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Enclosed you will find a list of exhibitors who are attending this year's conference. We hope you enjoy the conference and please be sure to visit each of our exhibitors.

About Northern New England Recreation & Parks Conference

The Northern New England Recreation & Parks Conference has become one of the highest quality parks & recreation conference in all of New England. The conference is organized by a committee made up of Parks & Recreation professionals and exhibitor representatives from Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire & Vermont. Our number one goal is to produce a top quality educational experience.

Each year the conference host rotates between Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont, although the conference's location stays the same each year.

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