

## **ANNOUNCEMENT OF RMCA'S 2023 SPRING MAPCON EVENT**

This year our Spring MapCon will be a two-day event, at America's Transportation Experience (formerly the AACCA Museum), in Hershey, PA, Friday April 21 and Saturday April 22, with room-to-room trading and socializing at the hotel Thursday night.

Lodging will be at the Inn at Chocolate Ave - a Best Western SureStay Inn, with a great rate of \$89 Thursday and \$99 Friday - including free breakfast, fridge and microwave in the rooms with two queen beds. We have 8 rooms blocked but more can be available. There will be door signs for those participating in room-to-room.

We will plan a group dinner and may have a short program of some sort - not sure yet. There are lots of great places to eat around Hershey. Lunch, classic Philadelphia style hoagies, will be available again, as well as snacks and spring water.

Vendors at the Museum will pay \$35 for 1 table/2 admissions (one day only) or \$50 for one table/2 admissions per day (both days). Extra tables will be \$10 each. We can provide table sharing for those who won't have enough stuff for one table. Table coverings will be provided!

This year our event is at the same time as the huge Spring Carlisle car show which means higher lodging rates (lucky to find this one), but perhaps more visitors to MapCon.

The plan is to have welcome packets for attendees as well as vendors, so there will be registration forms for everyone, soon. Of course attendees who haven't registered won't be turned away!!