## Proposed Itinerary For Portland's 2017 Concert Tour to Sweden and Norway All AUSS Members Are Welcome!

*July 5:* Depart from gateway cities bound for Copenhagen, Denmark.

*July 6:* Afternoon arrival. Self-transfer to a selected hotel in Denmark or Sweden. The evening will be at leisure.

**July 7:** After enjoying a bountiful Scandinavian breakfast buffet, there will be a morning meeting and a brief rehearsal, with a chance to get to know each other. The afternoon will be at leisure with overnight accommodation.

*July 8:* Morning rehearsal, with the afternoon at leisure. A joint meeting with a local singing group is under consideration.

**July 9:** Depart by motor coach for a short journey to Lund, home of Lund University, where the famous Lund Student chorus is housed. We hope to arrange a joint concert/ meeting with overnight accommodation in Lund.

*July 10:* Continue by motor coach to Växjö. A possible "Hyttsill Dinner" with our brother singers may be possible. Overnight accommodation.

**July 11:** Continue to Stockholm, with a stop in Gränna where Polka Grisar originated, then on toward Stockholm via the Berg Locks on the Göta Kanal. Arrive in Stockholm in the late afternoon with overnight accommodation.

*July 12:* In Stockholm, with sightseeing and a potential meeting with our brother singers. Overnight accommodation.

<u>July 13:</u> Today, we continue by motor coach through the heartland of Sweden toward Karlstad in Värmland, rich in emigrant history, with overnight in Karlstad. A possible joint concert is planned.

*July 14:* Today we journey to Oslo, Norway's capital. Our Swedish driver will leave us after arrival in Oslo, where we will have overnight accommodation.

**July 15:** Day in Oslo, with morning sightseeing. Although summer in Norway, we hope to arrange a joint meeting with our brother singers. Overnight in Oslo. *July 16:* A day at leisure. We will explore plans for a meaningful program. So much to do and so much to see with overnight accommodation.

July 17: Depart by motor coach following the Tyrifjord Lake through the Norwegian countryside, entering the Begna Valley before arriving in Fagernes with a visit to the open air folk museum. In Borgund, visit the 800 year old Stave Church. We will follow the Sognefjord with arrival in Ballestrand in the late afternoon. Suggested hotel Kvicknes Hotel, a member of the Historic Hotels of Norway, for dinner and overnight accommodation.

**July 18:** Our journey continues along the Sognefjord - with magnificent fjord vistas - with a fjord ferry to Oppedal. From Oppedal, continue along the coastal road into Bergen for overnight accommodation. Our Norwegian driver will leave us upon arrival in Bergen.

*July 19:* Day in Bergen, with sightseeing, including a visit to Troldhaugen: the home and studio of Edvard Grieg, with overnight accommodation.

*July 20:* A full day at leisure in Bergen, with an opportunity to take the funicular to the top of Mt.Flöyen for a magnificent view of the city and surrounding countryside. We are planning a farewell dinner this evening.

July 21: Depart from Bergen toward indi-

vidual destinations.

Estimated land cost per person sharing a double room and based on rates of exchange in effect as of November, 2015 is: \$2,950.00 Single Supplement: \$938.00

Estimated air transportation based on rates in effect as of November, 2015 are: Seattle \$1,550.00 Chicago \$1,300.00 New York (Newark) \$1,200.00

## PLEASE NOTE:

This is a suggested itinerary, and an adequate number of performing tour members in appropriate parts will be required for the tour to operate.

Itinerary, dates and schedules may be altered depending upon confirmation of services and concert appearances.

*Estimated land tour costs include services as specified in the itinerary.* 

## If you are interested in joining the tour, please return the coupon below BY MARCH 31 to:

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