



PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION
ITINERARY TRIP *revised*
JANUARY 17 – 20, 2009



Saturday, January 17

12:00 AM (Midnight)

ALL PARTICIPANTS ARRIVE AT TARA STADIUM (HOME SIDE)

ADDRESS: 155 Battle Creek Road Jonesboro, GA 30236

Departure **(The bus will leave promptly at 12:30 AM.)**

12:30 AM

(\$\$) Breakfast Stop

7:30 – 8:30 AM

12:00 Noon

Check in Hotel/ **(\$\$)** Lunch on your own/Freshen up/Relaxation Time

5:00 PM

Depart Hotel for **(\$\$)** Dinner, Shopping, & Sightseeing at Union Station

8:30 PM

Depart Union Station/Return to Hotel

Sunday, January 18

6:45 AM

Depart Hotel

7:00 – 8:30 AM

Breakfast

10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Tour of Washington, DC/Lunch

5:00 – 7:30 PM

Return to Hotel/Free Time

7:30 PM

Depart for Dinner

10:00 PM

Return to Hotel

Monday, January 19

6:30 AM

Depart Hotel

7:00 – 8:15 AM

Breakfast

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Blacks in Wax Museum

1:00 – 2:15 PM

(\$\$) Lunch

3:30 – 5:00 PM

Smithsonian African Art Museum

6:00 – 7:30 PM

(\$\$) Shopping at Outlet Mall

8:00 – 9:30 PM

Dinner

10:00 PM

Return to Hotel

Tuesday, January 20

6:30 AM

Depart Hotel/Breakfast-to-go

12:00 Noon

Inaugural Events – Swearing In Ceremony & Parade

5:00 PM

Depart Washington, DC

7:00 PM

(\$\$) Dinner stop

5:00 AM

(Approximate time of Arrival - Wednesday, 1/21/09)

\$\$ - indicates participants will need money for this meal or activity. Please budget accordingly.

Note: ALL TIMES AND EVENTS ARE APPROXIMATE AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO UNFORESEEN CIRCUMSTANCES.

Change Note: OUR GROUP WILL BE SERVED BREAKFAST EACH MORNING AT THE SILVER DINER RESTAURANT. THE BUS WILL TRANSPORT OUR PARTICIPANTS TO BREAKFAST AT THE ABOVE NOTED TIMES.



PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION SPECIAL REMINDERS



DIRECTIONS TO TARA STADIUM

From Downtown Atlanta (Approximately 16 miles/24 minutes)

Turn right to merge onto I-75 S, Take exit 235 toward US 41/Jonesboro/US 19/Griffin, Keep right at the fork to continue toward Tara Blvd, Slight right at Tara Blvd, Slight left at GA-3/GA-7/Tara Blvd/US-19/US-41, Turn left at Battlecreek Road.

From Decatur, GA (Approximately 22 miles/34 minutes)

Take the ramp onto I-20 W, Take exit 57 to merge onto I-75 S/I-85 S toward Montgomery/Macon, Continue to follow I-75 S, Take exit 235 toward US-41/Jonesboro/US-19/Griffin, Keep right at the fork to continue toward Tara Blvd, Slight right at Tara Blvd, Slight left at GA-3/GA-7/Tara Blvd/US-19/US-41, Turn left at Battlecreek Road.

From Macon Area (Approximately 72 miles/90 minutes)

Merge onto I-75 N, Take exit 233 for State Hwy 54 toward Morrow/Lake City, Turn right at GA-54/Jonesboro Rd/S Main St, Continue to follow GA-54/Jonesboro Rd, Turn right at Battlecreek Rd.

“WHAT TO BRING” REMINDERS

_ A GREAT ATTITUDE!

- _ 1 Medium-size piece of luggage
- _ 3 to 5 changes of comfortable clothing
- _ Toiletries
- _ Sleepwear/Bath Robe/Slippers
- _ Medications (if needed)
- _ **Comfortable** walking shoes
- _ Money for meals not covered in cost of trip
- _ Extra Money for Shopping/Souvenirs
- _ Digital or Disposable Camera/Batteries
- _ Cell Phone that accepts text messages
- _ Cell Phone Charger
- _ Notebook/Journal and Pens (optional)
- _ Pillow/Blanket for bus
- _ Back Pack/Small Umbrella
- _ Snacks/Bottled Waters
- _ IPOD/MP3 Player with earphones (optional)
- _ Weather appropriate clothing such as a coat/heavy jacket, scarf, hat, gloves, and thermals.

ALSO, BE SURE TO BRING SMALL BILLS AND/OR CHANGE IN THE EVENT OUR GROUP RIDES THE LOCAL TRANSIT SYSTEM

***We also **highly recommend** that all participants review the following informational websites:

- The official Presidential Inauguration website: <http://inaugural.senate.gov/>
- US News and World Report: <http://www.usnews.com/blogs/washington-whispers/2009/1/2/even-lawmakers-warned-on-security-for-obamas-inauguration.html>

The following list was acquired directly from the official Inauguration website. It details items prohibited at the Inauguration Ceremony on January 20, 2009. Please read carefully and abide by the guidelines.

<http://inaugural.senate.gov/2009/ceremony.cfm>

Prohibited items include, but are not limited to:

- Firearms and ammunition (either real or simulated)
- Explosives of any kind (including fireworks)
- Knives, blades, or sharp objects (of any length)
- Mace and/or pepper spray
- Sticks or poles
- Pocket or hand tools, such as “Leatherman”
- Packages
- Backpacks
- Large bags
- Duffel bags
- Suitcases
- Thermoses
- Coolers
- Strollers
- Umbrellas
- Laser pointers
- Signs
- Posters
- Animals (other than service animals)
- Alcoholic beverages
- Other items that may pose a threat to the security of the event as determined by and at the discretion of the security screeners

Parking

Our point of departure is Tara Stadium in Jonesboro, GA. **It is NOT recommended that anyone leave vehicles at this location during the trip.** Therefore, all participants are encouraged to have family/friends prepare to drop you off and pick you up from this location.

More Questions??

Contact us at 770-652-3328 or 678-859-1604. We look forward to seeing you early Saturday morning!