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The 2022 Indiana District LCMS Convention will be held at the Grand Wayne Convention Center located at 120 W. Jefferson Blvd., Fort Wayne, IN on Thursday and Friday, June 23-24, 2022. The Convention is open to everyone and this is the information to register for the event.

Attendee Information

There are three categories of attendees:

- **Voting Delegates:** The voting pastor and lay delegate of each congregation, who will be seated in the voting section. Lay delegates should have been reported as voting delegates with the President's office of the Indiana District.
- **Advisory Delegates:** These are all ordained ministers (not designated as the voting pastor) and all commissioned ministers, both active and inactive, of the Indiana District who wish to attend. Attendance is not required. Advisory Delegates are allowed to speak at the convention, but cannot cast any votes.
- **Non-Delegates:** Any lay congregational members and guests who wish to attend (includes non-rostered spouses or family members). Non-delegates cannot have the floor to speak and are seated behind the voting delegates.

Registration Information

Register online at <https://indianadistrictlcms.regfox.com/conventionregistration22> by June 1, 2022).

- It ensures a name badge for each attendee and speeds registration the day of the Convention.
- It ensures meals will be provided if requested.

Walk-in registrations will be allowed during the Convention; however, no meals will be provided. Do not assume that we know you will be attending or eating meals unless you register your attendance in advance.

Meal Information

Meals: Three meals are provided to all voting and advisory delegates **if you register by June 1, 2022**. Non-delegates may also register for meals but must pay for them. Lunch meals are \$30 and dinner Thursday night is \$40. Please make checks payable to Indiana District –LCMS and mail to the District Office.

To be included in the meal count, everyone must register through the link on the Indiana District Website.

Housing Information

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Fort Wayne Hilton adjacent to the Grand Wayne Convention Center. (**Room rate = \$124.00 + tax for reservations received by June 1, 2022**)

Voting and advisory delegates whose travel distance (greater than 50 miles) necessitates overnight accommodations for Convention attendance are eligible to request reimbursement for \$75.00 per night, per qualifying delegate, for a maximum of two nights. Request reimbursement by submitting the Request for Reimbursement form with a copy of the paid hotel receipt. A copy of the reimbursement form is included with this mailing and is also available on our website.

All Convention attendees are responsible for making their own hotel reservation by June 1, 2022 and paying for their lodging expenses at checkout.

To reserve a room at the Fort Wayne Hilton:

- District Website – www.in.lcms.org – click on the link for *Indiana District Convention* then on *Hotel Reservation Link*
- Phone Fort Wayne Hilton Directly: 260-420-1100, ask for Reservations and say you are with the Indiana District Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (Group Code LCM)
- **The deadline to receive discount block pricing is June 1, 2022.**

Please note that in the past you were sent a delegate “card” that needed to be signed and returned at convention. This year we have changed the process and this is no longer necessary, but please be sure to still register for your attendance by June 1, 2022.

If you have any questions, please call or email the District Office. We look forward to seeing you at the Indiana District Convention June 23-24, 2022!

Pastors: Please share with your lay delegate, any rostered members within your congregation, and any interested lay people.

Principals: Please be sure to share this information with your rostered staff and any emeritus rostered workers you may know.

June 1, 2022 is the date to remember. All registrations for Convention are due by this day, as well as hotel reservations for discount pricing.