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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

# **Kickoff Celebration: Dominion Energy Presents Liberty Ice Pavilion 2018-2019 season**



Colonial Williamsburg's Merchants Square will host a festive kickoff celebration for the 2018-19 season of Liberty Ice Pavilion, presented by Dominion Energy, at 6 p.m. Friday, Nov. 16 on Duke of Gloucester Street. Williamsburg Mayor Paul Freiling and a special guest will formally open the rink and guests are invited to enjoy a performance by the Colonial Williamsburg Fifes & Drums and a figure skating demonstration before lacing up and hitting the ice themselves.

Additional information is available at merchantssquare.org/holiday.

**WHAT:** Kickoff Celebration for the 2018-19 season of Liberty Ice Pavilion,

presented by Dominion Energy

WHEN: 6 p.m. Friday, Nov. 16

**WHERE:** Colonial Williamsburg's Merchants Square

Duke of Gloucester Street between Henry and Nassau streets

**WHO:** Williamsburg Mayor Paul Freiling

The Colonial Williamsburg Fifes & Drums

Dominion Energy team members

...and a special guest

Outlets planning to cover the event RSVP by noon Nov. 16 to jduncan@cwf.org.

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#### **About Merchants Square**

Located adjacent to Colonial Williamsburg's Historic Area, Merchants Square is an 18th-century style retail village with over 40 shops and restaurants. Visitors and local residents alike regularly experience the Square's unique shopping, dining and special events offerings in a setting of unrivaled beauty.

#### About Colonial Williamsburg

The Colonial Williamsburg Foundation preserves, restores and operates Virginia's 18th-century capital of Williamsburg. Innovative and interactive experiences highlight the relevance of the American Revolution to contemporary life and the importance of an informed, active citizenry. The Colonial Williamsburg experience includes more than 400 restored or reconstructed original buildings, renowned museums of decorative arts and folk art, extensive educational outreach programs for students and teachers, lodging, culinary options from historic taverns to casual or elegant dining, the Golden Horseshoe Golf Club featuring 45 holes designed by Robert Trent Jones and his son Rees Jones, a full-service spa and fitness center, pools, retail stores and gardens. Philanthropic support and revenue from admissions, products and hospitality operations sustain Colonial Williamsburg's educational programs and preservation initiatives.

### About the Dominion Energy Charitable Foundation

Nearly 6 million customers in 19 states energize their homes and businesses with electricity or natural gas from Dominion Energy (NYSE: D). Through its <u>Dominion Energy Charitable Foundation</u>, as well as <u>EnergyShare</u> and other programs, Dominion Energy plans to contribute more than \$30 million in 2018 to community causes throughout its footprint and beyond. The Foundation supports nonprofit causes that meet basic human needs, protect the environment, promote education and encourage community vitality. Please visit www.DominionEnergy.com. Facebook or Twitter to learn more.