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*****MEDIA ALERT*****

Who: Dance Parade New York Executive Director Greg Miller, City Cultural Agencies and over 50 Dancers of Diverse Cultural Traditions to include Mazarte (Mexican Carnival), Marinera Peru, the Pink Tutu Ballet Company, Pradomar (Lizard dance),

What: Seventh Annual Dance Parade and Festival Press Conference

When: Monday, May 13th, 12:00 Noon

Where: Steps of New York's City Hall, entrance off Broadway and Murray Street

Why: Dance Parade New York organizers will announce details for this year's New York City Dance Parade and Festival, including participation of this year's Grand Marshals Jacquelyn Buglisi (international choreographer), Dr. Charles Davis (DanceAfrica founder), and DJ Louie Vega (Grammy award winner and global music producer). In addition, Dance Parade New York's Community Kinect, their Community Engagement Education Program, will be completing their five-week residency programs for youth in schools throughout New York's five boroughs. Youth will dance along the streets of Broadway at the Parade.

Additional Events: New York City Dance Parade and Festival on Saturday, May 18, 2013, starting at 1pm. Close to 10,000 international dancers and movers will proceed down Broadway near Union Square, left on 8th Street in Astor Place and will end at Tompkins Square Park in the East Village, wrapping up the afternoon with a festival filled with free dance workshops and performances from a roster of world-class dance groups.

Press: For more details or questions, or to register for a press pass for the parade and festival, please contact Rebecca Myles, publicity@danceparade.org, [\(347\) 925-9756](tel:(347)925-9756).