

Housing

We will coordinate your group's lodging requests to assist you to get the delegates in motels of your choice. The delegates will be responsible for confirming their own lodging needs. This service is available to any multi-motel conference help in Fort Dodge.

Grants

The CVB Board sets aside a portion of each year's motel tax receipts to aid special events held in Fort Dodge. The grants programs provides funds for city-wide transportation, event space, printing and promotional materials, and other expenses. Contact the CVB office for an application.



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For more information

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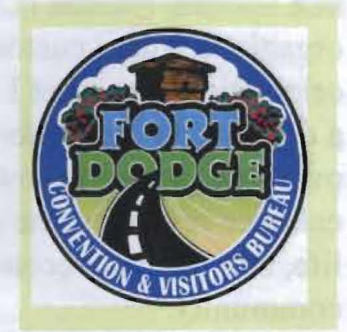
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Meeting and Conference Services

Fort Dodge Convention and Visitors Bureau

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Have your next business meeting, training session, new product introduction, trade show, district meetings, tournament or special event in Fort Dodge! We are centrally located in the state and easily assessable by good highways and airline service.

Come into our office and let us know what we can do to help you. Let Fort Dodge's hospitality win your guests over because ...We Love Company!

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The Fort Dodge Convention and Visitors Bureau (CVB) was organized with a customer orientation to market Fort Dodge as a destination for visitors and overnight guests in Iowa so as to enhance revenues, the quality of life, and the local economy of our community.

Services available to meeting planners to help them plan a well-attended, successful meeting in Fort Dodge are customized to match a group's wants and desires. We are prepared to work closely with the meeting planners to ensure their success by accomplishing the desired outcomes from their event.

Proposals

The CVB staff will assist in preparing proposals customized to each group's needs. When appropriate, we can include formal invitations from the City of Fort Dodge as well as applicable organizations in the community.

We will also make a presentation to your Board of Directors or Site Selection Committee which addresses your needs. These presentations can be in person or in print. They can be as formal or informal as you desire.

Services of the CVB

We can provide you with needed information and brochures to help you promote delegate's attendance. This will enable your delegates to get a quick start toward an enjoyable stay upon their arrival.

Customized to your groups needs, we can help promote attendance by providing displays or exhibits containing area information to enhance your group's time in Fort Dodge.

The CVB will furnish name tags for your group's delegates at no cost.

Welcome bags, handy for distributing registration and promotional materials free to each delegate.

Specialized Services By the CVB

Please let us know if there are special or unique needs for your group. We will be happy to work with you on any of the following services.

Transportation

When delegates are flying into the Fort Dodge Regional Airport with direct connections to Minneapolis/St. Paul, you can develop a shuttle service with our assistance which will give each a great first impression. We coordinate shuttles with incoming as well as outgoing flights, greet passengers, have a VIP reception room at the airport, and handle the baggage as well.

We will be happy to work with you to fulfill your ground transportation and tour transportation needs.