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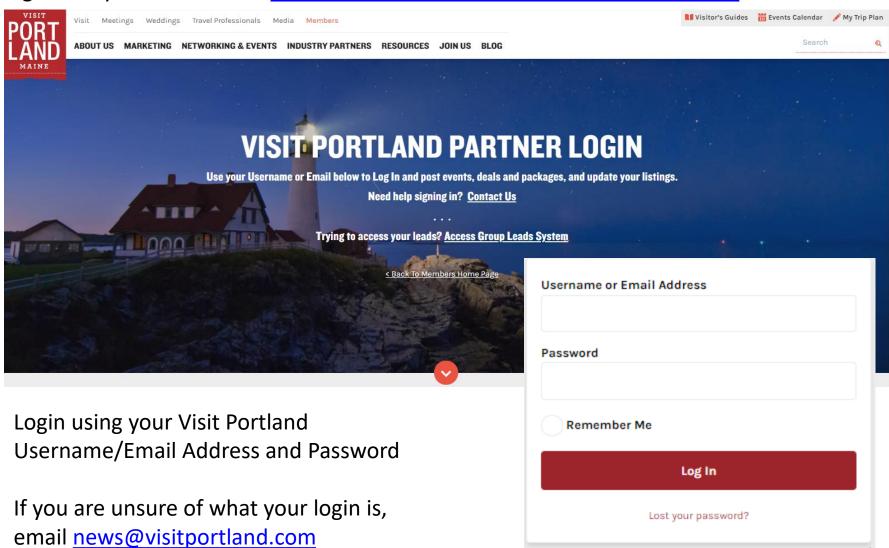
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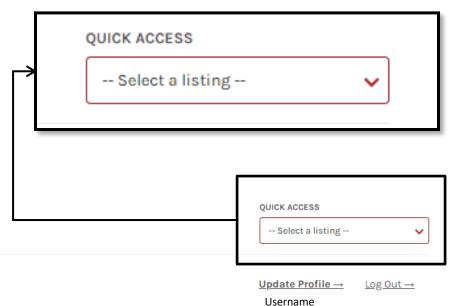


# **QUICK ACCESS - View Your Listing(s)**

You can view your listing(s) across all Visit Portland Sites:

Visit, Meetings, Weddings, or Travel Trade

Click the red dropdown arrow under Quick Access where it says "Select a Listing"



Email

## **DASHBOARD**

Submit New Deal +

Submit New Event +

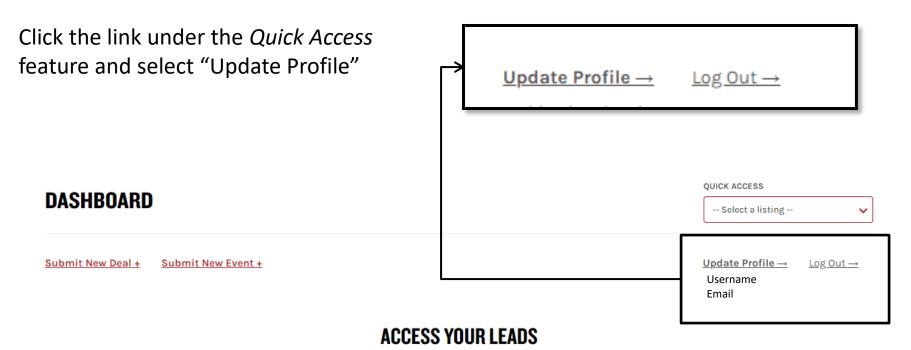
## **ACCESS YOUR LEADS**

One of the primary focuses of Visit Portland is to promote the Greater Portland region as a primary destination for Conventions, Meetings, Events, Sports, Reunions, and Weddings. Our group marketing team spends countless hours at tradeshows and on the phone with planners working to bring their group or event to Maine. Can't get in with your email? Contact Us

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## **UPDATE PROFILE – Submit Updates to Your Listing**

Changes will be submitted to Visit Portland for approval and we will update your partner listings.



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## **UPDATE PROFILE – Submit Updates to Your Listing**

Fill out applicable contact information. Under "Tell Us What Your Want to Change" outline what you'd like a staff member to update on your behalf.

Example: I would like to update the gray textbox of my Meetings listing to say...

I would like to update the "about us" section of my Visit listing to say...

# **UPDATE YOUR MEMBER LISTING** Changes will be submitted to Visit Portland for approval and we will update your member listings. Tip: Open up a new browser window and use the "search bar" on our website's top menu to find all your business listing(s). This will allow you to easily review your descriptions and specs while updating us with this form. If it helps, simply copy and paste your content into the form first and tell us what to change. BUSINESS NAME CONTACT NAME CONTACT EMAIL TELL US WHAT YOU WANT TO CHANGE. BE SPECIFIC. EXAMPLE: I WANT TO CHANGE MY MEETINGS DESCRIPTION TO.. Paragraph ▼ B I \= \= 66 \= \= \@ \X \= \=

Be sure to indicate which listing you are changing ie: Visit, Meetings, Weddings, or Travel Professionals

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Submit Changes	

Make sure to include photographer credits when uploading a new photo into the system.

Example: Photo Courtesy of ABC Photography

## **SUBMIT NEW DEAL OR EVENT- Adding Special Events or Deals, Packages, and Promos**

You can navigate to the "Submit New Deal" and "Submit New Event" feature by tapping the red links just under the Dashboard header.



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Once there just follow the instructions on the Deals or Events Forms to completion

#### **DEAL SUBMISSION FORM** SUBMIT YOUR EVENTS FOR THE PUBLIC EVENTS CALENDAR Use this platform to connect with visitors and locals, tour operators, event planners, brides, and more. Use this platform to connect with visitors and locals - Submit your event, performance, etc. When submitting a photo, the image must be authorized and less than 6MB. If posting daily tours, please submit one entry for the business and include all tours, schedules and info as one event. We strive to keep the events calendar friendly for our users and the #1 resource for what to do in Greater Portland. SELECT A BUSINESS LISTING All submissions are approved by Visit Portland before going live. -Select One-When submitting a photo, the image must be authorized and less than 6MB. Please read through each field below for character limits to help guide you. TITLE OF THE DEAL If you need assistance, contact us: news@visitportland.com --Select a listing-Keep it brief. Example: "Valentine Package" OR "Lobster Lovers EXCERPT: TAG LINE TITLE OF EVENT (30 character limit) To keep our event calendar consistent, please shorten the title of your event. Tip: "Make it catchy and grab their attention" 0 of 80 max characters You can put the full title in the additional details field below (80 character limit) Short description of your deal. Tip: Catch their attention with this short description EXCERPT: TAG LINE\* DESCRIPTION OF THE DEAL 0 of 70 max characters (70 character limit) Grab the attention of viewers with a short description of your event (300 Character Limit) Describe what is included in the promotion

# PHOTO UPLOAD (NOT REQUIRED BUT RECOMMENDED IF OWN THE RIGHTS TO A PHOTO FOR THE EVENT) Choose File No file chosen Photos must be less than 6MB. Please send a horizontal image. If your submission times out, please decrease the size (resolution) of the image file and try again. Need to be jpg or jpeg files. All photos are reviewed by the Visit Portland staff. Please include your license number (proof of ownership) in order for us to post with your event submission. PHOTO AUTHORIZATION / LICENSE / PHOTO CREDIT Photo is optional. Your event will still be posted if no photo is attached. You will be responsible for all copyrights to the photo attached. Please include who the photo is credited to and a description of the photo.

## **PHOTO CREDITS**

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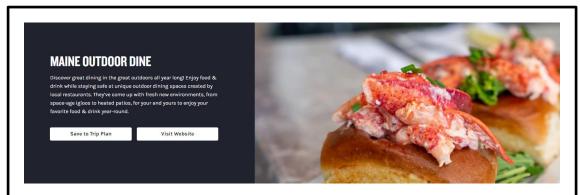
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send to news@visitportland.com

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Here are a few key terms to know when filling out a deal or event on the dashboard





## **DESCRIPTION\***

500 Characters

Describe the event



## **ADDITIONAL DETAILS\***

No Character Limit
Be specific and put in as many details as you'd like. If this is a reoccurring event, please add the range of dates in this section.

## ACCESS YOUR LEADS ACCOUNT – Access Link to Leads Dashboard

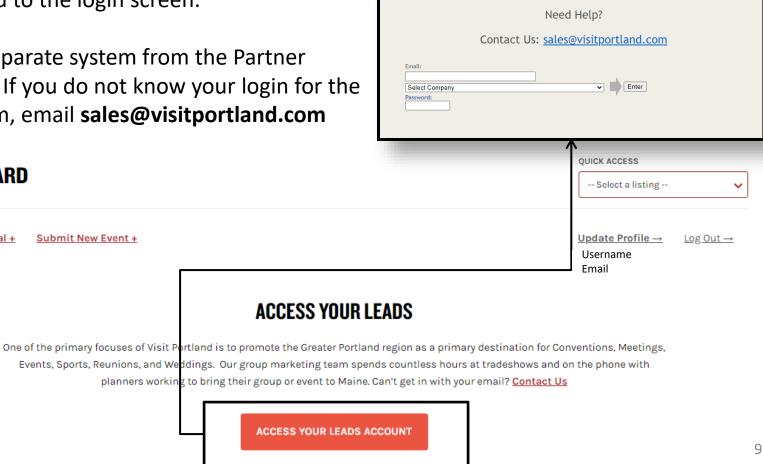
Group members have access to our Leads System\* The orange button, "Access Your Leads Account" will take you to the login screen.

\*This is a separate system from the Partner Dashboard. If you do not know your login for the leads system, email sales@visitportland.com

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DASHBOARD

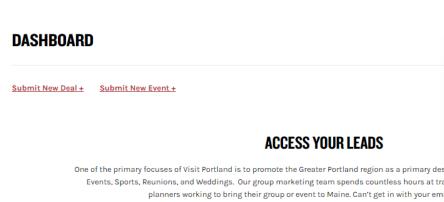
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# **TRACKING WEB STATS – Tracking ROI with Google Analytics**

Visit Portland uses a UTM tracking code to capture traffic from the "Visit Website" button on your web listing. You can view this under your own Google Analytics account under "Campaigns"



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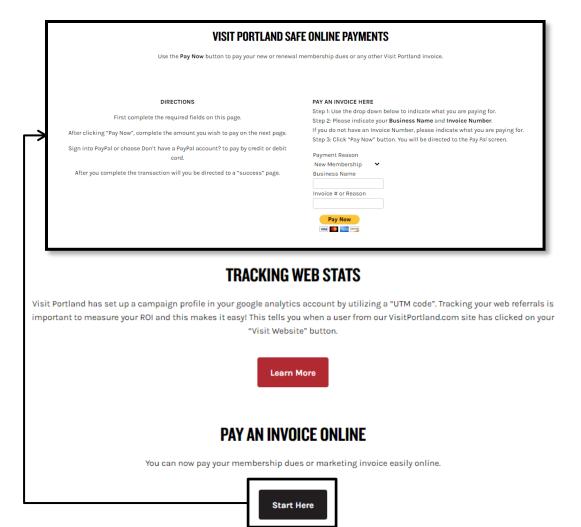
"Learn More" brings you to a step-by-step educational resource

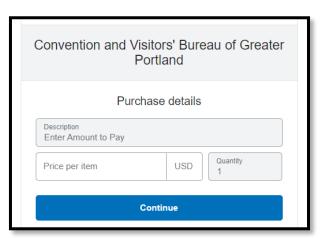
Visit Portland has set up a campaign profile in your google analytics account by utilizing a "UTM code". Tracking your web referrals is important to measure your ROI and this makes it easy! This tells you when a user from our VisitPortland.com site has clicked on your "Visit Website" button.



# **PAY AN INVOICE ONLINE – Pay Partnership Dues**

Below Tracking Web Stats you'll find the "Pay an Invoice Online" feature. Click "Start Here" and use the **Pay Now\*** button to pay dues.





\*Pay via Credit card or Paypal