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**WELCOME MAT IS OUT FOR FLYERS AND DRIVERS COMING  
TO COSTA MESA THIS SPRING AND SUMMER**

*Receive \$30 travel incentives and \$30 per night dining certificates  
when visiting the City of the Arts through September 30, 2007*

COSTA MESA, CA – Just in time to plan a relaxing, fun-filled vacation this spring or summer in Costa Mesa, the OC's family-friendly base camp for shopping, dining, surfing, boating, golf, Disneyland, and much more, the city's nine luxury hotels are again putting out the welcome mats for guests with valuable travel and dining incentives and competitive rates.

The "2007 Fly/Drive & Dine" promotion runs through September 30, 2007, based upon room availability. No minimum stays are required.

Here's how it works. When guests book a stay in a participating Costa Mesa hotel this spring and summer, they will receive a \$30 per night dining certificate per reservation for each night they stay in the hotel that is redeemable at many fine Costa Mesa area restaurants.

Additionally, a \$30 reimbursement on their airfare or purchase of gasoline will be mailed to guests within a few weeks of their stay in Costa Mesa. The gasoline or airfare reimbursement is also limited to one per hotel reservation.

"We are delighted to again offer these incentives to visitors flying or driving into Southern California and invite them to stay with us in centrally located Costa Mesa," said Tom Smalley, president of the Costa Mesa Conference & Visitor Bureau, and general manager, Wyndham Orange County.

**Where is Costa Mesa?**

Located in Orange County about 25 miles south of Los Angeles, Costa Mesa is the *City of the Arts*, known for its world-class shopping at South Coast Plaza, *The Ultimate Shopping Experience*. Near Costa Mesa are miles of beaches, theme parks, sports venues, museums, and many other family attractions.

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Costa Mesa has a worldwide reputation for internationally acclaimed visual and performing arts in South Coast Repertory's Folino Theatre Center and the Orange County Performing Arts Center, home of the 3,000-seat Segerstrom Hall. Adjacent to The Center, is the 2,000-seat Renée and Henry Segerstrom Concert Hall and 500-seat multi-purpose Samueli Theater.

Costa Mesa is located conveniently near John Wayne Airport, and is accessible from the San Diego Freeway (405), Costa Mesa Freeway (55) and Santa Ana Freeway (5), as well as the San Joaquin Hills (73) and Foothill/Eastern (241/261/133) toll roads ([www.thetollroads.com](http://www.thetollroads.com)).

Hotels include the Ayres Hotel & Suites, 714.549.0300 (starting at \$199); Costa Mesa Marriott, 714.957.1100 (starting at \$169) (promotional code: DTPG); Hilton Orange County/Costa Mesa, 714.540.7000 (starting at \$129); Holiday Inn Costa Mesa, 714.557.3000 (starting at \$99); and Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites, 949.631.6000 (starting at \$129).

The list continues with Ramada Limited & Suites Costa Mesa, 949.645.2221 (starting at \$119); Residence Inn by Marriott 714.241.8800 (starting at \$159) (promotional code: DIN); The Westin South Coast Plaza, 714.540.2500 (starting at \$189); and the Wyndham Hotel/Orange County, 714.751.5100 (starting at \$119). Contact the hotels directly for more details. Some restrictions apply. Rates are subject to change without notice.

For information, contact the bureau at 800.399.5499 or 714.435.8530. Visit Costa Mesa online at [www.travelcostamesa.com](http://www.travelcostamesa.com) and download the Visitors Guide.

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