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**THE CONSTITUTIONAL WALKING TOUR OF PHILADELPHIA CONTINUES TO OPERATE  
TOURS DURING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN**

**Philadelphia, Pennsylvania** – October 2, 2013 – The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia announced today that it will continue to operate tours as usual throughout the government shutdown. The Constitutional Walking Tour of provides guided outdoor walking tours of the Independence National Historical Park area. Tours run Monday-Saturday at 10AM, 12 noon and 2PM; Sundays at 11AM, 1PM, and 3PM. (The season runs through November 30, 2013.) Tours depart outside of the main entrance of the National Constitution Center at 5th and Arch Streets. Tickets are available online at [www.phillywalk.com](http://www.phillywalk.com) or by calling 215.525.1776. #shutdown #inhp #independencepark #libertybell #independencehall #nps #nationalparks

“Walking in the Founding Fathers’ footsteps with The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia is a great way to see Historic Philadelphia,” stated Jonathan Bari, President of The Constitutional Walking Tour. “Along the tour, visitors step back in time and see many important sites related to the American Revolution and U.S. Constitution. Since many of the major sites such as the Liberty Bell and Independence Hall are closed during the government shutdown, The Constitutional is a great way to explore America’s Birthplace.”

**About The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia**

Celebrating its 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2013, The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia is one of the leading providers of Philadelphia sightseeing tours. Located in Historic Philadelphia, The Constitutional visits more than 20 of the most historical sites on a 75 minute, 1.25 mile outdoor adventure in the Independence National Historical Park area, which is home to the Liberty Bell, Independence Hall and the National Constitution Center. The Constitutional is also the producer of the Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour of Philadelphia which features more than 20 of "Philly's

Frights & Sights"™ on a 75 minute, 1.25 mile outdoor walking tour through Historic Philadelphia that features haunted facts and folklore. For more information, please see [www.Spiritsof76.com](http://www.Spiritsof76.com)

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