

Resolution introduced by Supervisors Merlino, Kenny, Dickinson, Conover, Wood, Vanselow and Frasier

AUTHORIZING ATTENDANCE AT 2015 IN-STATE AND OUT-OF-STATE AND CANADIAN MOTORCOACH TRADE SHOWS/SALES BLITZ/MARKETPLACES BY TOURISM DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL AND COUNTY SUPERVISORS

WHEREAS, the Tourism Department has presented the calendar of Motorcoach Trade Shows/Sales Blitz/Marketplaces to the Tourism Committee for approval, and

WHEREAS, funds necessary for travel to and attendance at such shows have been included in the

2015 Tourism budget, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that upon recommendation of the Tourism Committee, any employee within the Tourism Department designated by the Tourism Director and those Warren County Supervisors having an interest in attending the In-State, Out-of-State and Canadian 2015 Motorcoach Trade Shows/Sales Blitz/Marketplaces be, and hereby are, authorized to attend the In-State, Out-of-State and Canadian 2015 Motorcoach Trade Shows/Sales Blitz/Marketplaces as set forth in Schedule "A", attached hereto, and be it further

RESOLVED, that if any changes are made in the attached Schedule "A", those changes shall be contingent upon the availability of funds in the 2015 budget, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized to pay the reasonable and necessary expenses for Tourism Department employees and Warren County Supervisors to travel to and for attendance at said shows upon presentation of verified vouchers thereof, with funding to be provided for from Budget Code A.6417 444 Tourism Occupancy, Travel/Education/Conference.

SCHEDULE "A"

TOURISM DEPARTMENT

2015 MOTORCOACH TRADE SHOW/SALES BLITZ/MARKETPLACE SCHEDULE

<u>PLACE</u>	ASSOCIATION	DATES
St. Louis, MO	American Bus Association	Jan. 10 -13
New Orleans, LA	National Tour Association	Jan. 18 -22
Nashville, TN	Select Traveler Conference	Feb. 8 - 10
Albany, NY	*Brown Coach	Feb. 17
Loudonville, NY	*Yankee Trails	Apr. 2
New York, NY	NAJ Summit East	May 6 - 7
New York, NY	Amtrak's NY by Rail Day	May TBD
Laurel Springs, PA	PBA Annual Meeting	June 23-26
New York, NY	DONYS LI/Queens Sales Mission	Aug. 11 - 13
Columbia, SC	MASC/NCMA/VMA	Aug. 20 - 23
Connecticut	*Transbridge Marketplace	August TBD
New York, NY	Buffalo/Niagara NYC Sales Exchange	Sept. TBD
Saratoga Springs, NY *Destinations Travel Show		Sept. 14 - 16
Sherbrooke, Canada	Bien Venue Quebec	Nov. 2 -4
Atlantic City, NJ	*GNJMCA	Nov. TBA

* Indicates Partner Brochure Distribution Available

NOTE: Above dates are exclusive of travel to and from shows.

TOURISM DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL WHO MAY BE DESIGNATED FOR ATTENDANCE AT SUCH SHOWS BY THE TOURISM DIRECTOR:

Tourism Director Assistant Tourism Coordinator Group Tour/Convention Promoter Senior Tourism Specialist Creative Director County Supervisors