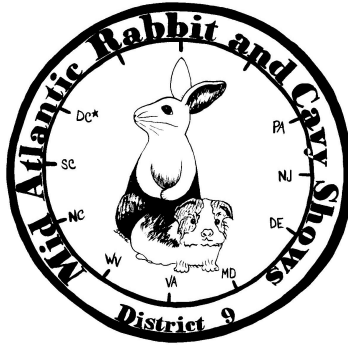


**Mid Atlantic Rabbit & Cavy Shows – www.marcshows.com
General Notification of Intent to Bid**



Dear ARBA Open & Youth Members,

The Mid Atlantic Rabbit & Cavy Shows (MARCS) is pleased to announce their intent to bid for the 90th ARBA Convention & Show in 2013 to be held in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania at the Pennsylvania Farm Show Complex. Presentation of our bid proposal will be at the 88th ARBA Convention in Indianapolis, IN in 2011.

It has been over three decades since the ARBA Convention was in District 9. The desire to bring our organization's largest event to the second largest district in the ARBA has reached a fever pitch. We are honored to share with you the culmination of this dream we all have shared.

Preparation of a convention bid is a major endeavor and will require countless hours of preparation and communication. Please consider serving in some sort of capacity as we prepare the bid for review and consideration by the ARBA Board of Directors in 2011.

For those clubs that are not affiliated with MARCS in District 9, we ask to strongly consider showing your support for this convention bid by affiliating with the show circuit. The goal of MARCS, from day one, was to host an excellent ARBA Convention behind the unified support of District 9.

Warmest regards,

Brian Bell
MARCS President & General Convention Chairman

Jay E. Hreiz, VMD
MARCS Secretary & General Convention Secretary
ARBA District 9 Director

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