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## Hilarious Holiday Romp Takes its Final Bow this December

By Civic Theatre of Allentown

ALLENTOWN, PA - This holiday season, laughter will resonate In Theatre514 as Who's Holiday returns to Civic Theatre of Allentown. Directed by Associate Artistic Director Will Morris, this wildly funny and heartfelt adult comedy will light up the stage from December 10 through December 19, 2021. This is the final year Civic will present this holiday favorite, so purchase tickets online at www.civictheatre.com or by calling Civic's Box Office at 610.433.890.

Have you ever wondered what happened to your favorite childhood star? Ever read the sensational story accompanying the epic rise and fall of someone thrust into the spotlight at too young an age? What if you got to sit down with the adult version of that star and hear their side of the story? Now, combine all of this with one of our most treasured, fictional characters in Christmas lore, Cindy Lou Who, and you have the hysterical romp that is Matthew Lombardo's Who's Holiday! The tale follows Cindy, now in her mid-40s and living in her late uncle's trailer on the outskirts of Whoville. No longer welcome in Whoville due to her "sensational past," Cindy decides to throw a Christmas Eve party for her now estranged friends in the hopes of rekindling a glimmer of her triumphant, Christmas



past. Over the course of the evening while Cindy preps for her party, she recounts for the audience exactly how and why she ended up in that trailer. And she drinks...a lot. As her night unravels, follow the inebriated Cindy Lou Who through tales that get "twisted, and soon learn how she got blacklisted."

"This play is filled with belly laughs, Seussian rhyme, and plenty of heart", says director Morris. "It's a surprise, adult Christmas favorite and the perfect way to treat yourself to a night of fun, frivolity, and festivity."

Please take special note that this is for mature audiences only. Parents, take some time and holiday cheer for yourself this year, and join Cindy Lou Who for an unforgettable night of laughs. Then treat the kids to a performance of A Christmas Carol playing across the street at the 19th St. Theatre until Saturday, December 18.

A full schedule of shows is included in this release, along with cast and production staff information. To schedule interviews with anyone involved with Who's Holiday, please contact Civic's Marketing Director, Roseann Damico Schatkowski at marketing@civictheatre.com.



## An Update on Redistricting

By State Rep. Joe Emrick

BANGOR - In the weeks ahead, we will be looking at proposals to redraw the boundaries of Pennsylvania's U.S. congressional districts, as well as those of the state House and Senate districts. The boundary changes are necessary to ensure fair and equal representation in state and federal government for all citizens.

Congressional and state legislative districts are required by the Constitution to be nearly equal in population. Every 10 years, in conjunction with the U.S. Census, the district boundaries are adjusted based on shifts in population to meet the "one person, one vote" principle.

While the goals are the same, the process for each type of redistricting is different. Here are a few quick facts to help explain:

Congressional Redistricting

- This represents the redrawing of districts served by members of the U.S. Congress.
- Pennsylvania's population growth is slower than that of many other states. As a result, the Commonwealth will drop from the current 18 congressional districts to 17.
- Changes to congressional districts go through the typical legislative process. A bill must be introduced outlining the new district boundaries, and the bill must be passed by both the House and

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