



**MEDIA CONTACTS:**

Sarah Carpenter (sarah@vollmerpr.com)  
(979) 492-0828 (cell)  
Lindsey Thomas (lindsey@vollmerpr.com)  
(713) 248-8782 (cell)  
VOLLMER  
(713) 970-2100

**PARKING AND ROAD CLOSURE ADVISORY FOR  
UPTOWN HOLIDAY LIGHTING ATTENDEES AND MEDIA**

HOUSTON (Nov. 11, 2004) – On Thanksgiving evening, Starbucks Coffee Company presents the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Uptown Holiday Lighting. For all Houstonians and out of town guests who plan to take part in this year's fun family event, here are a few helpful tips.

**Location Information**

- ◆ The festivities will take place in Uptown Houston on Post Oak Boulevard between San Felipe and Westheimer, from 4 to 7 p.m. Uptown Holiday Lighting is free and open to the public.

**Road Closure Information**

- ◆ Beginning at 3:15 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 25, Post Oak Boulevard from Westheimer to San Felipe will be closed.
- ◆ The majority of Post Oak Boulevard will reopen at 10 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 25, with the exception of the portion between Ambassador Way and Guilford.
- ◆ Post Oak Boulevard will completely reopen by 7 a.m., Friday, Nov. 26.

**PARKING, ROAD CLOSURES, OTHER TIPS.../add 1**

**Public Parking Information**

Free parking will be available at Four Oaks Place, Fashion Square, Post Oak Plaza, Post Oak Central, Centre @ Post Oak, The Galleria, Dillard's, and Williams Tower.

**Media Parking Information**

Live trucks should arrive early and before the crowd. Live trucks will park at the Doubletree Hotel Post Oak at 2001 Post Oak Boulevard. Make sure you have your media credentials with you. Uniformed officers and/or Uptown Holiday Lighting representatives will check your credentials and then direct you to a parking spot.

Other working media should park in the Oshman's parking lot at 2131 Post Oak Boulevard. Please enter the parking lot at the entrance off Westheimer Road near the Container Store and present your credentials to the uniformed officers.

For more information, visit [www.uptown-houston.com](http://www.uptown-houston.com) or call the Uptown Holiday Lighting event number at (713) 621-2504.

# # #