

# *Endémicos Insulares, A.C.*

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## **ADDITIONAL LODGING OPTIONS FOR PEOPLE ATTENDING THE IV NORTH AMERICAN ORNITHOLOGICAL CONFERENCE. BOCA DEL RÍO, VERACRUZ 3-7 OCTOBER 2006**

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If you registered for the IV NAOC and have not made a reservation at any of the conference hotels...do not panic, there are many lodging options for all tastes and pockets in the cities of Veracruz and Boca del Río. Even if you arrive to Veracruz without a reservation, you will be able to find hotels and places to stay, but we recommend making a reservation to ensure that you stay in conveniently located and fairly priced lodgings.

Veracruz and Boca del Río have many options. General information and rates for additional hotels can be found on the Visitors and Conventions Bureau website at:

<http://www.veracruzturismo.com.mx>.

Once the page is loaded, click on "hospedaje". Then, on the new page, select the option "Primeros Pasos de Cortés". Hotel information is there (phone, fax, email and website). Just scroll down to shop among the different options.

More hotel options can be found at:

[http://www.hotelesdemexico.com.mx/Veracruz/lista\\_hoteles\\_1s.htm](http://www.hotelesdemexico.com.mx/Veracruz/lista_hoteles_1s.htm)

How to make a good hotel selection? By looking at the hotels' websites, you will be able to find prices that fit within your budget. Select a hotel following these criteria:

0. You can locate hotels more easily by downloading a map of the metropolitan area of Veracruz-Boca del Río at:

<http://mapserver.inegi.gob.mx/geografia/espanol/estados/ver/imgs30/plano1.pdf#search='Inegi%20mapa%20puerto%20de%20veracruz>

The **World Trade Center (WTC)** is located at "**Plaza de las Américas**" in the southeast corner of the map. You can locate most hotels by looking for the symbol "**H**".

1. Check that the hotels are located in Boca del Río and preferably on Boulevard Adolfo Ruiz Cortínez.
2. If the hotel that interests you is located in the city of Veracruz, look for a location near Boulevard Manuel Avila Camacho, that way you can reach the WTC using the bus "Boca del Río". The bus runs continuously and only charges about \$0.50 US for a one-way trip. If you are staying at a hotel with a group, a taxi might work out the same. Just confirm the taxi fare before making the trip.

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3. Trade off distance vs. price. Near the **WTC** you will find the three conference hotels plus three additional hotels. Price ranges may vary from 80 – 150 US dollars depending on the hotel and how you made your reservation. Sometimes good deals can be found at [travelocity.com](http://travelocity.com), [expedia.com](http://expedia.com) or [hotels.com](http://hotels.com) or directly with the hotel if you mention that you are attending the IV NAOC.

Hotel Holiday Inn ([www.ichotelsgroup.com/h/d/hi/1/es/hd/VCRMX?&0](http://www.ichotelsgroup.com/h/d/hi/1/es/hd/VCRMX?&0))

Hotel Playa Paraiso ([www.playaparaiso.com.mx](http://www.playaparaiso.com.mx))

Hotel Best Western ([http://travel.yahoo.com/p-hotel-361717-best-western-paraiso-macambo-i;\\_ylt=AiXxkpTS.0leUyUBVhAqm9UJ8b8F](http://travel.yahoo.com/p-hotel-361717-best-western-paraiso-macambo-i;_ylt=AiXxkpTS.0leUyUBVhAqm9UJ8b8F))

Along Boulevard Adolfo Ruiz Cortínez you can find hotels ranging from 60 to 80 US dollars per night.

Hotel Jaragua ([www.hoteljaragua.com.mx](http://www.hoteljaragua.com.mx) )

Hotel Bello ([www.hotelbello.com](http://www.hotelbello.com))

Hotel Rivoli ([www.hotelrivoli.com](http://www.hotelrivoli.com))

Hotel Kyrios (no website available; phone 011 52 2299215625)

There are other hotels that offer lower rates (18-60 US dollars) but are located in Veracruz. You can reach the World Trade Center by the bus “Boca del Río”.

Hotel Dorado ([www.hoteldoradover.com](http://www.hoteldoradover.com))

Hotel Posada del Carmen ([reservhpcarmen@er.megared.net.mx](mailto:reservhpcarmen@er.megared.net.mx))

Hotel Mar y Tierra (<http://www.hotelmarytierra.com/>)

Hotel Delfines ([www.hoteldelfines.com.mx](http://www.hoteldelfines.com.mx)) has very good rates for groups and people staying for more than a week.

If you are planning to stay for more than a week, then you may wish to try one of these options that provide better long-term deals. You will need the help of a Spanish-speaking person because these lodges are geared to domestic tourism in México and may not have bilingual personnel.

Hospedaje Xicotencatl

Av. Xicotencatl No. 1367

entre Paso Troncoso y Uribe

Veracruz, Ver 91900

Phone 011 52 (229) 931 0791

Hotel Capri

Av. Xicotencatl 927

Veracruz, Ver. 91700

Phone 011 52 (229) 931 2974 and 011 52 (229) 931 3074

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Suites Andel ([www.suitesandel.com](http://www.suitesandel.com))  
Av. Hernández y Hernández 1145  
Entre Diaz Aragón y Barragán  
Atrás del Hotel Novomar  
Veracruz, Ver 91900  
Phone 011 52 (229) 931 5056

Hotel Real Caribe  
Víctimas del 25 de junio 328  
Cerca del Baluarte de Santiago  
Veracruz, Ver 91700  
Phone 011 52 (229) 931 1642

Hotel Luna Bella  
Av. Hernández y Hernández 1283  
Veracruz, Ver 91900  
Phone 011 52 (229) 931 6411 and 011 52 (229) 931 9421

4. People arriving to Veracruz connecting through Mexico City can find more information about options at Mexico City's airport, restaurants, taxis, banks, etc. by visiting:

<http://www.aicm.com.mx/index.asp>.

5. Information on the history of Veracruz can be found at:

[http://es.wikipedia.org/wiki/Veracruz\\_\(Veracruz\)](http://es.wikipedia.org/wiki/Veracruz_(Veracruz))

6. The Local Committee can only provide limited guidance to people staying at any hotel other than the three conference hotels. We recommend asking for the assistance of a Spanish-speaking colleague to work out your reservations. The information provided above is intended to assist people in finding options according to their budgets; however, the conference organizers do not endorse or monitor any of these hotels and thus people selecting any of the options listed above assume full responsibility for their decisions.

If you have questions or need additional tips and suggestions, please contact:

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