

December 9, 2008

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Re: Letter of Intent

This document will confirm the arrangements between the Reno-Sparks Convention and Visitors Authority (RSCVA) and the 69th WorldCon Reno bid committee. This is an agreement that The World Science Fiction Society 2011 WorldCon has made a commitment (dependent on a full member vote in August 2009) to convene in Reno at the Reno Convention Center for the dates outlined below.

1. Facilities:

Reno-Sparks Convention Center

The following dates are being held on a first option basis:

Reno Sparks Convention Center

Event/Exhibit Space

Move-In:

August 15-16, 2011

Event Days:

August) 7-21, 2011

Move-Out:

August 22, 2011

Rate:

The estimated rental for Hall 2, 3 all A meeting rooms, Mount Rose Ballroom and all D meeting rooms is \$127,000. The Reno Sparks Convention Center is providing three comp move-in/out days. The rate includes some complimentary meeting rooms (a 50% discount on additional meeting rooms) and a 5% discount on exhibit space.

2. Hotel Room Block:

Day	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon
Date	8/14/11	8/15/11	8/16/11	8/17/11	8/18/11	8/19/11	8/20/11	8/21/11	8/22/11
Req Rm Blk	35	189	659	1095	1179	1195	1195	771	449
Total Rooms	6767								

3. Cancellation:

Should the World Science Fiction Society terminate the Letter of Intent, the following liquidated damages will apply from the date of signing:

Date of signing to 700 days.

0% (we understand the membership is voting)

700 days to 500 days

20% of rental at RSCC

500 days to 365 days

365 days to 180 days

50% of rental at RSCC

80% of rental at RSCC

180 days or less

100% of rental at RSCC