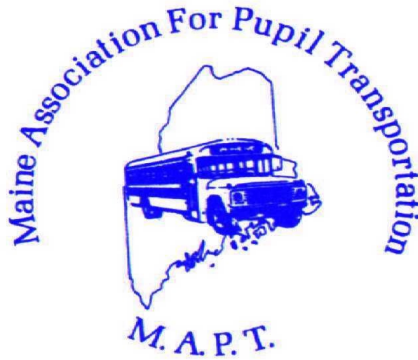


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Transportation Winter Summit Saturday February 28, 2009

Dear Colleagues,

It's that time of year where we all are enduring the frigid temperatures and snow that a Maine winter exposes us to. The *Maine Association for Pupil Transportation* would like to invite you to a Winter Summit. We have much to discuss and share that has transpired over the last six to eight months in light of all the activity that is taking place globally, nationally and at the state level. We have decided to hold this meeting on a Saturday, in hopes that it will enable more attendance and have scheduled it at the Hollywood Slots in Bangor. Hopefully for those who want, they can take advantage of the location and make some time for enjoyment and relaxation. For anyone that would like to make reservations for overnight accommodations on your own, please contact Hollywood Slots at 1-877-779-7771 and let them know that you will be attending the *Maine Association for Pupil Transportation* Winter Summit to receive the special rates.

Attached below is the tentative agenda for the day. We are in hopes that you will mark this date on your calendar and we look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,

Lennie Goff

Agenda

- 7:30 – 8:00 Coffee / Meet and Greet
- 8:00 – 9:00 February Business Meeting
- 9:00 – 9:15 Opening Remarks (Lennie Goff)
- 9:15 – 10:15 Chart of Accounts and Budgeting (Ron Deegan)
- 10:15 – 10:30 Break
- 10:30 – 11:00 Chart of Accounts and EPS Implications (Kevin Mallory)
- 11:00 – 11:30 2009/2010 Budget Cuts – Transportation Implications (Lennie Goff)
- 11:30 – 12:00 DOE Updates (Rick Soules)
- 12:00 – 1:00 Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00-2:00 A Regional Approach To Transportation – “An Act of Cooperation Among School Districts” – (Dr. James Morse, Superintendent of Schools, MSAD47)
- 2:00 – 3:00 Open Forum / Summit Wrap Up / Closing Remarks (Lennie Goff)

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