

*Tues, May 11*

May 10, 1993

MEMORANDUM

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COPY TO: KERRY TYMCHUK  
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February 16, 1993

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March 3, 1993

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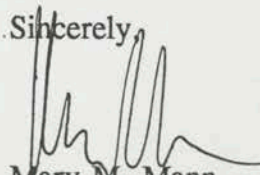
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1993 NMMA Legislative Conference  
May 10 - 12  
Updated Schedule of Events

**MONDAY, MAY 10**

ALL DAY	Conference Registration.....	Ballroom Foyer
9:00 a.m.	NMMA Finance Committee Meeting.....	Marquette Salon
11:30 a.m.	NABM Board of Directors Meeting.....	Lafayette Salon
	NAMPS Board of Directors Meeting.....	Caucus Room
	AMEM Board of Directors Meeting.....	Marquette Salon
2:30 p.m.	NMMA Board of Directors Meetings.....	Quorum
7:00 p.m.	Reception.....	Solarium/Foyer
8:00 p.m.	Dinner.....	Ballroom A/B

*Speaker: James Carville*

**TUESDAY, MAY 11**

7:00 a.m.	Registration Continues.....	Ballroom Foyer
7:00 a.m.	NMMA Conference Committee Meeting.....	Montcalm Salon
8:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast.....	Ballroom Foyer
8:20 a.m.	General Session Begins: Welcome by Jeff Napier.....	Ballroom A/B
8:30 a.m.	Rep. Benjamin Cardin (D-MD)	Luxury Tax/Ways and Means Agenda
9:00 a.m.	Sen. John Chafee (R-RI)	Environment/Luxury Tax
9:30 a.m.	Sen. Robert Dole (R-KS)	Republican Leadership Issues
10:00 a.m.	Rep. David Bonior (D-MI)	NAFTA, Great Lakes Cleanup Project
10:30 a.m.	Rep. Austin Murphy (D-PA)	OSHA
11:00 a.m.	Geoffrey Grubbs, <i>EPA's Director of Assessment and Watershed Protection</i>	Nonpoint Source & Water Quality
11:30 a.m.	Break for Hill Visits	
5:00 p.m.	Board Bus in front of Loews L'Enfant Plaza Hotel for Capitol Hill Reception	
5:30 p.m.	Capitol Hill Reception.....	Rayburn House Banquet Hall -- Rm #B-369 <i>(Members of Congress and their key staff invited)</i>
7:30 p.m.	Board Bus in front of Rayburn for Loews L'Enfant Plaza Hotel	

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 12**

8:30 a.m.	Rep. E. Clay Shaw (R-FL)	Luxury Tax/Ways and Means Agenda
9:00 a.m.	Jim Taylor, N.A. Taylor Co., Inc. <i>Chairman, Environmental Council for the Recreational Boating Industry</i>	
9:30 a.m.	Rep. Billy Tauzin (D-LA)	Merchant Marine & Fisheries
10:00 a.m.	Chuck Kauth, Hatteras Yachts <i>Chairman, NMMA PAC</i>	
10:15 a.m.	Break	
10:30 a.m.	Chief Rear Admiral Bill Ecker - PFD's, Passenger Vessels & NTSB Study Chief of Office of Navigation Safety & Waterway Services, Coast Guard	
11:00 a.m.	Rep. John J. Duncan (R-TN)	Clean Water Act/Boating & His District
11:30 a.m.	End Business Session	
12:00 noon	NMMA Facilities Development Committee Meeting.....	Monet II

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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: SENATOR DOLE  
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SUBJECT: LUXURY TAX UPDATE

You have the lead on the complete repeal of the luxury tax (the proposal costs \$2.6 billion, autos are \$2.3). The boating industry has always been concerned that repealing the tax on autos was too expensive and would bring down the entire proposal. However, the International Auto Dealers report that Chairman Rostenkowski is very interested in the new pay-for -- a 2 cent increase in the excise tax on super unleaded gasoline. This would pay for the repeal on autos. Senator Packwood is supportive as well. [The diesel fuel excise tax on pleasure boats has always been considered the boating industry's pay-for.]

CHAFEE/MITCHELL EFFORTS

Senator Chafee has been asked by Leader Mitchell to seek clearance by Republicans for a "stand alone" bill repealing the tax on boats, jewelry, furs and airplanes. Apparently, Mitchell claims that he has gotten clearance on his side as well as House clearance. Seems rather unbelievable. I spoke with a GM representative last Friday who said that Congressman Levin would never approve a measure that did not include indexing cars (that would cost \$670 million). Senator Chafee continues to work hard on the issue.

CLINTON PACKAGE

The repeal of the luxury tax is NOT included in the President's package. It was quite surprising since it is viewed as a "jobs" issue. Chairman Moynihan has assured all interested members that repeal would be included in the upcoming tax bill.

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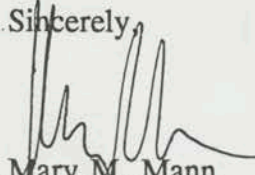
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