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The simple answer is that the fair labor standards act does not -- it is not a federal thing. It does not require that we are basically given other holidays. There are exceptions to that for government contracts that do specify specific vacation time. But in general most of us have to rely on our state laws or on the goodness of our private employers to give us vacation or holiday time off. I just included a couple examples to give you an idea. If you do go to that website, you can find information about that. Just to make your day when we are about to have Christmas vacation. You really aren't entitled to Christmas vacation necessarily. The government official -- is called recreation.gov. We will take a look at the end of the presentation. Recreation.gov compiles information for 3500 government facilities and 100 thousand individual sites across the country. They provide record hates all opportunities through the United States government. Camping, tours, horseback riding, that is on recreation.gov. I will add a personal note here that during this past summer my husband and I bought an entry every day pass and we spent 30 days writing and Amtrak circling around the country. I'm one of the biggest things was the F Park service as a program with Amtrak that if you are on the train and an area that is close to a forest or a park or a national not monument someone from the park Severus service gets on the train and explained that to you. It was a really nice part of the experience that I had no idea existed. That is one of the things the government provides for recreational activity. Other sites that provide information about recreation is the U.S. Forest Service. They have information for adults and kids how to visit the US for service and what you can do there. So more sites the National Park Service. We are going to go live at the end of the presentation so you can see what is in that site. The United States system of national parks is unique in the world. It covers all 50 states and all of the United States territories. It started when Yellowstone was named as the first national park. And some still great government size the national register for historical places which is part of the National Park Service provides information about endless list of all those buildings and places and sometimes that includes whole towns or parts of city that are said as historical places under the national preservation act of 1966. And still more great government sites. I would tell you your life is not complete if you had not visited at least some of the museums of the Smithsonian Institute. There are total of 19 world-class museums. Most of them and Washington DC. Most of them are free. If you haven't been, they are well worth the visit. We can also take a look at the Smithsonian site at the end. In the course of going through this am looking through vacation sites and places. These are just three that I thought were interesting. There are multiple state and local sites included in USA.gov for vacations and recreation. I included these the city of Asheville North Carolina has some very interesting things. The California state parks has numerous and lovely state parks within the state of California. And then New Hampshire's site is a list of her horse historical sites in New Hampshire. A small sampling for what is there are local and state sites to visit. And I could not leave the catalog of [low volume] I search for vacation and came up with a number of publications. These three particular look interesting. The first one vacation nation is about how tourism benefits United economy and that was very interesting. And the second one know before you go is a very useful publication about things that you should know before you leave the United States to travel internationally. The third one I thought was interesting because it was actually a joint publication with the University of Iowa and the United States government called the winter vacation now. I thought those three were interesting examples of individual publications that you can find within the catalog of US Government publications. Videos. The first one is national wildlife refuge week which talks about all of those

wildlife refuges and the second one is only for the very brave and not particularly on my vacation list but firm no -- discernible Mac handling and release of a shark. And the final one is general video from the US departments of interior unrest deviations -- if you just want to keep watching more and more videos the National Park Service has its own YouTube channel. They have numerous videos and involving the various national parks. You could actually if you can't go to the parks or want to take a nice virtual vacation this is a fun place to go. You can also follow them on Facebook and on Twitter to see what is going on in the United States national Park. Okay. If you are tired of the United States, and you want to see more of, what you have to do? First thing you need is a passport. Here is the site with the Department of State for applying for a passport. And then you are probably going to want to know about before I leave. The USA.gov the site itself has a page dedicated to international travel issues for Americans. Finally, if you are interested in maintaining your house and what is going on healthwise and how you can obtain healthcare and other places that you visit the CDC Travelers health Prince provides that information through this site of the CEC.

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[indiscernible]. And always, though the of you that know me I have to come up with what exists in the Spanish. There was not a lot this year. These were interesting. The first one was [indiscernible] even here in Puerto Rico way or we have a whole lot of holidays that are Puerto Rican holidays a lot of people are confused about what our official US federal holidays. So if you have users from other country they may also be confused about what those are and smack. The second site is lame for people who want to travel outside of the United States. I wasn't quite sure how to put these as they were serendipity that came along was looking at information for vacations and they are both interesting. The first one is information in Spanish about how you can register to vote absentee and few are not going to be where you live when it comes time to vote. On the second one, if you will place that you run as a vacation site -- I don't know if this is applied to the air B&B. Jane, can you hear me? You just went on mute.

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Jane, excuse me. For some reason you went on mute for about 10 seconds or so. Can you back up a little bit, please? I have no idea why that happened. What was the last fly that came through clearly? I think this one I'm trying to remember now. I will go back to the slide where it says [indiscernible] will that put us where we need to be? Let me go back. As always those of you who know me and include I include information in Spanish and in this case the first one is a list of US federal holidays which many people even in Puerto Rico are confused about. Many people from other countries simply do not know because what our national holidays and their country are not United States holidays. In particular, Thanksgiving. This is the lesson Spanish list in Spanish as the official US government holidays. The second one is resources and Spanish for people for the United States if you want to travel outside of the United States. These are two things I came across, the first one is information is and Spanish and how to vote absentee valid if you are not going to be in your area for vacation or other reasons when it's time to vote. And for mesh and information for them the IRS if you rent an apartment or any part of your house for vacation purposes there are certain expenses that you may be able to deduct on your income tax forms and this is the IRS topic that is related to that particular subject area. There is not as much information as on vacation and travel. These are three examples of interesting sites that I came across. This was very interesting about travel and recreation and hobbies felt like it was a unusual thing to come across. The second one is for the Institute of aging has to do with when you retire as you age finding activities that you enjoy. It can include all kinds of activities and

hobbies. And the final one is from the career outlook how you might turn your hobby into a career. Those were three of the examples that I came across looking for hobbies and leisure time activities.

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I am going to go to sharing my desktop and go to these three sites and several others live so you could take Outlook with those look like. Here we go. The first one quickly this is the travel and tourism account which gives information on what tourists spend and the price they pay online seeing and airfare for this site is intended to provide us that of employment and sales industries for any of you who may live in an area tourism can be a big business. Important to be able to access for those of you that are it is interesting just this little bit here. There was the 7.1 increase on tourism spending. That is pretty good. Go take a look of this. [low volume] you can see or search list starting in 1976. Let's just go to the latest one. On this list are a school in Idaho another school in Idaho and entire historical district in the area of Greenville. A church and school in Indiana. Just to give you an idea of what gets listed on the national register historic places and they are probably places to close that you live that would be interesting to visit. [low volume] heart, Jane. You just want on mute again. Jane, can you hear me? My back now? I went to the Smithsonian site and what I did is I called up just to take a look at what today's events are at the Smithsonian. You have an idea of all the different things that are happening there today. And all of their various museums. . Keeper [indiscernible] might be fun. You can go and watch the giant panda feedings. This is probably a nice place to visit and explore. We are going to head for recreation.gov per that is the main recreation site. I love Marlo model motto. They have tours and tickets and you can get an apartment and because frequently in the summertime if you want to camp in any of the national parks you need supply actually several months in advance and then you can go looking for those and they have tools for her for up planning your trip. Is things that you can click on and those are in your state and maybe you can find somewhere to visit that is in fire. Far. Multiple things to explore with the national recreation.gov. There is also that as a mobile app. You can be standing at the grocery line end and aging about your next vacation. Thus next site is the national Park service. They are dedicated to all of the United States national parks. They feature one every month. We lost her audio, Jane, again. This is in the National Park Service you can go to or by state scroll down and find your state. And since I happen to know there is one national Park site and there is also a national forest site I will go for Puerto Rico. Here is the information about that particular site tells you how much economic fit there been. Give it a try and take a search for your state see what you I'm what you can find. [indiscernible] travelers health for the centers of disease control. They provide this guide and give zero all kinds of travel advice and resources. If you are traveling you can select regular are going in there is a list of countries and you can choose the place that you'll get health information about that place. And it happens that even though poor creative Puerto Rico is exotic enough you do not need a passport your drivers license works and is nice and warm. You can click on Puerto Rico and you will find us. Information for traveling to the Puerto Rico how to say stay healthy and safe things you might need and how to pack. Clinic nearby. We will take a look at the healthy packing travel list. Anabolic [indiscernible] and altitude glasses and contact lenses and whatever you may need and terms of your own medicine. All of this list over-the-counter medicine. A list of supplies which would include insect repellent we have the good [indiscernible]. So this site is you information including on what to pack founding clinic finding a clinic and any travel notices. So there we are. Travel notices. There are three levels of travel notices. Then there is a list of current travel notices this should [indiscernible]. The health infrastructure of [indiscernible] if you are

going to be traveling abroad it is a good idea to check the site and look at all of these. Travel says. Just to see if there is including right now there is a global measles notice. Just so you [indiscernible]. It is a good place to go if you are traveling outside of the country. My final stop for those of you hard dealing with our dealing with hard winter weather this is the -- site. Jane, we lost sound again.

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I suspect she can't hear us until her idea reconnects. Sorry folks I do not know what is going on. We just lost sound again. If you could backtrack to the slide where it shows a park in Puerto Rico. This is [indiscernible] the forest service you can look for -- yes, Joe? Right there. Okay. Great. This is the only warm rather Mac it was very badly damaged and it is a fun place that you can see and you can see how the pictures are so beautiful. It is a really fun place to come and visit. It is unique in that it is a rain forest within the United States. On that, I went to stop sharing my screen. Go to my final slide which says happy holidays to everyone. And I think I have left a little bit of time for any questions. Thank you, Jane. I really appreciate it. Let's see if we have some questions. Here is one for Maryellen, do you have to have tickets for the Smithsonian Museum even though they're free? They may still be having tickets. The new Q work the New York one, Jane, you had comments. I think we lost Jane again. Jane, can you hear me? Oh no.

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Jane #yes. I have no idea what is happening in cyberspace. I never lost you visually but obviously this sonde is being problematic today. I was saying that Miriam had a question you have to have tickets for the Smithsonian restaurants even Smithsonian museums even though they are free? They may still have required tickets. I was reading on the side there are one of the museums in New York that has a cost for which you need tickets and I understand for the African-American we see them it is free but you still need to get a ticket. For the others no. It would be first come first serve. If you are going to do the IMAX theater, there are usually a cost for those theaters and a ticket for it. As I understand this make any other questions from or for Jane? Jane, are you still there? Okay. Let me go and semi-wrap up comments but we still have plenty of times for questions. Please put those in the chat box. First up I would like to thank Jane friend lover great webinar. They are all traffic and we appreciate it. Also I would like to buy thank my colleague. She kept everything running smoothly. I hope the audience enjoyed the webinar I and getting a whole bunch of shout outs coming. As always, if you would like a copy of the actual slides act with the liveliness, send me or send an email to me and I will send you the actual PowerPoint. I am happy to send out the PowerPoint to anybody who asked me. No problem at all. Don't forget the webinars we have one more scheduled for tomorrow. [low volume] you will receive notice of the coming webinars when they are announced [low volume]. And from the Academy webpage which is linked for that homepage. You can view that an excess pass webinars and link to web form to volunteer to present a webinar. Actually there should be a satisfaction survey and the email box. That piece should be coming up soon. Please fill that out. You could leave into the [indiscernible]. That is in our repository. The please give that a look. Marie Clark is giving her email and phone number. That is for slide decks. You are actually putting in those links. They should all be in our archive. And one last thing F Ashley has an opportunity upgrade article by my former article wrote a nice article about the things that we do in the webinars. In conferences and other training. Don't forget to also please think about volunteering to present make Jane has done many webinars for. On any topically agencies or how you run that or if you've done a local presentation and if it might applied for our librarians nationwide think about presenting for us. We will be happy to accommodate you. Let's see if

there are any left questions. What is your email address, I think that is in one of the slides. It is always on my slide. I will type it into the chat box hereto. For anybody who will like to present the webinar I am happy to talk to you or email with you. There is also my webinar on how to do a webinar. I remember hosting that one with you. I was a very good webinar. When will the recording slides become available? I believe tomorrow. Ashley can confirm that. Any last questions for Jane before we close out? More requests for slides. If you could send me this Mac I will definitely do that. I will wait a few minutes while the slide requests come in. Okay. Great. Thank you again to everybody. I spent or started my career as an English teacher and then was in school library. I really enjoy the webinars because they are a chance to connect with colleagues and to share information. Like chain mentioned we always put a PDF version of the flight deck in our archives. So that will be available. Disability resources while traveling. You know, Mary. That is an extremely interesting question. Off the top of my head I did not come across anything. I will tell you what I will make a point of looking and I will let everybody -- if you put in your email on that question. Please put in your email and I will see what it's there and if I find some links I will happily share them. I think that is an excellent question. Request and questions are streaming in. That is very good. I know that at least some of the Smithsonian museums have available whale chairs from my own personal experience . I know that some of the more are you interested in doing a webinar on this topic is Mark wonderful, please do. We will beginning in touch. Absolutely. I think a webinar on all kinds of disability resources would be absolutely wonderful. That is a whole maggot definitely is all on our webinar collection. That would be great. I don't -- I don't remember anything. That was great. Thank you. That is a very good point. Deanna mentioned this about those resources. I love when people participate and ask questions. That is great. This is terrific. There are good comments and questions. Absolutely. Things are slowing down. Any other comments or questions that you want to email me I would be happy to follow up anything especially well more webinar suggestions. Anyways, there is my email address for any follow-up on this or any other issue related to our webinars. I would be happy to schedule those and discuss anything. That does some very good. [indiscernible] while traveling - - also an interesting question. Ritual conference. So it looks like you might be volunteering. Tell her we will be or I will be in touch.

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