



## *News from the Ohio Turnpike*

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**For Immediate Release:**

### **Ohio Turnpike Service Plazas to offer complimentary cup of coffee**

**BEREA** (Dec. 29, 2014) – At the culmination of this holiday season, the Ohio Turnpike estimates it will have had more than 3.7 million people traveling on the roadway, with many stopping at one of its service plazas to rest, grab a bite to eat and fuel up. The modern service plazas can accommodate a large volume of customers anytime of the day, including all major holidays.

On New Year's Eve and New Year's Day, the Ohio Turnpike and its vendors have a long-standing tradition of offering complimentary coffee to holiday travelers. This offer is valid for one cup of coffee from 10:00 p.m. on New Year's Eve until 7:00 a.m. on New Year's Day, at the following service plaza concessions: APlus Convenience Store, Burger King, Hardees and McDonald's. This offer is also available at Panera Bread, located at the Mahoning Valley and Glacier Hills Service Plazas at mile marker 237.2 on the eastern end of the state.

In the event of adverse weather conditions, travelers are advised to use caution and drive accordingly to the conditions. The Ohio State Highway Patrol (OSHP) will be working closely with the Turnpike's maintenance crews and toll collectors to watch for any hazardous or unsafe driving, especially on New Year's Eve and New Year's Day. Customers are encouraged to report dangerous behavior directly to OSHP by dialing \*990.



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The Ohio Turnpike is a 241-mile toll road offering one of the safest, best and most convenient routes for motorists to reach east/west destinations along the northern corridor of Ohio. The Ohio Turnpike & Infrastructure Commission provides excellent customer service and amenities to meet travelers' wants and needs, including state-of-the-art service plazas, a variety of restaurant choices, and routine maintenance for a smooth, pleasant trip. For a better travel experience, choose the Ohio Turnpike.