

The Honorable
Kirk Caldwell
Mayor of Honolulu

together with

Music Celebrations International

cordially invites the

Houston Masterworks Chorus

to be an Official Representative of

Texas

in performance at the



80TH ANNIVERSARY

Pearl Harbor

COMMEMORATION CONCERT SERIES

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Danielle Charvoz, *Executive Director*
Paulo Gomes, *Artistic and Music Director*
David Stix, *Board Chair*
Pat Whitnel, *Chorus President*

HOUSTON MASTERWORKS CHORUS
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Houston, TX 77096

Dear Ms. Charvoz, Dr. Gomes, Mr. Stix, and Mr. Whitnel,

Music Celebrations International along with the Pearl Harbor Memorial Foundation and the USS Missouri Memorial Foundation, are pleased to extend an Official Invitation to the **HOUSTON MASTERWORKS CHORUS** to perform in the **80TH ANNIVERSARY PEARL HARBOR COMMEMORATION CONCERT SERIES**, as an **OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS**. This once-in-a-lifetime featured concert performance of the Houston Masterworks Chorus will take place on of December 7, 2021 at **PEARL HARBOR** – as part of the Official National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day events.

In addition to your featured solo performance on December 7th – the National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day, the Houston Masterworks Chorus will also present a custom “Houston Masterworks Chorus” wreath at the **U.S.S. ARIZONA MEMORIAL**, in an **OFFICIAL WREATH LAYING CEREMONY**, and participate in an **OFFICIAL FLAG FOLDING CEREMONY** at the **U.S.S. MISSOURI MEMORIAL** in honor of those who lost their lives during the Pearl Harbor Attack.

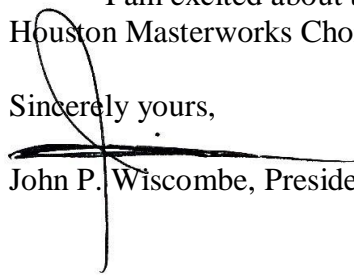
In addition to your featured HMC concert performance at Pearl Harbor on December 7th 2021, the HMC wreath-laying ceremony and the HMC flag-folding ceremony – we are also showing a featured HMC concert performance at a local Hawaiian church venue on the itinerary. For the church-venue concert performance, we will expertly organize, arrange, and produce all technical and artistic details, as well as carry-out full media, publicity, and promotion highlighting the Houston Masterworks Chorus.

December 7, 1941, “*a date which will live in infamy*”, is forever etched in the history of the United States, and pulled the American Military into World War II. After four years of fierce fighting, and over 400,000 American lives cut short, the Japanese signed their surrender treaty on the deck of the USS Missouri – now stationed at Pearl Harbor, thus ending WWII.

Our professional and experienced staff will handle all of your HMC travel arrangements, performance details and accommodations down to the last detail. Rest assured that the prices we offer cover the cost of everything that will enable your group to have a successful and memorable Pearl Harbor 80th Anniversary experience.

I am excited about the musical and cultural stimulation this event will undoubtedly provide to your Houston Masterworks Chorus and your non-performing travelers!

Sincerely yours,


John P. Wiscombe, President

80TH ANNIVERSARY PEARL HARBOR CONCERT SERIES
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Cost Estimate
HOUSTON MASTERWORKS CHORUS

The following cost estimates for MCI's suggested tour itinerary are based on the number of paying participants in each 54 seat motorcoach, staying in DOUBLE OCCUPANCY.

HMC CUSTOM 2021 TOUR (4 NIGHTS / 5 DAYS IN HAWAII + 1 NIGHT TRAVEL)		<i>50-52 Paying</i>	<i>45-49 Paying</i>	<i>40-44 Paying</i>	<i>35-39 Paying</i>	<i>30-34 Paying</i>	<i>25-29 Paying</i>	<i>20-24 Paying</i>
<i>DELUXE HOTEL</i> <i>Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa</i>	<i>Including roundtrip airfare:</i>	\$3,091	\$3,134	\$3,169	\$3,226	\$3,299	\$3,399	\$3,560
	<i>Land Only: (Self-Arranged Airfare)</i>	\$2,169	\$2,212	\$2,247	\$2,304	\$2,378	\$2,481	\$2,638

Transportation (airfare and chartered bus) is priced as of November 10, 2020.

These costs are based on individual payments made directly to MCI

The costs vary, depending upon the total number of paying participants sharing certain fixed overhead costs which include chartered motorcoach, Tour Manager, concert/performance costs, etc.

These items are subject to negotiation. For instance, we can re-quote based on less centrally located hotels, eliminate some dinners, eliminate entrance fees, adjust the free trip ratio, etc.,

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COST INCLUSIONS

- ❖ **PEARL HARBOR CONCERT SERIES AND PERFORMANCE ARRANGEMENTS:** All performances and workshops, including necessary clearances or permits, and the following: Sound equipment (amplification, playback, up to five microphones), keyboard or piano, and choral risers or steps.
- ❖ **EVENT/PERFORMANCE PROMOTION:** Official recognition and publicity. Full national media, publicity, and promotion will feature the Houston Masterworks Chorus.
- ❖ **AIRLINE TRANSPORTATION:** Round-trip airline transportation by airline from **HOUSTON, TX.**
 - Includes up to \$145 for U.S. Government airline taxes, fees and estimated fuel surcharge.
 - **HAWAII MOTORCOACH TRANSPORTATION:** Local privately chartered motorcoach is included to all activities listed in the itinerary.
- ❖ **HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS:** Hotel accommodations, based on **DOUBLE OCCUPANCY.** This offer is based on staying at the following accommodations:

DELUXE HOTEL: [Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa](#)

TOUR #1 (4 NIGHTS / 5 DAYS)	<i>Deluxe Hotel:</i>	<u>Quad Reduction</u>	<u>Triple Reduction</u>	<u>Single Supplement</u>
		-\$283	-\$189	\$766

- ❖ **MEALS:** Two meals per day (as noted in the Tour itinerary) including breakfast and dinner. One Deli Style Lunch is also included at the USS Missouri and one lunch is also included at the Pearl Harbor Aviation Museum.
- ❖ **TOUR MANAGEMENT:** One full-time MCI Tour Manager who meets the group arrival at the Honolulu airport and remains until departure to guide all excursions, maximize use of time, and enhance the cultural value.
- ❖ **ENTRANCE FEES:** Entrances are included to all sightseeing, activities, tours, and excursions listed.
- ❖ **WREATH:** Two official Houston Masterworks Chorus wreaths, one to be presented at the USS Arizona Memorial and another at Pearl Harbor on the day of your performance.
- ❖ **FLAG:** 80th Commemorative American Flag that was flown on the USS Missouri, presented to the Houston Masterworks Chorus.
- ❖ **T-SHIRTS:** One souvenir Pearl Harbor 80th T-shirt for each trip participant.
- ❖ **GRATUITIES:** Tips and taxes are paid to Tour Managers, coach drivers, restaurant staff, and hotel personnel.
- ❖ **LIABILITY INSURANCE:** \$3M MCI Tour Liability Insurance coverage.
- ❖ **TRAVEL INSURANCE:** Individual travel insurance coverage is included. **Summary of coverage:**
 - \$10,000 – Travel Accident
 - \$1,000 – Medical Expense
 - \$300 – Baggage Coverage
 - \$600 – Trip Cancellation/Interruption/Delay

COST EXCLUSIONS

- ❖ Ground transportation to and from the Houston departure airport.
- ❖ Airline luggage fees, if applicable
- ❖ Difference between current and actual costs for airline taxes and the estimated fuel surcharge, if applicable.