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Destination New Bedford Celebrates Hometown Tourist Weekend!

Friday, October 23, 2015 through Sunday, October 25, 2015

New Bedford, Massachusetts –The City of New Bedford Office of Tourism & Marketing has partnered with the Connecting for Change Conference to present "Hometown Tourist Weekend" today **Friday, October 23 through Sunday, October 25**, to encourage residents to explore their city and visitors to discover everything New Bedford has to offer.

Hometown Tourist Weekend features special deals and offers including museum, attraction, restaurant and retail promotions!

Hometown Tourist Weekend deals are only offered during Hometown Tourist Weekend – Friday, October 23 through Sunday, October 25. Participating locations include Buttonwood Park Zoo, New Bedford Whaling Museum, New Bedford Art Museum/ArtWorks!, Rotch-Jones-Duff House and Garden Museum, Isabelle Grace Jewelry, Modern Exchange New & Revived Fashion, Dorothy Cox Candies on the Waterfront, Painting with a Splash, Travessia Urban Winery, The Landing Gift Shop and Chandlery, Celia's Boutique, Tia Maria's European Café, Arthur Moniz Gallery, Gallery 65 on William, Your Theatre Inc. and the Harbor Development Commission.

Download the coupon book online at www.destinationnewbedford.org or stop by any of the participating locations. The coupon book will also be available at the Connecting for Change Conference registration table.

Connecting for Change Conference is Friday, October 23 – Sunday, October 25 and attracts approximately 3,000 attendees. Programming to Underground Railroad Walking Tour, Sustainability Workshops, West African Drumming, Farmers' Market, Rock Climbing Wall, Halloween Events with Dowtnown New Bedford Inc. and much more! Visit www.connectingforchange.org for a full program of conference events.

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