney, 435-615-5194, or stop by the Special Events Office, 3rd Floor City Hall (445 Marsac Avenue).

Residential Access passes are not parking passes. They provide access to residential streets and reduce cut through traffic. Access Passes are valid all year.

Winter Streets Maintenance

Winter maintenance for all public parking lots and streets occurs between 2:00 a.m.-6:00 a.m. daily. Overnight parking is not permitted in public lots. Cars left in public lots or on streets are subject to ticketing or towing at the owner's expense. Please ensure your car does not inhibit snow removal.



PARKING

Public parking in Old Town will be by permit or pay only January 22-February 1. Main Street patrons and employees are encouraged to ride Transit to avoid parking challenges and congestion.

Parking Closures

During the following dates, parking will be removed at the following locations:

- January 10-30: Bob Wells Plaza
- January 10-February 1: North end of Brew Pub Lot
- January 21-February 1: North Marsac Parking Lot, partial closure
- January 22-26: Main Street will be pedestrian only beginning at 11:00 a.m. each day
- January 22-February 1: Park Avenue (from Heber to 9th Street)
- January 22-27: All of Main Street, Heber Avenue, Swede Alley Surface Parking Brew Pub Parking Lot (spaces available for ADA), West Side of Park Avenue (restricted to resident parking only), Flagpole Lot (Employee Permit Only)

PERMIT PARKING

Main Street Employee Parking

During the Festival, Carpool, Business, and Employee Permit holders may park in the Flagpole Lot, Gateway Center, or in the North Marsac Lot. **Parking in these lots are first come, first-served until 11:00 a.m. Employees will not be able to access Flagpole and Gateway Lots from 11:00 a.m.-3:00 a.m.**

These permits do not guarantee parking. Carpooling and alternative modes of travel are encouraged. Consider using the Richardson Flat Park-and-Ride with free Transit to the Old Town Transit Center.

Load In/Out and Crowd Management

Permits are required to load in/out of a Main Street venue, for crowd control, and satellite truck parking. Parking is not allowed on Main Street, only active loading and unloading. Call 435-615-5301 to obtain a "Special Use of Load In/Load Out" Permit. Permit deadline is 72 hours prior to any instance noted above. Details [here](#).

Guaranteed Ride Home

The Guaranteed Ride Home (GRH) program reimburses area employees for paid transportation that occurs outside of Park City Transit's hours of operation or if unexpected transportation is needed. Registration is required.

Details and registration available at [parkcity.gov](#).

FREE PARKING WITH TRANSIT

Richardson Flat Park-and-Ride

Free parking with free transit (every 15 minutes) to and from Old Town from 6:40 a.m.-2:00 a.m. will take place January 22-30. The last bus to Richardson Flat leaves the Old Town Transit Center at 2:00 a.m.

Deer Valley Resort Parking Lots

Deer Valley Resort will allow the use of Lots 5 and 6 outside of resort hours (5:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. daily) during the Festival, January 22-February 1.

Park City Mountain Village

Park City Mountain Village will allow the use of their parking lots outside resort hours (5:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. daily) during the Festival, January 22-February 1.

- Vehicles left in either of the resorts' lots after 1:00 a.m. will be towed at the owner's expense.
- Parking for Festival attendance is prohibited in resort lots during daytime hours.
- Free Park City Transit connects the resort to the Old Town Transit Center, from where you can walk or transfer buses.
- Mind all posted signs and regulations in parking lots.

PAID PARKING

Guaranteed Parking

A permit guaranteeing a spot in the China Bridge garage is available for \$550 and valid from January 22-February 1. Entry to the garage with a Guaranteed Parking permit is from Swede Alley. This permit is available at parkcity.gov or by calling 435-615-5301 during standard business hours.

Private Paid Parking

Private parking garages are available throughout Old Town. These lots have their own payment structures and regulations — costs vary \$20-\$100+ per day.

China Bridge Parking Structure

Entry from Marsac Avenue only. No in and out privileges.

- **Thursday, January 22** | \$40, flat fee
- **Friday, January 23-Saturday, January 24** | \$50, flat fee
- **Sunday, January 25-Tuesday, January 27** | \$30, flat fee
- **Wednesday, January 28-Sunday, February 1** | Standard parking rates, listed at parkcity.gov