USE OF THE LOADING DOCK

Use of the loading dock to load / unload exhibit materials is available to exhibitors during scheduled move-in / move-out hours. ALL exhibitors MUST FOLLOW the procedures specified on this page in order to access and use the loading dock.

MOVE IN HOURS:

Monday, March 17, 2025 from 8:00am - 4:30pm Tuesday, March 18, 2025 from 8:00am - 4:30pm

MOVE OUT HOURS:

Thursday, March 20, 2025 from 2:00pm - 6:00pm (carriers must check in by 3pm)

- EXHIBITORS MUST FIRST go to the Bear Marshaling Yard before accessing the loading dock. At the Bear Marshaling Yard you will receive a Dock Pass that must be presented to access the dock.
- Loading dock access is allowed ONLY DURING scheduled load-in and load-out hours, and ONLY AFTER FIRST REPORTING to the Bear Marshaling Yard and obtaining a Dock Pass. If loading out, you must first breakdown your booth before obtaining a Dock Pass.
- Vehicles arriving at the loading dock without a Dock Pass will be turned away and redirected to the Bear Marshaling Yard.
- When arriving to the loading dock, you will be directed to either the self-unloading area or to the Demers unloading area. The self-unloading area is for mini-van/van style vehicles or smaller that the exhibitor can completely unload without the use of mechanized equipment. All other vehicles like straight trucks and trailers MUST be unloaded at the Demers assisted area (Drayage fee, with a minimum of 2 cwt applies to this service).
- At the self-unloading area, YOU WILL HAVE 15 MINUTES TO UNLOAD / LOAD YOUR VEHICLE without incurring a fee. Vehicles MUST REMAIN RUNNING WITH LIGHTS ON during this time.
- If you require more than 15 minutes to unload or load your vehicle, you MUST HIRE DEMERS LABOR/DRAYAGE STAFF to assist you in loading/unloading your vehicle and in moving your items to/from your booth. Fees will apply and must be paid at the time of service.
- Use of the loading dock is for LOADING AND UNLOADING ONLY. Once your vehicle is unloaded and exhibit items brought to your booth, your vehicle MUST BE MOVED to an alternate parking location. Your vehicle may not remain parked on the loading dock while you set-up your booth.



BEAR LOT DIRECTIONS

Please use these directions to access the Bear Lot. The Bear Lot will be used as a staging (marshaling) lot for all vehicles requiring access to the loading dock.

You must first check-in at the Bear Lot before proceeding to the loading dock.

From 395:

Take Exit 9 onto 2A East. Then take Exit 6 from 2A East (this turns into Mohegan Sun Boulevard). Turn Right at the first traffic light. Then take next right into Bear Lot. (you will likely see several large trucks staged in this lot).

From 2A West:

Take Exit 2. Once off the exit ramp you will come to a Traffic Light (this is Mohegan Sun Boulevard). At this Light continue straight, crossing Mohegan Sun Boulevard. The Bear Lot entrance will be on your right. (you will likely see several large trucks staged in this lot).



Type the follwing code into GOOGLE MAPS for direction to Bear Lot: FWMC+J3 Uncasville, Montville, CT

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