



94th FRA / 89th LA FRA National Convention

2022 Newsletter # 1

Greetings Shipmates and Auxiliary Members

The 2022 National Convention is being hosted by various Branches and Units within the Southeastern Region, Fleet Reserve Association. The Convention will be held October 16th through October 22nd in Birmingham, Alabama at Hyatt Regency's Wynfrey Hotel, 1000 Riverchase Galleria, Birmingham, Alabama 35244. Room rates are \$116.00 per night, plus a 14% room tax and \$2.00 to the City of Hoover. Deadline for making reservations is September 18, 2022. Room check-in is 4 pm and check-out is 11 am.

Parking: Self-Parking is \$10.00 per day (24hrs.). Valet-parking is \$20.00 per day (24hrs.) If you are staying in the Hotel, Parking Fees will be added to your Master Bill. Reservations can be made by calling 205-705-1234 or by using URL: <https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/BHMHR/G-6FRA>. **IMPORTANT:** When making reservation by telephone you should use FRA Group # G-6FRA and identify the group as the "Fleet Reserve Association" and not the just the "FRA".

When using the link, you can adjust or modify the period of your stay. The default dates are October 16th through October 23rd. If you require transportation from the Birmingham Airport you may call the hotel number listed above and ask for the bell captain to coordinate the pickup. The Wynfrey Hotel will not cash checks but does have an ATM available and accepts all major credit cards for payment.

The next newsletter will have information regarding meals, etc. and will be out by mid-April 2022.

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