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Circuit of The Americas' statement on track rental program

AUSTIN, Texas (Dec. 22, 2012) – Circuit of The Americas[™] today set the record straight on the venue's track rental program and responded to questions raised in social media forums about the program's future direction.

"Circuit of The Americas currently offers a track rental program for organizations and clubs and private individuals that provides automotive enthusiasts with a world-class experience at the United States' only purpose-built Formula 1^{M} facility," Circuit spokesperson Julie Loignon said. "We have had inquiries and discussions with a number of organizations that are interested in renting our facility, and we've determined that we will not be able to work with all of them in the coming year. We have contacted organizations that did not have fully executed rental agreements to inform them of our decision. We regret not being able to assist them with a track rental in 2013 and hope there are other ways we can accommodate their interest in Circuit of The Americas in the future."

About Circuit of The Americas

Circuit of The Americas is a world-class destination for performance, education and business. It is the first purpose-built Grand Prix facility in the United States designed for any and all classes of racing, from motor power to human power, and is home to the 2012 FORMULA 1 UNITED STATES GRAND PRIX™. Racing series joining the Circuit's 2013 line-up include MotoGP™, V8 Supercars™ and GRAND-AM Road Racing[™]. The Circuit of The Americas' master plan features a variety of permanent structures designed for business, education, entertainment and race use. Its signature element is a 3.4-mile circuit track. Other support buildings include an expansive outdoor live music space, an iconic 251-foot tower with observation deck, an events and conference center, a banquet hall as well as a state-of-the-art medical information and downloadable video, audio facility. For more and photos, visit: www.CircuitofTheAmericas.com.

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